



Week Beginning Monday 10th November 2025



EMPATHY



RESPECT



INDEPENDENCE



COURAGE



CURIOSITY

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a really positive week at Lowercroft. Our pupils have taken part in a range of activities for Anti-Bullying Week, including drama workshops that encouraged reflection, empathy and teamwork. The sessions were delivered brilliantly, and all children responded with maturity and enthusiasm.

We were also pleased to see such a strong turnout at Parents' Evening - thank you to everyone who came to meet with staff and share in the progress the children are making. To round off the week, our pupils achieved great success in the Cross Country event, showing real determination and team spirit.



Key Dates & Information - Week Beginning Monday 17th November 2025

Date	Event	Information
Monday 17th November - 9:15am	Assembly-Our School Rules: Working Together	Pupils only.
Friday 21st November	Non-uniform.	Christmas Fair donations - Festive Bags.
Friday 21st November	Celebration Assembly	By invite only.

Come and join the club - New clubs for this half term:

Club	Day	Time	Who	Place	Information
Lunchtime Clubs					
Podcast Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Mr Roberts	The Nest	
Crochet Club (Y6)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Mrs McGadie	Y6 Classroom	Please bring a crochet hook (size 5 or above) Wool provided
Boys Football (Y6)	Friday	1 - 3pm	Mr Moss	School playground	Mr Moss will be supporting the coaches from 'Build a Baller'
After School Clubs					
Karaoke Club	Monday	3:15 - 4:15	Miss Naz	Y5 Classroom	
Multi-sports	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Sports Coach	School field	
Pop-up-Pages (Y1 & Y2)	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Miss Pearson	Y2 Classroom	
Christmas Craft Club	Monday	3:15 - 4:15	Ms Tattersall	TBC	

PTA Christmas Fair - Friday 28th November, 6-8pm

We're excited to invite all families to our PTA Christmas Fair on Friday 28th November, 6-8pm. It promises to be a fantastic festive evening with plenty for children and adults to enjoy. Santa's Grotto will be open throughout the event, offering children a Christmas activity, a festive story, time with Santa and a gift to take home. Tickets are £5 and must be booked in advance. For those who enjoy a sing-along, Carol-oke will also be running on the night. Tickets are £5, which includes a drink, treat and lots of favourite Christmas songs. There will be a brilliant range of stalls and activities, including hot dogs, festive treats, bar, tombolas, games room, pocket-money toys, festive bags, wine game, raffle, pre-loved uniform and our popular indoor snowball fight. The choir will perform at 6:10pm and the raffle will be drawn at 7:45pm. Activities can be booked via Ticketsource:

www.ticketsource.co.uk/lowercroft-primary-school-pta

Our PTA would be very grateful for volunteers to help make the evening run smoothly. No matter how small, any help is appreciated....even an hour on a stall, assisting with setup, or helping to tidy away makes a big difference. If you can offer some time, please contact the PTA or the school office. Over the coming weeks, we will also be asking for donations to support the fair, such as items for the tombolas and raffle. Your generosity helps to make this event a success and raises valuable funds for the school. We hope to see lots of families there joining in the festive fun.





Let's Celebrate!

Cross-Country Success

Lowercroft pupils did us proud at this year's Bury Schools Cross Country events, achieving outstanding results across all age groups. Our Y3/4 teams performed brilliantly, with the girls securing an impressive 2nd place overall and the boys finishing strongly in 4th place. In the Y5/6 competitions, our children continued to shine: the Y5/6 Inspire Boys team claimed an excellent 3rd place, while our Y5/6 Excel Girls finished a very strong 4th. A particular highlight came in the Y5/6 Excel Boys race, where Lowercroft were crowned champions, finishing 1st with an exceptional team performance. We were also thrilled to celebrate Alicia's outstanding individual success, as she powered to victory in her race and secured a well-deserved gold medal. These achievements reflect the determination, teamwork and resilience shown by all our runners. We are incredibly proud of every pupil who took part—they represented our school with fantastic effort, spirit and sportsmanship.



Anti-Bullying Week

This week, pupils across Lowercroft have taken part in a number of activities to mark Anti-Bullying Week. We began with an assembly led by Mrs Kay, which was very well received by the children. Many pupils made thoughtful and insightful contributions, showing real understanding of the importance of kindness, respect and standing up for others. Classes then took part in drama-based workshops, giving pupils the chance to explore themes linked to bullying, friendship and empathy through role play. Staff were extremely proud of the children's engagement and behaviour throughout the sessions.

As part of the week, our Pupil Leadership Team also ran a series of behaviour clinics, gathering pupils' views on what works well in school and how we can make our environment even better. We received some excellent ideas and feedback, and it was encouraging to see how confidently the children shared their thoughts. The information gathered from Anti-Bullying Week will be used to help introduce our new behaviour policy in assembly on Monday. The updated policy will be published on the school website later this term.

This Week's Award Winners



Class	Name
Year 1	William & Bethany
Year 2	William & Elias
Year 3	Olive & Noah
Year 4	Max & Pippa
Year 5	Forest School
Year 6	Luca & Isabella



Attendance	
Whole School	
96%	
Y4	99%

Gold Coin Winners	
25	Y1
House Winners	
1047	Venus

It's been a productive week at Lowercroft, with pupils engaging positively in all aspects of school life, from Anti-Bullying Week activities to helping out at Parents' Evening and our strong cross-country performances. We are incredibly proud of our children and the way they represent our school and we remain committed to ensuring Lowercroft continues to be a successful and thriving place to learn. Have a lovely 'wet' weekend everyone.

Mrs. McGadie

& The Lowercroft Team