



Week Beginning Monday 30th March 2026



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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of the Spring Term, this final newsletter provides an opportunity to reflect on what has been a varied and successful half term at Lowercroft. Over the past six weeks, pupils have taken part in a wide range of experiences including sporting events, workshops, trips and enrichment activities, alongside continued strong learning in the classroom. It has been pleasing to see pupils engaging so well and representing the school with enthusiasm and maturity.

Looking ahead to next week, we will be celebrating our Science Poster Competition winners and hosting our annual Lowercroft's Got Talent event – always a highlight of the year. Thank you to all parents who have taken the time to complete our recent feedback questionnaire; your views are greatly appreciated and help us to continue improving what we offer for our children.

Key Dates & Information - Week Beginning Monday 20th April 2026



Date	Event	Information
Monday 20th April	School opens for the summer term	
Tuesday 21st April	Assembly	Pupils only
Monday 20th April - Friday 1st May 10am - 11am	Y4 Swimming	Y4 will be commencing their swimming session for the next 2 weeks- please see letter sent home for more information
Wednesday 22nd April	Reception eye tests (NHS)	See letter sent home for more details
Friday 24th April	Wake up Shake Up	Weather permitting
Friday 24th April	Celebration Assembly	By invite only

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

Club	Day	Time	Who	Place	Information
Lunchtime Clubs					
Fine Art Club (Y5&6)	Monday - M Hall	Lunchtime	Mrs Hall	TBC	
Gardening Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	Ms Tattersall		
Podcast Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Mr Roberts	The Nest	
Crochet Club (Y5 & 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					
Samba Club	Monday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs McGadie	School hall	KS2 pupils only
	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Sports Coach	School Playground	Please see letters sent home for more information about signing up.
Netball Club	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs Parkinson	School Playground	
SATs Booster clubs - Y6 only					
Reading Booster Club	Monday	3:15-4:15	Mrs Parkinson	Y6 Classroom	By invite only. Please refer to the letter sent home for more information.
Maths Booster Club	Monday	3:15-4:15	Mr Roberts	Mr Roberts - Study	
Maths Booster Club	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15	Miss Savery	Y6 Classroom	

NB: Sign up letter will be sent out during the first week back so all clubs commence in the second week back- Week beginning 7th May 2026



Let's Celebrate!

Lowercroft's Got Talent

This afternoon saw the return of our annual Lowercroft's Got Talent and what a fantastic showcase it was. Pupils took to the stage with a wide variety of acts including singing, dancing, gymnastics, karate and even comedy, all demonstrating great courage and confidence performing in front of the whole school. The standard was incredibly high, making it a very difficult decision for our judges, as every act brought something special. We are extremely proud of all the children who took part...it takes real bravery to perform in front of an audience and they did an amazing job. A big thank you to Miss Savery and Mrs Hall for organising the event and to our Year 6 pupils who supported behind the scenes to help everything run smoothly.



LGT Winners	
KS1	Henry
KS2	Nam & Sophie
Hosts	Luca, Millie, Erin & Logan



Above & Beyond Awards

We are delighted to introduce our new Above & Beyond Award, celebrating children who go the extra mile in demonstrating our school values. When a child shows exceptional effort, kindness, resilience or attitude, they may receive a raffle ticket. These are entered into a half-termly prize draw and also contribute towards earning special star badges—from Bronze all the way to Platinum—collected across their time at school. We were excited to hold our first raffle draw this afternoon, celebrating the fantastic effort and positive attitudes shown by our pupils. This initiative is about recognising effort, character and personal growth, not just academic success. Well done to our bronze winners—see below. For full details about how the system works, please visit our website [here](#).



Notices

Guitar Lessons

Places are available for guitar lessons — please ask at the office for a form.

Parent Questionnaire

Thank you to all who completed the parent questionnaire. Feedback will be shared after Easter.

ERICC's Holiday Provision

Due to low numbers, ERICC's will only be open on Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th. Please book via Magic Booking.

School Podcast

The latest podcast is now available to listen to. [Click here](#)

Year 3 Explore the Outdoors

Our Year 3 pupils recently enjoyed an exciting trip to Burrs Country Park as part of the Explore the Outdoors initiative. The morning was packed with adventurous activities including map reading, den building and even the challenge of crossing a "shark-infested sea"!

This final activity required pupils to work together using crates, encouraging teamwork, communication and problem-solving skills. The children approached each task with enthusiasm and really embraced the adventure. It was fantastic to see them learning in such a practical way. A memorable experience that they all thoroughly enjoyed.



Above & Beyond- Headteacher's Award

Bronze Award Winners

Bonnie, Archie W, Thomas L, Hazel, Erin, Isla

As we come to the end of the Spring Term, we would like to thank you for your continued support throughout what has been a busy and successful term at Lowercroft. We hope you all have a happy and restful Easter holiday, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back for the summer term.

Mrs. McGhie

& The Lowercroft Team