

Wk Beg: Monday 9th June 2025



EMPATHY



RESPECT



INDEPENDENCE



COURAGE



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It's been another busy and exciting week at Lowercroft! We welcomed back our Year 6 pupils from their residential at Robin Wood, where they enjoyed a range of adventurous activities. The whole school came together to mark World Oceans Day with a special assembly, raising awareness about the importance of protecting our seas. Meanwhile, work continues on enhancing our Reception outdoor area, with visible progress each day. Midweek brought more sporting success, as our girls' football team competed brilliantly in a local tournament and secured a spot in yet another final – a fantastic achievement that builds on their recent triumphs. Looking ahead, we're pleased to be welcoming high school pupils into school next week as they complete their work experience placements with us.

Key Dates & Information - Week Beginning Monday 16th June 2025

Date	Event	Information
Monday 16th June	Assembly- British Values	For pupils only
Tuesday 17th June	Y5/Y6 Rounders Tournament at St Gabriel's	Letters have been sent home
Wednesday 18th	Reception trip to 'Imagine That!'	See letters sent home for more information
Friday 20th	Non-uniform day	PTA Rainbow Raffle Donations
Friday 20th June	Y6 Enterprise presentations	Y6 will be presenting their ideas to the PTA
Friday 20th 2:40pm	Celebration Assembly	By invite only

Farewell to Mrs Greenwood

At the end of this term, we will be saying a fond farewell to Mrs Greenwood, who will be leaving Lowercroft after 16 wonderful years of dedicated service. Throughout her time with us, Mrs Greenwood has been a passionate and committed teacher, working across different year groups and playing a vital role in school life.

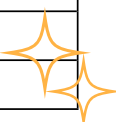
She has led key areas including Early Years, Music, PSHE, and Early Reading & Phonics, and her leadership and expertise have had a lasting impact on both pupils and staff. Mrs Greenwood's contributions to the wider curriculum have provided countless enrichment opportunities for our children, and her enthusiasm has inspired so many along the way.

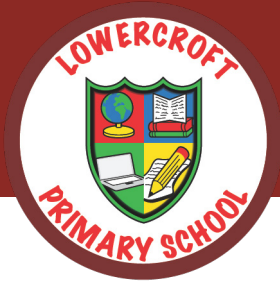
We are incredibly proud to share that she has secured a new position as Key Stage 1 Lead at another school – a well-deserved next step in her career. While we are sad to see her go, we know she will continue to make a difference in her new role, just as she has here.

A letter has been sent home today with more details. On behalf of everyone at Lowercroft, we wish Mrs Greenwood all the very best for the future – she will be greatly missed.

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

Club	Day	Time	Who	Place	Information
Lunchtime Clubs					
Podcasting Club	Monday	Lunchtime	Mr Roberts	Y5 Classroom	
Gardening Club (KS2)	Tuesday	Lunchtime	MS Tattersall	School field	
Board Games Club (KS2)	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Mrs Kay	TBC	
Crochet Club (Y5)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Mrs McGadie	Office	
Boys Football (Y5/Y6)	Friday	1:30PM	Mr Moss	School playground	
After School Clubs					
Athletics (KS2)	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Sports Coach	School field	
Cheerleading	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs Greenwood	School hall	
Kids with Bricks (Y1 - Y3) - Lego	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	MS Tattersall/Mrs Davis	KS1 Resource area	
Netball (Y4 - Y6)	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs Parkinson/Mrs Lupton	School playground	





Let's Celebrate!



Year 6 Residential to Robin Wood

Last weekend, our Year 6 children headed off on their much-anticipated residential trip to Robin Wood – and what a weekend it was! Packed with adventure and challenge, the trip gave pupils the chance to take part in a range of exciting outdoor activities, from climbing and caving to raft-building and zip-lining. Throughout the weekend, the children demonstrated many of our core school values, including empathy, respect, independence (though watching them make their own beds was certainly an experience to remember!), courage, and curiosity. It was a joy to see them support one another, face their fears, and embrace every opportunity that came their way. We were incredibly proud of how they conducted themselves – giving their best, having a go at almost everything, and pushing themselves beyond their comfort zones. It was a very active and full-on weekend, and the sleepy faces on Monday morning were definite proof of just how much they packed into their time away!

And of course, no residential would be complete without the mountain of muddy clothes they brought home – thank you to all the families who bravely tackled the washing piles (and the mysterious smells!) with good humour. Photos from the trip will be shared soon, so keep an eye out – there are plenty of moments worth remembering! A big well done to all our Year 6 pupils – you represented Lowercroft brilliantly! A huge THANK YOU to all the staff who kindly gave up their weekend to support Y6- and of course enjoy 'some' activities!!



Attendance

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Whole School	97%
Class Winners	Y3 99%

Notices

Year 4 Swimming:

- Year 4 swimming sessions begin this week, starting on Monday 16th June from 10:00-11:00am. Letters have been sent home with further details.

Summer Holiday Club:

- Thank you to everyone who responded to our expression of interest - we're delighted with the fantastic level of interest in our upcoming Summer Holiday Club! We are currently compiling the details and finalising numbers. In the coming weeks, we will be sending out booking forms along with more information about the exciting activities and what's included in the club. Watch this space - we will share more with you soon!

Monday 30th June:

- 5 a side Boys' football tournament at Greenhill Primary School at 1pm - 3pm. Emails going out next week with further information

This week's Award Winners

Class	Name
No certificates this week due to the Girls Football Presentation/Celebration assembly	



Toasty Tuesday

Gold Coins
Year 6 (41 Coins)

Girls' Football Team Reach Yet Another Final!

Congratulations to our amazing Girls' Football Team, who have done it again! After a brilliant performance at the recent tournament held at Woodbank, the team successfully made it through the group stage and are now heading to the Finals. The final round will be played as a league format against four other teams at Red Bank Fields, Radcliffe, on 30th June with kick-off at 3pm. We're so proud of their teamwork, determination, and sportsmanship. To celebrate their incredible achievement in winning the overall league across Bury schools, we held a special presentation this afternoon. The team also feature in the latest episode of our school podcast, where they share their experiences and highlights from the season – don't miss it! Click on the link above to listen. A huge well done to the whole team – we'll be cheering you on in the final!

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And Finally...

It's been another action-packed week at Lowercroft, filled with achievements, and school spirit! From the success of our Girls' Football Team to the experiences at Robin Wood, we're so proud of everything our pupils have accomplished. Thank you for your continued support - we look forward to sharing more exciting updates with you next week!

Mrs. McGadie

& The Lowercroft Team