



Lower Farm Weekly



Friday 14th October 2022

We are coming to the end of another fantastic week of learning. Thank you to everyone who attended our Parent Share on Wednesday. We hoped you enjoyed it as much as the children enjoyed showing you their amazing work.

As always, we hope you have a lovely weekend and are looking forward to lots of great learning next week too.

Parents/Carer Pupil Progress Meetings

13:30 - 18:00 Tuesday 18th October

Please ensure you book your appointment time slot via the Arbor App.

Christmas Card Project– Years 1, 2 and 3

Your child will be bringing home their creative, Christmas artwork today. On the reverse side is an order form showing products available which will have your child's artwork printed on.

If you would like to place an order the deadline is **Friday 21st October**. Please complete the form and return it with the correct amount of cash in a sealed envelope clearly marked with your child's name and class.

Naming School Uniform

Please may we request that you name EVERY item of school uniform including coats. We are finding lots of coats following lunch and it is very difficult to return them to their owners if they are unnamed. Thank you.

Attendance

For week beginning 3rd October:

Beech Class:	100%
Birch Class:	100%
Cherry Class:	97.0%
Chestnut Class:	92.4%
Elder Class:	92.1%
Elm:	96.6%
Hazel:	95.9%



Congratulations to those classes that have reached an attendance of 97% or above. It would be great to see every class reach 97% or above next week.

Value Awards

Beech Class

Rubie	Achievement
Joey	Care

Cherry Class

Ryan	Integrity
Tyler	Achievement

Elder Class

Evan	Achievement and Integrity
Kaitlyn	Achievement and Resilience

Hazel Class

Xander	Achievement
Bailey	Achievement

Birch Class

Khush	Integrity
Zane	Achievement

Chestnut class

George	Achievement
Francesca	Integrity

Elm Class

Matthew	Achievement
Sienna	Resilience



Well done to those who have particularly stood out for displaying our school values this week.



Nuneaton SEND Parents/ Carers Training

We are delighted to share with you that Louisa McGivney, a specialist, and consultant in Autism, will be delivering a series of 6 free workshop sessions aimed at parents and carers of children and young people on the Autism spectrum and those with complex communication needs.

Each session will be delivered on a Friday morning from 10.00am-12.00pm, with light refreshments available to those attending the sessions.

There will be a series of sessions focusing on a range of topics, which include:

- **Week 1- Friday 4th November 22: Understanding your child and their Autism**
- **Week 2 – Friday 11th November 22: Supporting your child with self-care and independence**
- **Week 3 – Friday 18th November 22: Supporting your child and their sensory processing differences**
- **Week 4 – Friday 25th November 22: Supporting your child and their behaviours**
- **Week 5 – Friday 2nd December 22: Supporting your child with their learning**
- **Week 6 – Friday 9th December 22: Supporting your child with transitions**

The aim of each session will be to:

- To raise an awareness of how Autism/CCN affect your child
- To develop a shared understanding of some of the challenges that our children face, and the strengths they can bring
- To increase your confidence in understanding and supporting your child
- To build up a bank of ideas and strategies that can be used to support your child

All sessions will be held at Nuneaton Library. Whilst we appreciate you may not be able to attend every session due to work/family commitments; we do ask that you attend week 1 as this provides the foundation for the remaining sessions, and that you are able to commit to at least three of the following sessions.

For full details and to book a place on the sessions, please contact Sarah Cox - email sarahcox@warwickshire.gov.uk



School Christmas Card Project

Gift Labels



Thank you Cards



Christmas Cards



Placemats



Magnets



Christmas Mugs



The children will create their own artwork, which can be printed on cards and other products.

We will be offering all the items shown above, so there's plenty to choose from!

Pictures will be sent home with an order form.
All orders will need to be placed by 21/10/2022.



Friends of Lower Farm Academy

Friends@lowerfarmacademy.org



Lower Farm Halloween Disco 20th October

**Tickets available from PTA Members
10th-14th October**

Price £3.50

Drinks, Sweets and Treats included

Halloween Activities;

- * Noise Trail * Colouring Station ***
- * Ghost Cup Knockdown ***
- * Trick Touch and Feel Boxes ***
- * Hook-a-Duck ***

Contactless and Cash Payments Accepted
**Contact us or see Class WhatsApp groups for BACS
payment details and reference**



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The children enjoyed taking part in our colour run last Friday and even the rain didn't stop the fun! Thank you to all parents and carers who come along and participated in this event. Here are a selection of snapshots taken.





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Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 18th October: Parents/Carer Pupil Progress Meetings 13:30 - 18:00

Thursday 20th October: Friends of Lower/PTA Halloween Disco 16:30 - 17:45
Children may come to school in non-uniform or a Halloween themed outfit if they prefer

Friday 21st October - Deadline for School Christmas Card Project orders

Half Term: Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October

Monday 14th November: Anti-bullying week - wear odd socks to school

Friday 18th November: Non-uniform day - wear yellow/spotty clothes for Children in Need

Friday 25th November: Non-uniform day - Bring in a bottle for Christmas tombola

Friday 2nd December: Non-uniform day - Bring in chocolate for Christmas tombola

Wednesday 7th December: Parent/Carer Share Event 14:30

Monday 12th December: Reception Nativity 14:00

Thursday 15th December: Christmas Fayre 15:30

Friday 16th December: Non-uniform Day. **School closes at 13:30 for Christmas Holidays**

Christmas Holidays: Monday 19th December - Monday 2nd January

Tuesday 3rd January: Staff inset day - school closed

Wednesday 4th January: School opens - spring term