



Newsletter

This Week in Our School

Friday 15th May 2026

As we enter the final week before half term starts, I would like to take a moment to celebrate our Year 6s who, for the first time ever at Lower Farm Academy, completed their KS2 SATs last week. This is not only a milestone for our growing school, but a huge achievement for our very first Year 6 class, a lot of which started with us before the school was even built! We're so proud of how well they managed the week, and we can't wait to see how they did when the results are available! Well done Year 6.



Key Dates!

Thursday 21st May: Year 1 Assembly (details below)

Monday 25th – Friday 29th May: Half Term

Tuesday 16th June: KS1 Sports Day 9am

Wednesday 17th June: KS2 Sports Day 9am

Monday 22nd June: Year 2 Assembly

Friday 3rd July: Non-Uniform Day (Gift Donation)

Wednesday 8th July: Transition Day

Friday 10th July: Non-Uniform (Bottle Donation)

Thursday 16th July: Summer Fayre (after school)

Friday 17th July: School Closes at 1:30pm
Wraparound (MHR) closes 3:30pm

Our Learning



Seesaw





Things to Celebrate!



Value Awards



- BEECH - Oliver
- BIRCH - Felix and Arini
- CHERRY - Arlo
- CHESTNUT - Gracie-Mai
- ELDER - Alex
- ELM - Olivia
- HAZEL - Alex
- HOLLY - Noor
- OAK - Virshiya
- OLIVE - Jayden
- PINE - Jennifer
- POPLAR - Maks
- WALNUT - Giorgio



Year 1 Assembly – Thursday 21st May

We would like to invite you into school at 2:30pm to watch your child showcase their Geography learning. The children are very excited to share what they have been learning about, including the work they have completed and the knowledge they have gained. This will be a lovely opportunity for you to celebrate their progress with us. We hope you can join us!

Attendance!

For week beginning 11th May 2026

Beech Class:	97.7%
Birch Class:	92.3%
Cherry Class:	96%
Chestnut Class:	100%
Elder Class:	86.7%
Elm Class:	99%
Hazel Class:	94.5%
Holly Class:	99%
Oak Class:	97.7%
Olive Class:	96.3%
Pine Class:	96.3%
Poplar Class:	90.7%
Walnut Class:	99.3%



Congratulations to those classes that have reached an attendance of 97% or above!



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Shout Outs!

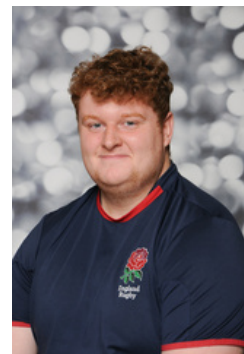
We are incredibly lucky to have such a dedicated and caring team at our school, who consistently go above and beyond for our children. Many of our staff generously give up their own time to run a wide range of sports clubs, social clubs and academic booster sessions, helping children to build confidence, develop new skills and enjoy learning even more. We wanted to add a special place on our newsletter for parents to nominate staff who they feel deserve shout outs. You can do this by emailing office@lowerfarmacademy.org with the staff member's name and what makes them great!

Thank you to the parents who sent in shout outs for the following members of staff this week:



"I would like to nominate Miss Jones for helping my daughter with maths and organising separate groups to target and improve students weaknesses. Miss Jones has helped with my daughter's confidence, has a fun attitude and always listens to any concerns we have and gives practical solutions. She is also patient with my son too and takes time to listen to his little stories. We think she's amazing! Thank you."

"I would like to nominate Mr Coulter for organising the after school football. My daughter was worried about how many girls would attend but he was very encouraging and she loves going! He always makes the kids laugh and we appreciate him taking time out to run an after school club so well. Thank you."



"Please could I nominate Mrs. Hughes for a shout out in the newsletter? What a great idea by the way!"

Mrs Hughes takes time to understand the children and treat them as individuals. She's proactive and implements change for a better outcome, always keeping everyone in the picture. She's really kind and she makes a big difference!"



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