

# Lower Peover CofE Primary School

"Let your light shine, so that others may see the good you do" Matthew 5:16

A place to learn where everyone feels welcome; based on love, wisdom, & respect.



## Weekly Newsletter

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2026



Welcome back for the Summer term

Class Ambassadors for the Summer 1 half term:

Year 3: Chloe & Finn CL

Year 4: Elodie & Freddie

Year 5: Ariana & Austin

Year 6: Miles & Lexy

### 100 Club

Before the Easter break we held our first draw for the 100 Club.

Congratulations to:

David (Y2), Rupert (Y1), Raven (Y3), Alice (Y2), Finn (Y3), Effie (Y4), Archie (Y3), Monroe (Y2), Immy (Rec) & George (Y1) who have each received a £5 Amazon voucher.



### Mini Police

Congratulations to our Mini Police Officers, who successfully completed their Attestation Ceremony this week. Thanks to PCSO Phil for organising the event, and to the police officers who attended, along with a local magistrate and parents. We are extremely proud of the children and look forward to seeing them develop in their role as Mini Police Officers.

A video of the children taking the oath has also been posted on the school website:

[Lower Peover C of E \(Aided\) Primary School: Mini Police](#)





## Year 3 Class Assembly & Classroom Visit – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026

The next class assembly takes place next Thursday for Year 3 in the school hall. The assembly will start straight after morning registration from approx. 9am.

Could you please ensure your children arrive at school in plenty of time for registration, lunch ordering and to get ready for the assembly. Parents will be able to enter school via the main entrance from approx. 8.45am. This will allow breakfast club time to clear their equipment and staff to set up the hall for the assembly.

Following the assembly, parents are welcome to visit the classroom to see the children's latest work; however we do ask that you leave by 10/10.15am to allow the children to get ready for morning break. Please exit back via the main entrance.

Parking is available around the rear of school; please do not park in front of the playground gate, in case access is required in the event of an emergency – thank you

## Accelerated Reader (Spring 2 half term)

Last terms winning team was St George with a word count of 3,327,367 words read

Congratulations to...

Our new Word Millionaire; Alice (Y4)

Our new Word Multi-Millionaire; Hannah (Y5)

Star Quizzers; Sofia, Huxley & Casper (Y2), Benjamin (Y3), Holly S (Y4), Josh (Y5), Thomas (Y6)

The table detailing the reading levels & minutes read can be found on the website [Lower Peover C of E \(Aided\) Primary School: Accelerated Reader](http://www.lower-peover-school.co.uk)



This year the Scholastic Book Fair will be in school in May. The days below have been allocated, where you can collect your child (and any of their siblings) from their classroom doors at 2:30pm and visit the book fair, which can be accessed from the playground.

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May** - Reception, Year 1, and siblings (2:30pm - 3:20pm)

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May** - Years 2 & 3 and siblings (2:30pm - 3:20pm)

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May** - Years 4, 5 & 6 and siblings (2:30pm - 3:20pm)

Weather permitting, the book fair will be located on the playground just outside the school hall / DT room playground entrance. If we have wet weather, the fair will be moved inside to the DT room which can also be accessed from the playground.

There will be a whole range of new books of popular children's authors for all the primary age range as well as some funky stationery which is often very popular. Profits will come straight back to school to spend on new classroom books.

**Payment at the fair is via a card reader, for contactless payments only, unfortunately, we are unable to accept cash.**



Reception: 97.1%

Year 1: 92.9%

Year 2: 95.2%

Year 3: 90.8%

Year 4: 94.5%

Year 5: 90.4%

Year 6: 98.1%

Whole School: 93.9%

## Weekly Awards

Children are awarded individual stickers (see below) if they demonstrate any of our values of Love, Wisdom, and Respect, throughout the week. A Vision Star certificate will be handed out by the class ambassadors each week on a Friday afternoon.

'Writer of the Week' selected by each class teacher to children who have demonstrated excellent writing skills during the week.



### Writer of the week

**Year 1: Freddie**

**Year 3: Sophia**

**Year 4: Ella**

### Vision Stars

**Year 1: Henry M**

**Year 2: Whole Class**

**Year 3: Miles & Finn CL**

**Year 4: Viola & Tadgh**

**Year 5: Whole Class**



## Spring Ball – Friday 8th May

Ticket sales are closing soon — our aim is to sell another 40 tickets to cover costs, so if you're thinking of coming, now is the time to book — don't miss out!

For the first time, the Ball will be held at the De Vere Cranage Estate Hotel. It promises to be a fantastic evening for our parent community and a key fundraiser for the school.

Please also keep an eye out for raffle tickets coming home in book bags tomorrow — we'd be so grateful for your support in purchasing and selling these.

Buy tickets here: <https://friends-of-lower-peover-primary-school.sumupstore.com/products>

## Easter Disco

We're pleased to announce that the Easter Disco raised £663! Thank you so much for your support — it was a great event as always.

We would also like to say a huge thank you to Beth Binyon, who has organised our school discos for the past 8 years. Her energy, time and commitment have made these events such a highlight for the children, and she will be very much missed. Thank you, Beth, for everything you've done for the school!

## Trim Trail Project

The Trim Trail project kicks off next week — exciting times ahead! A huge thank you to all the parents who have offered support and those already getting involved in the planning.

Instagram: Friends of Lower Peover School Facebook: Lower Peover Primary School Mums email: [flpscommittee@gmail.com](mailto:flpscommittee@gmail.com)



To comply with our risk assessment, all children must wear appropriate outdoor clothes (long sleeve tops & long trousers/leggings – no football kits) and hair tied up. As the weather gets colder over the coming months, please ensure their outdoor clothes are warm, or they have several layers to put on.

**Please ensure the children have a spare pair of shoes to change into after their session in the woods. This will ensure mud & dirt is not walked through school. Even in dry weather, there are some areas of the wood that do not get a lot of sunlight, so will be continually damp or wet.**

**The office will call home to request a spare pair of shoes are brought in if applicable.**

If incorrect clothing is worn or brought in, unfortunately, children will be unable to take part in the session.

Slot 1 commences at approx. 9am / Slot 2 commences at approx. 10.50am

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May – No Forest School

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May – **Year 2** (Slot 1) / **Year 3** (Slot 2)

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May – **Year 6** (post SATs bonus session)

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – **Year 1** (Slot 1) / **Reception** (Slot 2)

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June – **Year 5** (Slot 1) / **Year 3** (Slot 2)



## Collective Worship

During class worship this week the class celebration was..."Who has any celebrations from over the Easter break? Did anyone demonstrate our school values of *LOVE, WISDOM* or *RESPECT*?"



The children have also revisited their class agreements, that link with our school vision and relationship policy, with the focus this week on *LOVE*.



Discussion activities held during Tuesday & Thursday class worship...

**Discussion activity**  
Tuesday

**Whole-class reflection questions**

1. In what ways do we show LOVE well as a class?
2. Where could we do better?
3. How do our class agreements help everyone feel safe and valued?

On Thursday, we look at the agreement in more detail. Looking at the steps we can take to achieve "Showing LOVE in our actions"

Showing LOVE in our actions

**Discussion activity**  
Thursday

**We try hard in everything we do and believe in ourselves**

1. What does "trying hard" look like?
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## After School Clubs

### Summer 1 Half Term 2026 (20.04.26 – 21.05.26 inc)

Day	Club	No of places	Cost	Staff	Year Group(s)	INFORMATION
Monday	Vocal Coaching Club		£39 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive (confident Y1 welcome)	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>
Tuesday	SATs Booster	Whole class	n/a	Mr Haslam	Year 6	LAST CLUB ON TUESDAY 5 <sup>TH</sup> MAY
Thursday	Band		£39 per half term	Mr Stannard	Years 2-6 inclusive	Please contact Mr Stannard directly on <a href="mailto:jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk">jstannard@lowerpeover.cheshire.sch.uk</a>

Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after any half term break unless otherwise communicated.

All clubs will run unless you receive a separate communication regarding cancellation



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### Summer 1 Half Term 2026 (20.04.26 to 22.05.26 inclusive)

Day	Year Groups	Activity
Monday	3 – 6 inclusive	Basketball
Tuesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Multi-Sports
Tuesday*	1 – 6 inclusive	Chess
Wednesday	Rec, 1 & 2	Craft & Jewellery
Wednesday	Rec - 3 inc	Tennis
Thursday	1 – 6 inclusive	Cheerleading
Friday	All year groups	Football

To book for Summer 1: <https://sports-coaching-group.classforkids.io/term/1246>

Please note – All clubs will commence the first week back after any half term break unless otherwise communicated.

## Key Dates & Events

### Summer 1 Half Term 2026

- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April – Year 3 class trip to Liverpool World Museum
- Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April – Reception, Years 1 & 2 – Poetry Workshop with Gripping Yarns
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April – Year 3 class assembly & classroom visit (9am – 10am)
- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May inclusive – Year 4 Residential to Petty Pool Centre
- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May – Reception class trip to Tatton Park Farm
- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May inclusive – Year 6 SATs
- Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May – Year 5 class assembly & classroom visit (9am – 10am)
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Reception Parents Stay & Play (2pm onwards)
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Last Day of Term

### Summer 2 Half Term 2026

- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – INSET Day
- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – First day of term for children
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June – Year 4 Class Trip – Deva Day (Chester)
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June – Class Photographs & Year 6 Individual Photographs (all children to wear summer uniform)
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June – Reception Class – Hearing & Vision test / Year 6 Class – Height & Weight
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June - Transition Day 1 to Holmes Chapel for Year 6 pupils joining
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June – Class transition morning (incl. new Rec 2026 intake Group 1 – details to following after offer day on 16<sup>th</sup> April).
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June - Transition Day 2 to Holmes Chapel for Year 6 pupils joining
- Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June – Year 2 Class Trip to Jewish Museum
- Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - Class transition morning (incl. new Rec 2026 intake Group 2 – details to following after offer day on 16<sup>th</sup> April).
- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2 Class trip to Manchester Airport
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July – Year 2 Class Assembly & Classroom Visit
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Reception, Year 1 & 2 Sports Day (AM only).
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Service – Chester Cathedral (children & staff only)
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July – Reception class assembly followed by Stay & Play (9am – 10.30am)
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Key Stage 2 Sports Day (AM only)
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Parent Consultation Evening (optional attendance)
- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July – Parent Consultation Evening (optional attendance)
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Performance – Rehearsal Day (Plumley Village Hall)
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Year 6 Leavers Performance (Plumley Village Hall)
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Last Day of Term