

## Weekly newsletter



Friday 8<sup>th</sup>  
March 2019



### Going for Gold Assembly

Awards for the week ending 1<sup>st</sup> March

#### Pupil of the week:

**Reception**

James Mennell

**Year 1**

Sienna Pike

**Year 2**

Eva Chadwick

**Year 3**

Poppy Pugh

**Year 4**

Maddie Gerrard

**Year 5**

Jayden Litherland

**Year 6**

Willow Littler



#### Playground Awards

**KS1 Indoor**

Alice Davies

**KS1 Outdoor**

Hope Callaghan

**KS2 Indoor**

Oliwia Malinska

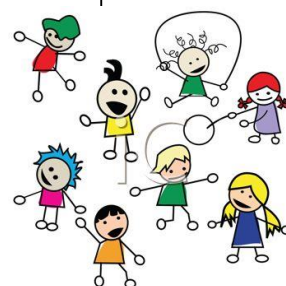
**KS2 Outdoor**

Lucy Danson

#### Attendance Award for week ending 1<sup>st</sup> March

Year 5

Well done everyone



### Lowton J & I Times tables Challenge

Well done to everyone below on earning their wristbands. Also a big well done to everyone who tried, keep up the practise.

**7s**

Amelia Thomas

**8s**

George Arroyo

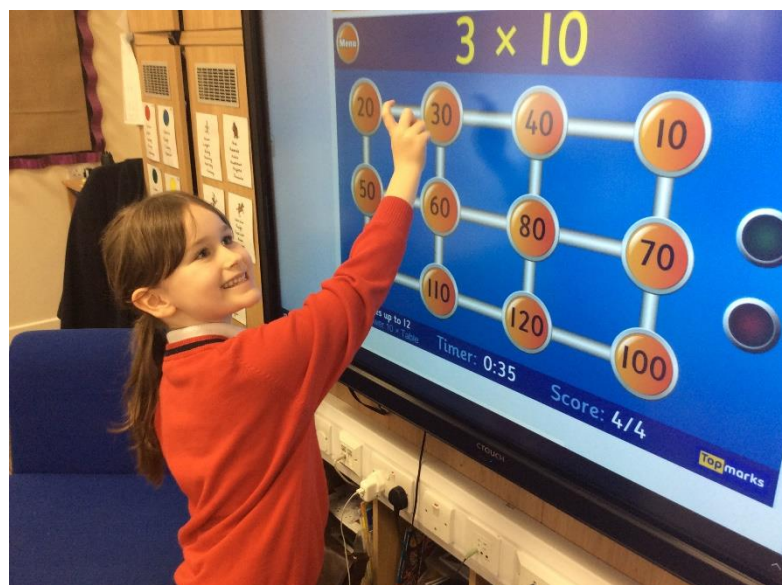


### School Office

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Alison McGuirk to the School Office team. Mrs McGuirk will be working Thursday and Friday and we are sure that she will settle into the school routine in no time at all.

### Lost Property

Please can you remember to ensure that your child's name is on every item of their school uniform including indoor and outdoor PE kits and also their outdoor coat. Thank you.



### Thank you

A very big "Thank you" to our amazing PTFA. They have just donated £4065 to help us renew the interactive screens in each classroom with the latest models plus they donated a further £1750 to go towards subsidising trips. Every single penny they raise goes back into school for the benefit of all our children. Thank you to everyone who works so hard at events and to everyone who supports us in this way.

### Year 2 Trip to Martin Mere

If you have not yet returned your contribution or permission slip we need it in school as soon as possible. The initial letter asked for contributions to be paid by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March at the latest. Thank you for your support in this matter.





## World Book Day 2019 Winners

### Education Penalty Notice Warning for Non School Attendance

Lowton J & I are passionate about providing your children with the very best education and it is vitally important to us that each child arrives on time and ready to learn.

The key notes to mention about our policies are that if your child falls within one or more of the following categories within a 12-week period you may receive a penalty notice: -

- 10 sessions (5 days) of unauthorised absence with under 90% attendance
- 20 sessions (10 days) of unauthorised absence
- persistently arrives late to school after the close of registration

We totally understand that you may be late on the odd occasion and it is only if this becomes a regular occurrence that it would become an issue.

At Lowton J & I we aim for all children to have 96% attendance or over.  
The school's overall attendances for each year group are:

Year Group	Last Week	Yearly Attendance to Date
Reception	97.33%	96.81%
Year 1	96.67%	96.19%
Year 2	96.33%	96.77%
Year 3	97.33%	96.56%
Year 4	97.27%	96.15%
Year 5	99.03%	96.34%
Year 6	95.81%	96.58%

### Dates for your diary



Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Y6 trip to Quarry Bank Mill
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	LOGOS Let's Sing Evening
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2 trip to Martin Mere
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Mothers' Day Assembly 9.00am
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	PTFA Non-uniform day – Easter egg donations for the Easter Eggstravaganza
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Parents' Evening
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Parents' Evening
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	HH Kids in school to work with Y5s
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Pupil of the Term Assembly 9.00am
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	PTFA Easter Eggstravaganza in school 3.30-5.00pm
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	School closes for Easter holidays
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	INSET DAY school closed to pupils
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	School reopens to pupils at 8.45am
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> April – Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Y5 Outdoor Education week at Hinning House
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	School closed to pupils as being used as Polling Station
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	School closed – Early May Bank Holiday
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	The Book Bus at school
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> May	KS2 SATs week

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