



**Lowbrook**  
Academy

**WELCOME TO**

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**MRS BROWN MRS DIN**  
**MISS BUNCE**

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TO YEAR 5!



# COVID 19 MEASURES

- We continue to have measures in place to ensure your children and the staff are safe here at Lowbrook.
- The children wash or sanitise their hands frequently throughout the day.
- We are cleaning frequently touched surfaces more regularly during the day, such as tables, door handles, ipads etc
- Toilets are cleaned at lunchtime.
- Homework will mainly be set online.
- Sanitiser is provided in all classrooms and bins positioned in the best possible place to encourage the 'Catch it, Bin it, Kill it' method.
- Windows and doors are all open as much as possible to increase ventilation in classrooms. CO2 monitors in all classrooms.
- Full risk assessment is available on the website.

# CURRICULUM AREAS / DOMAINS

- Language, Oracy and Literacy
- Mathematics
- Science and Technology
- Place and Time
- Arts and Creativity
- Physical and Emotional Health
- Citizenship and Ethics
- Faith and Belief



# P4C- PHILOSOPHY CIRCLES

- An enquiry based approach to open up children's learning through the exploration of ideas.
- Gives children the possibility of seeing that their ideas have value and that others have different ideas that have value too.
- Builds confidence, gives children a voice and can improve reading skills in terms of reading for understanding.

# REWARDS AND SANCTIONS

## Rewards:

- Praise
- Clap in class
- Stickers
- Team Points
- Extended Golden Time

## Sanctions:

- Verbal warning
- Minutes off Break time
- Minutes off Golden Time

# HOMWORK

- Homework will be set on Google classroom and is expected to be completed on time:
- Maths-My Maths will be set every Friday and is due in the following Thursday. In addition, the children learn competencies and times tables .
- Homework will always reflect what we are working on in class.
- There will also be spellings to learn every week. Given out on Friday and tested on following Friday.
- Reading-Comprehension will be given out on Friday and due back on Monday.

# HOMWORK

All children should also read at home every night to an adult who should ask their child questions on the text and sign their reading records Daily.

Please ensure your child is reading a variety of different texts and genres.

Reading Records are just for reading comments and other communication should now be through email to the school office.



# BREAKFAST & AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB

- Breakfast club is £4.00 from 8am.
- After school club is until 5.00 p.m. at the cost of £8.00
- In Year 5 children can be released to go home on their own if the school has received your written permission.
- We would just like to remind you if children are going to be picked by people other than yourselves, they will only be allowed to go if the school has received an email for that day.
- Please email the school by 8:30 am if there is any change to the end of day arrangements.

# HANDWRITING

- We are continuing to focus on neat handwriting and presentation of work. All children should be writing in a cursive style (looped 'y', 'g', 'j').
- It would be greatly appreciated if you could support this at home by encouraging the correct pen grip and highlighting the importance of presentation for homework etc.

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# P.E.

The class will have two PE lessons per week.

This term, P.E. will take place on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Children should arrive on these days in their kits and when weather is bad bring a change of shoes.

All children run the Daily Mile.

# WATER BOTTLES



Children need a water bottle daily.

# COMMUNICATION

- It is very important that the children feel they can talk to their teachers if they have a worry.
- If Parents or Carers have any concerns, we are happy to see you either before or after school when all the children have been collected, please make an appointment through the office or alternatively email your concerns for our attention.

If anybody has any questions or queries about anything, please do not hesitate to ask!

