

Bowerham Update



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Poppies

As part of our Poverty Proofing initiative, every child will be given a poppy so that everyone is included and treated equally. This means there's no need to worry about extras like slap bands or other items.

If you'd like to make a donation towards the Poppy Appeal, please send it into school in a **labelled envelope**.

Thank you so much for your support and kindness.

Flu Immunisation

We now have a date for the flu immunisations for children from age 3 to 11. These will take place in school the morning of Friday **21st November**. More information and how to consent can be found [Flu Immunisations - Nursery Age 3 to Year 6 - Bowerham School](#) **Please note the link for this closes on Wednesday 12th November therefore after this date you will not be able to book your child on the programme.**

Children In Need

It's Children in Need Day **Friday 14th November**. All children in school will be given the opportunity to come to school in non-school uniform! In return, please can we ask your child to bring in a £1 donation for Children in Need.

Present Room Non-Uniform Day

We are holding whole school non-uniform day **Monday 24th November** Please send in any item suitable for our Present Room so the children can go shopping. Please don't go out spending your money – delve deep into the back of your cupboards and see what unused items/presents are there.

Teacher Led Clubs

Our teacher-led clubs finish week commencing **24th November** for this term. Due to the dark nights and winter weather these will re-start after February half-term. Keep a watch out on ParentApp after Christmas.

🎄 Christmas Jumper Swap Shop 🎄

Why not **renew, recycle, or reuse** this festive season? If you or your child have any Christmas jumpers that no longer fit or are no longer worn, we'd love your donations!

We're collecting jumpers in preparation for **Christmas Jumper Day on 28th November** and for families to enjoy throughout the Christmas season. Please drop any jumpers off at the **school office**.

From **the week commencing 17th November**, we will have a **rail outside the main school office** where you can come and **help yourself** to a jumper.

There's **no cost** for these – but any donations are always welcome and will go towards **supporting our families**.

Thank you for helping us spread a little Christmas cheer whilst being kind to our planet and each other! 🍷❤️

Applying for School Places for September 2026

If your child is in their last year of pre-school/nursery you can now apply for their primary school place at:

www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

(Please note there will be no paper application forms sent out) It is quick and easy – and you will receive email confirmation of your application. You must apply even if you already have siblings at your preferred school. The closing dates for applications for September 2026 are 11.59pm on:

- 15 January 2026 for Primary school applications

Panto Trip

The Christmas season is fast approaching, and part of our themed activities is the ever-exciting theatre visit to watch the pantomime! This year we are going to the Lowther Pavilion for their performance of Peter Pan. Details as follows:

- Who: children in Reception – Yr. 6
- Where: Lowther Pavilion, Lytham
- When: Monday 1st December
- Times: We will be departing school at 8.30am prompt and be back for approximately 1.00pm
- Cost: £17.50. Please can this be paid via ParentPay by Friday 28th November.

If your child is not going to the performance, they will still have to be in school that morning – if your child is NOT going to the panto can you please write a note in your child's reading record by Friday 21st November.

Christmas Performances

Date	Event	Time	Location
Monday 1st December	Nursery Nativity	2.00pm & 5.00pm	Lower Hall
Tuesday 2nd December	KS2 Christmas Service	9.30am	St. Thomas' Church
Tuesday 2nd December	Reception Nativity	2.00pm & 5.00pm	Lower Hall
Wednesday 3rd December	Yr.2 Nativity	2.00pm & 5.00pm	Lower Hall
Thursday 4th December	Year 1 Christmas Singing Performance	2.00pm	Lower Hall

Inset Day

School will be closed **Friday 5th December** for Inset Day. We re-open on Monday 8th December.

Bowerham School Foundation

We've had some great fundraising thanks to our supporters on #easyfundraising! If you're not signed up yet, please join today and raise free donations every time you shop online. Sign up to support us

today: <https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/bowerham-school-foundation/inriab/c2s/FZ9Up2Ac/CE957/facebook/>

The Gift Aid declaration has now been amended to make it easier to complete.

The link to the declaration form and more information can be found on the Bowerham School Foundation page on our website: <https://www.bowerham.lancs.sch.uk/bowerham-school-foundation/>

Community Noticeboard

Don't forget to look at our Community Noticeboard – this is where we put links to interesting clubs, fun things to do and local events happening outside of school.

[Community Noticeboard - Bowerham School](#)

Online Safety

Please look at our Online Safety Newsletters and other valuable advice / tips:

[Online Safety - Bowerham School](#)