

Lowbrook Academy Reporting to Parents July 2020

We use the National Curriculum objectives to assess outcomes for children at the end of each curriculum year. Each subject area is reported in reference to two aspects.

Attainment

This measures your child's performance against National Curriculum Expectations of what a child should be able to achieve in a given subject and in a given age group.

This grade represents the overall teacher assessment for work completed up until March 2020 when the school went into lockdown.

WTS	Working Towards The Expected Age Related Standards
EXP	Working At The Expected Age Related Standards
GDS	Working at Greater Depth Within The Expected Age Related Standards

As a school, we recognise the impact of the lockdown in pausing formal schooling on all children's education across the country. Once schools are formally able to open, we will implement programmes and support to ensure that your child makes good progress and continues to achieve positive outcomes.

One of the main priorities for us as a school is to support and guard the emotional, mental, physical and spiritual well-being of our community. Research of groups of children that needed to suddenly be taken out of school for an extended time (Christchurch Earthquakes and Hurricane Katrina) shows that children's learning is not impacted in the long term when priority is given to their wellbeing. Therefore, we are committed to ensuring this remains a focus in the new academic year.

Attitude To Learning

This is a summation of the concentration, presentation of work, oral contribution in class, and general attitude to learning exhibited by your child in class prior to lockdown.

4	Highly motivated and resourceful.	2	Inconsistent effort / room for improvement.
3	Well-motivated and engaged.	1	Cause for concern.

Please note that in line with guidance from the Department for Education and following the cancellation of the 2019 to 2020 national curriculum assessments, it has not been possible to include the outcomes of key stages 1 and 2 tests or teacher assessments in this year's reports. Neither is it possible to report pupils' attendance data because of the impact of coronavirus on possible attendance.

Please complete the Parent's Home School Reporting section of the school report, take a copy for your own records and return the original report back to Lowbrook Academy, The Fairway, Cox Green, Maidenhead, Berkshire, SL6 3AR. Should you wish to discuss your child's report further, please tick here: