

Friday February 7th 2025

WEEKLY NEWS

<https://www.glebeprimary.co.uk>

Our Nurture, Inspire and Challenge characters.



School Motto:

We nurture and inspire others and challenge ourselves. Be brave, be kind and seize the day!



EYFS

Nursery Pear Class- Teddy C, for lovely rainbow artwork this week.

Apple- Sienna W, for incredible reading!

Cherry- Theo G, for fantastic conversation!

Y1

Monkey Puzzle- Sonny W, for great teamwork.

Beech- Violet W, for working really hard on learning independence.

Y2

Hornbeam- Wyatt W, for contributing great ideas to class in PHSE lessons.

Willow- Elijah M, for growth in his confidence and independence.

Pine- Darcey P-C, for fantastic efforts towards her handwriting.

Y3

Alder- Harmony P, for being determined with her maths learning.

Lime- Finn H, for excellent effort with his writing.

Elm- Herbie J, for being determined to achieve his goals.

Y4

Cedar- Florence S, for always showing the NIC values, with kindness.

Birch- Molly A, displaying resilience and a great attitude.

Sycamore- Millie B-C, for excellent focus when working out perimeter.

Y5

Magnolia- Harry L, for fantastic focus in Science and Topic lessons.

Oak- Aletta C, for being a great role-model for our NIC values.

Holly- Austin B, for showing positive teamwork skill in topic lessons.

Y6

Hazel- Isobelle H, for great perseverance in maths this week.

Juniper- Logan K, for his fantastic effort with his handwriting.

Star certificates and stickers will be given out in next week's Star assembly.



Best Class Attendance Awards

Week 4, Spring 1

Classes over 97%:

Y4 Sycamore Class and Y1 Beech Class

Whole school attendance 95.2%- thankyou and good news for children's learning and school engagement!



LKS2 Most Correct Answers

Cemre Y

Lincoln T

Esme D

LKS2 Most Improved

Florence S

Martinos M

Olly M

UKS2 Most Improved

Theo T

Lacey C

Lilly H

UKS2 Most Correct Answers

Millie L

Gabriella P

Jenson S

Whole School Effort

Grace P

Joshua H

Cemre Y

FOOTBALL REPORT

The year 5/6 boys played against St. Nicolas & St. Mary Primary on Tuesday, which turned out to be a thrilling match! All of the boys showed great determination by coming back from 3-5, to drawing the match 5-5. A last-minute stunning goal from Thomas B secured the draw. Well done! Mr. Hance and Mr. White

Headteacher message

Dear parents and carers,

We have had a great week of learning and children are really getting involved in their new Spring topics. On Tuesday we had our Lockdown drill and that ran very smoothly. The children were all very sensible. We also had a Library Service audit this week; when they came to check all of our reading book stock in classrooms. This will help us to make sure we have a good balance and range of books around the school for the children. Y2 started their swimming lessons very positively on Thursday, well done to them.

I hope you have now seen our Survey Report, emailed to you, and can see we have an action on seeking more after school clubs for children to expand their interests and skills. We have been working on seeking some more opportunities for some time so this action fits in well with the school's plans. Here are some new opportunities for children:

Super-Star Science Club for Y3 to Y5

Art Academy for Y3 and Y4 (age group will change each half term)

Lego Club for Y1

Limelight Dance Club for Y6

Forest School Club will soon offer three clubs per week! (in the planning stage currently)

Library Time- 2 clubs Y3/4 and Y5/6.

We are not able to offer all clubs for free due to costs involved.

Clubs we've had for a while:

TTRS for Y4

Netball

Girls and Boys Football clubs (upper school)

Russell Martin Football Academy Y4/5/6 boys (external provider)

Young Voices (finishes with the show each year)

PLAY, our childcare provider, also offer after school opportunities at Glebe (please see below).

We will keep you updated on any further initiatives.

Please see information about the Disco events next week.

Best wishes

Mrs. Crutchfield

PTA Disco Events:

Wednesday 12th February

YR – 3.00-3.45pm *

**The Disco is not suitable for our Nursery children.*

Please pick up from usual classrooms in YR after the Disco- Apple and Cherry classrooms, via the Church Lane entrance.

Thursday 13th February PTA Disco event

Y1-Y2 – 3.00-4.00pm

Y3-Y4 - 4.15-5.15pm

Yr 5-Y6 - 5.30-6.30pm

-Please pay for a ticket via the online payment system in advance of the event your child is attending.

-Children must not bring phones to the event.

-Children must all be collected. No walking home alone please. The school needs to know in advance if someone else is picking your child up (let the office know).

-All children to be picked up from the sports hall please on 13th

Hi Everyone,

Here is some information from the **PLAY** team:

<https://www.plaype.co.uk/glebe> this is the link to the Glebe webpage of the PLAY website, you can see all the details for Breakfast club, after school club and holiday club. Please click the link and you'll find all the details and a booking form. **Breakfast club costs £4.50 per session for advance bookings and £5.50 for adhoc.**

After school club:

-4pm pick up £6 per session for advance bookings and £7 for adhoc.

-4.30pm pick up £8 per session for advance bookings and £9 for adhoc.

-6pm pick up £12.50 per session for advance bookings and £14 for adhoc. This also includes a hot meal for dinner.

Each day we offer a different activity and try and incorporate dodgeball, bench-ball, nerf, football, basketball, hockey etc. but these are no longer on set days per week. There are also games, arts and crafts and a multitude of activities for the

children to choose from. We do have Gymnastics club running on a Thursday after school weekly which can be booked as a stand-alone club (same prices and booking form as above).

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EVENTS:

Y4 Parent meeting Fri 14th Feb at 8:30am in the sports hall (info letter sent out- MTC focus).

Half term Friday 14th February

Back to school Monday 24th February

Mon 24th Feb Author visit for Y3 to Y6 Jenny McLachlan.

Week of 3rd March Parent Meeting Week. Bookings open.

Friday 7th March World Book Day (dress up day for all)

Friday 14th March Red Nose Day (wear something red with uniform).

Friday 21st March Y2 Skipping event.

24th, 25th and 26th March 1.45pm each day Y4 Performance for Parents- Sports Hall (bookings will open nearer the time).

Monday 31st March Sponsored Walk/Run Day- all to wear PE kit today. Sponsor forms to be sent home nearer the time.

Monday 31st March Topic Share after school- come and share children's books and learning in class. Finishes 4.30pm.

Friday 4th April PTA events: KS2 Egg decorating competition & EYFS/KS1 Easter Bonnet competition.

Easter holidays Friday 4th April

Back to school Tuesday 22nd April

May 12th to 15th Y6 SAT's week.

W/O 19/5 National Walk to School Week

Half term Friday 23rd May

Back to school Tuesday 3rd June

11th to 13th June Y6 Residential Trip to Kent

Saturday 28th June PTA Summer Fair! 11am to 3pm.

Monday 7th July Topic Share after school Finishes 4.30pm.

Summer holidays Friday 18th July.

Next Academic Year:

Autumn Term 1 2025

Autumn term starts for children: Thurs 4th September 2025

Oct half term for children: Thurs 23rd October 2025

Autumn Term 2

Back to school for all: Mon 4th November 2025

Christmas hol's for children: Thurs 19th December 2025

Spring Term 1

Spring term starts for children: Tues 6th Jan 2026

Half term for children: Thursday 12th Feb 2026

Spring Term 2

Back to school for all: Mon 23rd Feb 2026

Easter hol's for children: Fri 27th March 2026

Summer term 1

Summer term for all: Monday 13th April 2026

Half term for children: Thursday 22nd May 2026

Summer Term 2

Back to school for all: Mon 1st June 2026

Summer hol's for children: Fri 17th July 2026