

Friday February 28th 2025

WEEKLY NEWS

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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- Bobby B, for great model making projects.

Apple- Zach J, for being kind and helpful.

Cherry- Matei H, for fantastic writing in phonics sessions.

Y1

Monkey Puzzle- Mabel N, for showing care towards other children in class.

Beech- Lemony B-W, for improved handwriting and great team work!

Y2

Hornbeam- Ollie C, for being so knowledgeable on our new topic- The Great Fire of London!

Willow- Holly G, for working hard on her handwriting and presentation.

Pine- Aliyah M, for always challenging herself in maths.

Y3

Alder- Nellie M, for always working hard in her learning.

Lime- Delilah-Rose S-M, for excellent behaviour and for being helpful to the class.

Elm- Alfie H, for working hard in his learning.

Y4

Cedar- Ruby D, for fantastic ideas for instructional writing. A star!

Birch- Isla-Rose C, for being a ray of sunshine and a star Glebie!

Sycamore- George P, for excellent focus on simplifying fractions.

Y5

Magnolia- Etta Y, for fantastic explanation in maths lessons.

Oak- Lilly H, for being an amazing space buggy engineer!

Holly- Sienna N, for showing resilience and success with fractions.

Y6

Hazel- Daisy M, for stunning independent writing this week.

Juniper- Georgia P, for her fantastic effort in maths this week.

Star certificates and stickers will be given out after half term.



Best Class Attendance Awards

Week 6, Spring 1

Classes over 97%:

Y4 Sycamore Class and Y1 Beech Class.

Whole school attendance 95.3%- thankyou and good news for children's learning and school engagement!



LKS2 Most Correct Answers

Cassius W

Farhan O

Skyler K

LKS2 Most Improved

Ethan S

Henry M

Freya A

UKS2 Most Improved

Odin T

Scarlett R

Skye K

UKS2 Most Correct Answers

Olivia C

Isobel G

Robyn W

Whole School Effort

Cassius W

Skyler K

Farhan O

Well done Max !



On Saturday 22nd February Max passed his 1st black belt in kickboxing. Max started training in January 2020 so a long journey and he persevered even when the training got hard. Excellent effort Max!



Name our Forest School and Yurt!

Bodh, our new Forest School Leader, has asked the children to come up with possible names for the Forest School and for the Yurt. A Logo would be nice also. There is a box and slips of paper by the office for children to come along and add their ideas. These can also be sent in via email to the office or handed in on paper (please add name/class).

Headteacher message

Dear parents and carers,
Welcome back and I hope everyone had a good half term break. We've had a settled and engaged first week back.

During the half term break Mr. Williams, our Premises Manager, and his team upgraded the corridor at the back of the school. It looks very fresh and much brighter with decoration and a new non-slip flooring.



We have been successful in a bid for some new tech and have upgraded old classroom screens and computers in most classrooms. In addition, we have moved away from an outdated server and are now Cloud based. It was a busy half term! United Learning have supported us in upgrading IT and they have given teachers up to date training in how to make best use of classroom technology to support learning. Miss. Trillwood, our Digital Strategy leader, has been supporting staff and bringing us up to date.

Thanks to Mr. Miller for organising an author visit this week from popular author Jenny McLachlan. Two children have told me they have read her book in one week as it was so good!

Spring is in the air!
Best wishes
Mrs. Crutchfield

EVENTS:

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

**Friday 7th March World Book Day (dress up day for all- book character theme).
Parade for Parents/ Carers 8.40am.**

Weds 12th March Y3/Y4 to wear PE kit to school- Tag Rugby fun lessons with Shoreham Rugby Club.
Thurs 13th March Y5/Y6 to wear PE kit to school – Tag Rugby fun lessons with Shoreham Rugby Club.
Thursday 13th March Whole School Science afternoon.
Friday 14th March Red Nose Day: wear one red thing/ item of clothing or a red nose with normal school uniform today for a donation to the RND charity appeal.
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 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: Bonnet/ hat parade 8.40am for Nursery to Y2 parents/carers. Eggs will be on display in classrooms. Easter Egg prizes from the PTA.
Easter holidays Friday 4th April

Back to school Tuesday 22nd April

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

Friday 16th May School Council Sponsored Walk Event raising money for a new pond and wildlife area. Everyone to wear PE kit to school today. Sponsor forms to go out in May.

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

Glebe's Instagram page is live!

You can find us at @GlebePrimarySchool.

https://www.instagram.com/glebeprimaryschool?igsh=MXUzOHM0eWlxNXNuMw%3D%3D&utm_source=qr

Please also see our PTA Instagram page:

www.instagram.com/glebeprimarypta

Glebe Parent/Carer, Baby & Toddler Group

Please join us in the Sports Hall Wednesdays 10am to 11am for our weekly Parent/Carer, Baby & Toddler Group run by our school nursery teacher Miss. Ioakeim and volunteers. Please enter and leave via the Church Lane office entrance



Pear Tree Nursery tours



Our Nursery is growing and proving highly popular. Feedback from parents and children is very positive. If you are interested in a Nursery place for your child then please contact the office who can arrange tours for you and stay and play visits with the class teacher. Our Nursery is open for children to join after their 3rd birthday, we open for school hours and vouchers are accepted. **Please book a tour and apply for places via the office team**

