



Glaisdale Primary School

Newsletter
22/09/2023

Dear Families and Friends,

Moors School

Due to Harvest Festival and some other school events, our future Moors School sessions will take place on:
Thurs 19th October Thurs 26th October

We will remind you of these nearer the time through our newsletter and Class Dojo.

Harvest Festival

You will have received a poster inviting you to our community Harvest Festival being held at Church on Thursday 28th September (2.00pm). All parents and family members are welcome to join us. Children are also welcome to be collected by parents at the end of the service from the Church (all other children not collected will still be taken back to school – although please see below regarding Sports Club cancellation).

To strengthen our links with the local community, this service will also be open to members of the community and be led by our new Reverend, Anthony Bennett.

Sports Club – Thursday 28th September

Due to Harvest Festival, there will be no after-school Sports Club on Thursday 28th September.

Class Dojo

Thank you to all the parents that have joined their child's class on the app 'Class Dojo'. Please can we encourage all remaining parents to join this, as we will be using this to keep you up-to-date with developments and your child's progress in school, eventually moving away from Facebook (except for key celebrations, events and awards).

Pre-Loved Uniform

We would like to hold another uniform swap this term. If you have any donations of unwanted uniform that is in good condition, please bring this to school. Thank you in advance.

Have a great weekend,
Mr Cooper

Stars of the Week:

Explorers: Erin - for setting a great example in class and her lovely handwriting!
Adventurers: Jack – excellent maths skills and acing his question time all week!

Attendance: Our attendance this week was: 93.4%

Our attendance this year: 94.0%

National average for this year: 95.0%



Headteacher timetable for upcoming week	
Mon	am – Glaisdale pm – Castleton
Tues	am – Glaisdale pm – Oakridge
Weds	Castleton all day
Thurs	am – Castleton pm – Glaisdale
Fri	am – Glaisdale pm – Castleton (TBC)

Next Week's Events

Monday	PE – both classes (please arrive in PE kit/footwear) Adventurers Cross-Country
Tuesday	No events
Wednesday	Gardening Club (lunchtime) Art Club (3.30-4.30pm)
Thursday	Harvest Festival (2pm in Church) Children can be collected straight after the service from the church. No Sports Club
Friday	PE – Chance to Shine Cricket Sessions – both classes (please arrive in PE kit/footwear) Girls Football Event

Term Dates - 2023/24

- ~~Staff Training Day – Monday 4th September 2023~~
- ~~Staff Training Day – Tuesday 5th September 2023~~
- ~~First day of Autumn Term – Wednesday 6th September 2023~~
- Half Term - Monday 30th October to Friday 3rd November 2023
- Staff Training Day - Friday 15th December 2023
- Last day of Autumn Term - Friday 22nd December 2023
- First Day of Spring Term – Monday 8th January 2024
- Half Term - Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February 2024
- Staff Training Day - Friday 15th March 2024
- Last day of Spring Term - Friday 22nd March 2024
- First day of Summer Term - Monday 8th April 2024
- Bank Holiday – Monday 6th May 2024
- Half Term - Monday 27th May to Friday 31st 2024
- Staff Training Day – Friday 12th July 2024
- Last day of Summer Term - Monday 22nd July 2024
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Training days for staff when the children will not be in school are as follows:
Friday 15 December 2023; Friday 15 March 2024; Friday 12 July 2024



Future Dates

September

28/09: Harvest Festival
29/09: Girls Football Event

October

05/10: Key Stage 2 Trip to Eden Camp
12/10: Tub-up Music Workshop (parent volunteers may be required)
19/10: Moors School
24/10: Adventurers Paralympian visit at Oakridge School
26/10: Moors School
26/10: Parents Evening

Later in the Year

20/03-22/03 – Year 3/4 Peat Rigg Visit
13/05-17/05 – Year 6 SATs Week
10/06-14/06 – Year 1 Phonics Screen Week
22/07 – YEAT Arts Extravaganza

Please avoid booking term time holidays, especially during assessment weeks.

