



Glaisdale Primary School

20/09/2024

Dear Families and Friends,

Parents Evening

Parents Evening for this half term is now confirmed as Thursday 17th October for both Explorer and Adventurer Class children. Early next week, appointments will become available via MCAS where you can book in to see how your child has settled into their relevant class. If you have any issues, please contact the school office.

School Timings

A polite reminder that the school doors open at 8.50am on a morning and close at 9.00am, with anyone after this time going down as late on the register. If a child is five minutes late every day to school, this equates to over three days of valuable learning each year, so please ensure that your child arrives in good time.

Cross Country

Some of our KS2 children will be travelling to Whitby School on Thursday to represent the school in the local school cross country competition. One of our oaths at Glaisdale is to '*represent the school*' and this is a fantastic way of doing this with many other children in the area.

Swimming

Our first swimming session of the year is this Tuesday afternoon. As our sessions are in the afternoon this year, please can children come to school in their uniform as usual with their swimwear in a bag, along with a towel. If you have any questions regarding swimming, please ask me on the school gate.

Water Bottles

Following a fantastic suggestion from our School Council, we have now purchased every child in the school a water bottle to keep in school. As a result of this, children do not need to bring their own water bottle into school anymore.

Adventurers Stone/Bronze Age visit

Next Friday, our Adventurer Class will be going across to Castleton Primary School to experience a fantastic Stone/Bronze Age workshop. This links fantastically with our learning in History, as at the moment, we are learning all about life in these times.

Bikeability

On Thursday, Year 5 and 6 will take part in an important workshop of cycle/road safety with trained instructors from North Yorkshire Council. Permission forms and other safety checklists have been sent home with children. Please return these as soon as possible.

Local Artist Visit

We have had a fantastic day today with Heather Goodwill, a local artist, who has helped us create a mural of our beautiful village. This mural will be displayed outside school. Thank you to everyone who took pictures and sent them in.



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KS2 East Barnby Trip

Thanks to our fantastic PTFA, Adventurer Class will be going rock climbing and beck scrambling on Tuesday 15th October. Consent Forms will be coming home shortly so please get these filled in and back as soon as possible.

Harvest Festival

Our annual Harvest Festival is booked for Friday 25th October at 2.00pm down in the village church. It would be amazing to see as many of you there as possible.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr Wood

Acting Head of School

Attendance: Our attendance this week was: 90.6%

Our attendance this year: 93.3%

National average for last year: 94.5%

Stars of the Week:

Headteacher – Evanie – Wonderful contributions to class discussion and always giving 100%!

Explorer – Edith- For her growing independence, especially in her maths work!

Raine – Fantastic work in maths, showing brilliant reasoning and problem-solving skills!

Headteacher/Head of School timetable for upcoming week		
	Mr Cooper	Mr Wood
Mon	Castleton am – Goathland pm	Glaisdale all day
Tues	am – Castleton pm – Lythe	Glaisdale all day
Weds	Meetings all day	Glaisdale am – Airy Hill pm
Thurs	Lythe am – Castleton pm	Glaisdale am – Sporting Event pm
Fri	Castleton am – Glaisdale pm	Castleton am – Glaisdale pm

Admin (Mrs Gray) timetable		
Mon	Castleton	Glaisdale
Tues	Castleton all day	
Weds	Glaisdale all day	
Thurs	Castleton	Glaisdale
Fri	Glaisdale	Castleton

Next Week's Events





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Monday 16th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PE with AW
Tuesday 17th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swimming (1)
Wednesday 18th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moors School • Lego Club – lunchtime • French lessons (pm) • Arts & Crafts Club (LM & VS)
Thursday 19th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Y5/6 Bikeability • KS2 Cross-Country • Sports Club – 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Friday 20th September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adventurers @ Castleton for a Stone/Bronze Age Morning • Music lessons with Miss Lillie • Chance to Shine Cricket – Both classes

Safeguarding Statement

Yorkshire Endeavour Academy Trust and Glaisdale School are committed to ensuring the safety and welfare of all children. If you have any concerns regarding this, please contact one of our designated safeguarding leads (listed below). For significant and immediate concerns, please contact the police on 999. For concerns that are not immediate, please contact the North Yorkshire Council Emergency Duty Team: 0300 131 2 131.

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mr Olly Cooper (01947 897218 or 01287 660496 or headteacher.cg@yeat.co.uk)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mr Andrew Wood (01947 897218 or awood.glaisdale@yeat.co.uk)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: Rowan Mitchell (01947 897218) or rmitchell.glaisdale@yeat.co.uk)

Safeguarding Governor: Mrs Anna Harrison (01947 897218 or aharrison.cgl@yeat.co.uk)

Future Dates

September

24/09: Swimming

25/09: Moors School

26/09: Y5/6 Bikeability

26/09: KS2 Cross Country

27/09: KS2 Stone Age Morning @ Castleton

October

01/10 - KS1 Multi-Skills

08/10 - Swimming

08/10 - Y5/6 Boys Football

09/10 - Moors School

10/10 - Taiko Drumming Workshop

11/10 - KS2 Rugby Mega-Fest

15/10 - Adventurers East Barnby Trip

07/10-18/10: Parents' evenings

17/10: Y6 trip to Whitby Secondary School and Archives

18/10 - KS2 Rugby Tournament

22/10 - Swimming

22/10 - PTFA Halloween Party

23/10: Individual Photos

24/10 - Moors School

25/10 - Harvest Festival

25/10: End of half-term

Future Diary Dates

26/03-28/03: Y5/6 Peat Rigg
12/05-16/05: Y6 SATs Week
02/06-13/06: Y4 Multiplication Check
04/06: School photos
June: Y1 phonics screening

Remaining Term Dates 2024/25

- Half Term - Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November 2024
- Staff Training Day - Friday 13th December 2024
- Last day of Autumn Term - Friday 20th December 2024
- First Day of Spring Term – Monday 6th January 2025
- Half Term - Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2025
- Staff Training Day - Friday 21st March 2025
- Last day of Spring Term - Friday 4th April 2025
- First day of Summer Term – **Tuesday 22nd April 2025**
- Bank Holiday – Monday 5th May 2025
- Half Term - Monday 26th May to Friday 30th 2025
- Last day of Summer Term - Monday 21st July 2025
- Staff Training Day – Tuesday 22nd July 2025

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

