



# Newsletter

## Glaisdale Primary School

05/09/2025



Dear Families and Friends,

### Welcome Back

We're so pleased to welcome everyone back to school after a fun-filled summer break! It's been wonderful to see the children return with such enthusiasm and positivity. They have settled back into routines beautifully, and the school is already buzzing with energy and learning. A warm welcome to our new starters in Reception and all families new to our school. Here's to a fantastic term ahead!

### Leadership Arrangements

You should have received a separate communication from Mr Cooper outlining the leadership arrangements for the start of term. Mr Cooper will continue to provide leadership support on a regular basis for West Cliff Primary Schools whose headteacher remains absent. To facilitate this, Mrs Barber will continue in her role as Teacher-in-Charge but will be provided with more time to assume some of Mr Cooper's responsibilities. Mr Cooper will remain the school's Executive Headteacher, visiting regularly and in constant communication with the Glaisdale team, to ensure the school continues to move forward.

### Term Dates 2026/2027

Alongside the term dates for this year, we have also confirmed our term dates for the following academic year 2026/2027. You may find these useful for arranging any future holidays. Please ensure that all holidays take place outside of term time. Please also avoid any absence during assessment weeks (also listed below).

### Uniform

We are so impressed with how smart our children have looked this week in their Glaisdale uniforms- it really sets a good tone for the school year ahead. Thank you for your support in ensuring that our children arrive ready to learn and represent the school with pride. The full uniform expectations can be found on our website, <https://www.glaisdaleprimaryschool.co.uk/for-parents-and-carers/uniform/> or you can contact the school office with any questions.

### Clubs

After school clubs will commence next week. They will run on a Wednesday and Thursday after school until 4.30pm. These clubs will be bookable by Microsoft forms which will have already been emailed to you. Please complete the form as soon as possible if your child is wishing to attend this provision. We kindly ask that once your child signs up for a club, they attend regularly. This is important so that staff can plan effectively for each session. If your child is unable to attend a session for any reason, please inform the school in advance wherever possible.

### Swimming

Swimming sessions begin on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September and will be every fortnight. Swimming dates for the half term can be found at the bottom of this newsletter. Please ensure that your child brings their full swimming kit on these dates. Their swimming kit should include: a swimsuit/ swimming shorts, a towel and goggles (if your child requires them). A reminder that long hair must be tied up on swimming days.

### School Lunches

Please also find attached to this email our Autumn Term Menu.



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### Glaisdale Gallop

On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> September, a vibrant community trail race will be bringing together runners, families and local supporters. Starting and finishing at the Glaisdale Cricket Pitch, the scenic (approximately 6 mile course) explores some of the most beautiful areas in and around Glaisdale. Alongside the trail race, there will be a BBQ and a fun filled colour run for children. All proceeds will be donated to our school so please support this if you can. Further details can be found on our school social media page where we have shared this 'Mind over Moors' event.

### Parking safety reminder

For the safety of all our children and families, we kindly ask that you please be considerate of other drivers and pedestrians when parking at the bottom of the drive. As this is a busy area near the main road, we also encourage all parents/carers to keep children close and not allow them to run ahead. Thank you for helping us keep our school community safe.

### Flu Vaccinations

Please see the below message from the UK Vaccination team and the further attached information which you may find useful.

*"Dear Parent/Guardian,*

*Vaccination UK is attending your child's school to provide flu vaccinations.*

*For your child to receive their nasal flu vaccination in school, please complete a **YES** consent form using the **link below**. **The nasal spray is quick, painless and is the most effective option for under 18's.***

*If your child **cannot** have the nasal spray, the injectable flu vaccine is available, and you will be able to choose that method on the consent form.*

*If you **DO NOT** wish for your child to have a flu vaccination, please complete a **NO** consent via the same link :*

*[Vaccination UK Immunisation link](#) "*

Have a great weekend,

**Mrs Barber**

**Teacher-in-charge**

**Mr Cooper**

**Executive Headteacher**

### Attendance:

Our attendance this week was: 100% !! Fantastic 😊 let's keep this up.



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### Future Diary Dates

Please note: some of these events may still need to be confirmed.

### September

11/09: Moors School

16/09: Swimming/ Y5 Y6 Girls football

24/09-30/09: Book Fair in school

24/09; Y5/6 Boys football

26/09: Adventurers Cross Country Race 1

29/09: Y2-6 East Barnby Adventure Day

30/09: Swimming

02/10: Moors School

03/10: Y1/2 multi-sports

10/10: Adventurers Rugby festival

14/10: Swimming

16/10: Moors School

17/10: Y5/6 Tag Rugby

23/10: Harvest festival St Thomas'

24/10: Adventurers Cross Country Race 2

### Future Dates

11/05-14/05: Year 6 SATs Week

01/06-05/06: Year 4 Multiplication Check Week

08/06-12/06: Year 1 Phonics Screen Week

29/06-01/07: Year 3/4 Peat Rigg Trip

### Term Dates 2025/2026

- Half-term – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025
  - End of Autumn Term – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025
  - Training Day – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026
  - Half-term – Monday Half Term - Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2026
  - Staff Training Day - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026
  - Last day of Spring Term - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026
  - First day of Summer Term – Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2026
  - Bank Holiday – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026
  - Half Term - Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> 2026
  - Last day of Summer Term – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026
  - Staff Training Day – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026
- Please avoid booking term time holidays, especially during assessment weeks.*

### Term Dates 2026/2027

- Staff Training Day – Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2026
  - Staff Training Day – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2026
  - First day of Autumn Term – Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2026
  - Half-term – Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2026
  - End of Autumn Term – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2026
  - Training Day – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2027
  - Half-term – Monday Half Term - Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2027
  - Last day of Spring Term - Friday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2027
  - Staff Training Day – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2027
  - First day of Summer Term – Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2027
  - Bank Holiday – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2027
  - Half Term - Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May to Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2027
  - Last day of Summer Term – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2027
  - Staff Training Day – Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2027
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