



Newsletter

Glaisdale Primary School

12/09/2025

Dear Families and Friends,

Y5/6 Boys football tournament- Tuesday 23rd September

Our Y5/6 boys will be attending and taking part in a football tournament on Tuesday 16th September, alongside our friends from Castleton. They will need to wear their P.E kits (including trainers) to school and we will provide them with a team shirt and shinpads to wear. If they already have shinpads at home, then they can bring their own. Please ensure that your child has suncream applied (if the weather is kind), they have a sun cap and a waterproof jacket. The boys will return to school in time for the end of the usual school day (3.30pm). We wish them the best of luck as they represent our school.

Book Fair and Coffee Afternoon- Wednesday 24th September

We're excited to invite you to a special Book Fair and Coffee Afternoon here at Glaisdale Primary School on Wednesday 24th September 2.30-3.30pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to share a love of reading with your child in our relaxed and welcoming setting. Come along, enjoy a cup of coffee and spend some time browsing a fantastic selection of books together. All monies raised from the sale of refreshments will be donated to the Macmillan charity. If you see something you love, there will be a chance to purchase new books to enjoy at home. We hope this event will help embed our Glaisdale oath to 'Develop a love of reading'. We'd love to see you there!

Books will also be available to purchase from Thursday 25th September - Monday 29th September. Before school from 8.40am-9am and after school from 3.30pm-4pm.

Why not get some of your Christmas shopping done early? By purchasing books from our Book Fair, you will be helping to secure funding for some exciting new books for our school library.

We would greatly appreciate any donations of cakes/sweet treats for us to sell in aid of Macmillan to be brought to school on the day.

Adventurers (Y3-Y6) Cross-Country- Friday 26th September

The Adventurers will be taking part in a Cross-Country event on Friday 26th September. Please ensure your child/children comes to school with:

- Their full P.E kit (including suitable trainers).
- A waterproof coat in case of wet weather.

Children will return to school in time for the usual end of the day routine at 3.30pm.

Thank you for your support- we're looking forward to a great afternoon of sport and team spirit!

East Barnby Adventure day- Y2-Y6- Monday 29th September

We're looking forward to our exciting East Barnby Adventure Day coming up soon! Please make sure you read the information letter attached to the email sent out this week. It includes everything you need to know about what your child/children will need to bring on the day. We also kindly ask that you complete the Microsoft Form included below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/4xa55S5eFc>

It is essential to give consent for your child/children to take part and to inform us of your child's lunch choice. Thank you for your support in helping us prepare for a safe and successful day of adventure!



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Rights Respecting School Award-Bronze

We're excited to share that we have relaunched our journey towards becoming a Rights Respecting School, an initiative led by UNICEF that puts children's rights at the heart of school life.

We are now working towards achieving the Bronze: Rights Committed Award. As part of this, we have begun weekly assemblies focusing on a different article from the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child, helping our pupils understand their rights and the responsibilities that come with them.

We're proud to be developing a school culture where every child feels respected and valued.

Clubs

Do you have a hobby, skill or passion you'd love to share with our children? We're always looking to expand the range of clubs we offer and would be pleased to hear from any parents/carers who might be interested in running an after-school club. If this is something you'd be keen to get involved in, please get in touch via the school office.

Wraparound Questionnaire

For those of you who have not had chance to complete our questionnaire regarding wraparound care here is the link:

<https://forms.office.com/e/UY1UASX4mT>

I'd especially urge you to fill this in if you have a need for childcare before and after school. I understand that some parents will not require regular weekly childcare but may use this provision on occasion; if this is the case for you, then please answer no to questions 4 and 5 then write your circumstance/needs in the 'Any Further Comments' box at the bottom.

Contributions to transport for swimming

If you haven't already and feel that you are able to, please consider making a voluntary contribution towards the cost of transport to swimming lessons via MCAS.

Have a great weekend,

Mrs Barber
Teacher-in-charge

Mr Cooper
Executive Headteacher

Attendance:

Our attendance this week was: 96.6%

Our attendance this year: 98.9%

Class attendance winners: Years 1, 2, 3 and 5

★ Explorers ★

Star of the week- **Finn**- he has made an excellent return to school in Year 1. He is always ready to learn and is respectful to both staff and peers. Well done, Finn!

★ Adventurers ★

Star of the week- **Jack**- for an excellent start to his learning this year. He always strives to improve and takes on board advice to further his understanding. Well done, Jack!



Artsmark
Silver Award
Awarded by Arts
Council England





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Next Week's Events		
	In School	After School
Monday	PE – all students	
Tuesday	Football – Yr 5/6 Boys	
Wednesday	Book Fair/Coffee Afternoon- 2.30-3.30	Arts and Crafts Club – 3.30-4.30
Thursday	Music lessons	Gardening Club – 3.30-4.30
Friday	Adventurers Cross Country Race 1- Whitby School, Airy Hill site	

Future Diary Dates

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

September

23/09: Y5/6 Boys football
24/09-30/09: Book Fair in school
24/09: Book Fair/Coffee Afternoon
26/09: Adventurers Cross Country Race 1
29/09: Y2-6 East Barnby Adventure Day
30/09: Swimming

October

02/10: Moors School
03/10: Y1/2 multi-sports
09/10: UK Parliament Assembly
10/10: Adventurers Rugby festival
14/10: Swimming
15/10: Stay and play
16/10: Moors School
17/10: Y5/6 Tag Rugby
20/10: School photographs
23/10: Parents Evening
23/10: Harvest festival St Thomas'
24/10: Adventurers Cross Country Race 2

Future Dates

November

11/11: Remembrance Service at the War Memorial
11/11: Swimming- Explorers
11/11: Basketball-Adventurers
18/11: Flu vaccines
21/11: Adventurers Indoor Athletics

December

05/12: C&G Pantomime
09/12: Christmas Performance afternoon showing
10/12: Christmas Performance evening showing
12/12: Christmas singing for the Dalesfolk at the Robinson Institute
18/12: Carol service at St Thomas', Glaisdale

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



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Term Dates 2025/2026

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

Term Dates 2026/2027

- Staff Training Day – Monday 7th September 2026
 - Staff Training Day – Tuesday 8th September 2026
 - First day of Autumn Term – Wednesday 9th September 2026
 - Half-term – Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October 2026
 - End of Autumn Term – Friday 18th December 2026
 - Training Day – Monday 4th January 2027
 - Half-term – Monday Half Term - Monday 8th February to Friday 12th February 2027
 - Last day of Spring Term - Friday 19th March 2027
 - Staff Training Day – Monday 5th April 2027
 - First day of Summer Term – Tuesday 6th April 2027
 - Bank Holiday – Monday 5th May 2027
 - Half Term - Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June 2027
 - Last day of Summer Term – Friday 23rd July 2027
 - Staff Training Day – Monday 26th July 2027
- Please avoid booking term time holidays, especially during assessment weeks.*

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: Mrs Laura Barber (01947 897218 or lbarber.glaisdale@yeat.co.uk)

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

Safeguarding Governor: Mrs Jo Kevan (01287 660496 or jkevan@yeat.co.uk)