



♥ 'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community' ♥

17th October 2025 - Our "Value for life" is "Truthfulness".

The value of Truthfulness: "The truth will set you free". John 8:32



Head Teacher's Hello



Dear all

This week, our talented children have been busy creating beautiful pieces for our upcoming Black History Art Gallery, and we can't wait to welcome parents to share in this celebration of creativity and heritage. Looking ahead, Class 3's exhibition is just around the corner, and they've been working hard to prepare something truly special—don't miss it! We also hope to see everyone today at our Autumn BBQ and Bingo—eyes down for a fun-filled afternoon of food, laughter, and prizes.

A gentle reminder that our Harvest Church Service is next Friday, and we are collecting donations for the Warrington Food Bank. If each family could bring an item or two, it would make a big difference to those in need. As we come together in these joyful and generous moments, let us remember:

*"Let all that you do be done in **love**."* — 1 Corinthians 16:14.

Mrs Mowbray



We are a church school...
Exploring black History...

REFLECTION – BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Black history month was first launched in London in the 1980s, where the aim was for the local community to challenge racism and educate themselves and others about the British history that was not taught in schools. We are going to learn about that history every half term....

Can you think of how love never fails or how the Lord gives wisdom?

Lillian Bader we are proud of you.



Lillian Bader was born in 1918 in Liverpool and went on to become one of the very first black women to join the British Armed Forces. Starting out as a canteen assistant at an army base in Yorkshire, she eventually trained as an instrument repairer, before becoming a leading aircraftwoman and soon afterwards earning herself the rank of Corporal. Three generations of her family served in the armed forces. When she left the army to have children of her own, she retrained and got a degree from the University of London to become a teacher. We are proud of her.



Teaching a Knowledge rich curriculum

Week in pictures...

Nursery : Construction



Class 2: Reading



Class 3: Hydra-English



Class 4: Art



The HEART of our Curriculum:

H - Helping children prepare for life, growing with God.

E - Embracing Christian Values.

A - Achievement for all.

R - Reading at the heart of our school

T - Teaching a knowledge rich curriculum.

Our Trust's Prayer



Heavenly Father,
Let peace, friendship and love grow in our schools.
Send the Holy Spirit to give excellence to our learning,
love to our actions and joy to our worship.
Guide us to help others, so that we may all
Learn, Love and Achieve,
Together with Jesus.

Amen



Glazebury Governors

Chair of Governors – Dave Beechey

Head Teacher – Mrs K Mowbray

Staff Governor – Mr S Sharma

Parent Governor – Mrs A Wilcock

Parent Governor – Mrs J Morgan

Parent Governor – Mrs S Colbert

Foundation Governors – Sara Makepeace-Taylor, Stuart Roberts-Tighe, James Towey, Dave Clifton

If you wish to contact them, you can do so via the school email address:

glazeburyprimary@ldst.org.uk



Learn, Love and Achieve with Jesus ...

Our Vision and Values ...Part 2



Strategic Pillar and Aims	Pillars	Christian Distinctiveness and Character Education	Excellent Education	Achievement for All	People	
	We aim to	Live out our Christian values and develop future citizens who can contribute positively to a caring, compassionate nation.	Provide an inspirational curriculum and excellent teaching, rooted in evidence-informed practice, that enables our learners to acquire a deep body of knowledge and a zest for life-long learning.	Celebrate diversity, address inequality, overcome disadvantage and raise aspirations, so that all learners make excellent progress and fulfil their academic potential.	Be an employer of choice, through a people strategy that provides high-quality CPD, support and career pathways for all staff, so they can undertake their roles effectively in our inclusive learning community.	
Enablers – core systems and processes	Enablers	Evaluation and Strategy	Structure and Systems	Finance	Technology and Data	Operations
	We aim to embed	A clear, focused strategic plan based on robust self-evaluation and data.	Effective central policies and processes that ensure our schools receive the support they need	A sustainable financial strategy that optimises our resources for the benefit of all our learners.	Effective and efficient use of technology and data.	An aligned operating model which supports local leaders to undertake their roles.

'Peep into Glazebury History from Logbooks - We are in possession of our school logbooks that date back to July 8th 1873, before we were even in our school building in 1882. We thought we would share some of the accounts with you each week.

1908 April 16th – Very wet day school yard flooded on girls and infants portion, so that children had all to leave school by boy's entrance.

1908-July 1st – School closed for summer holidays until July 27th.

1908-October 15th- Warned the scholars who have to go home by train of the dangers of playing and running on the railway platform.





Data Collection



It is important that we hold accurate and up to date information on file for all our children. Please can I ask that you complete this data information at your earliest convenience. If you could complete by very latest **Friday 24th October** that would be useful so we can update our records. Many thanks in advance for your assistance. To access the form please follow the link:

<https://forms.office.com/e/UBES1jaILK>



Annual Data Collection 2025/2026



BBQ BINGO AFTER SCHOOL TONIGHT
We are all looking forward to our BBQ and Bingo night after school today, make sure you have got your raffle tickets to win a family ticket to Halloweenville, Partridge Lakes , Culcheth.
Raffle will be drawn and winner will be announced at BBQ, Bingo tonight.



TRANSFER TO SECONDARY SCHOOL – SEPTEMBER 2026

Parents/carers of children who have just made the transition into Year 6 in your school will need to apply for a secondary school place for their child for September 2026 entry. The online application form will be available for parents/carers to apply from 1 September 2025 until midnight on 31 October 2025.



Admissions to Reception Class 2026

Please refer to the letter sent out earlier this week, if you require any further information, please speak to Mrs. Holcroft.

If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022, he/she is due to start reception class in September 2026.

To apply for a Reception Class place for September 2026, you will need to register your family's details using the Citizen Portal and then complete an online application form.

The on-line facility will be available from Monday 1 September 2025 until midnight on Thursday 15 January 2026.

If you do not live in Warrington, you need to apply through the local authority you pay your council tax to. Please visit your home local authority website for information.



Flu immunisation - School Health will be visiting school on Thursday 6th November 2025 to administer flu vaccinations. **Please can you ensure you log onto the following link to either give consent for your child to have the vaccine or if you do not want them to have it also go onto the link to opt out.**

If you have any difficulties using the link please telephone 0333 358 3397

<https://nhslmms.azurewebsites.net/session/8c87d2b6>



Parking



Please can we remind everyone to park respectfully in surrounding roads when dropping off and picking up children to and from school. **Driveways must be kept clear at all times.** Our school carpark is only small which means at 8:45 drop off and 3:15 pick up it is restricted to staff only and those parents/carers with parking passes. Please be aware disabilities are sometimes not always visible, we also have very young children in our nursery who can struggle to walk a distance and therefore there will be some parent/carers who do have approval to park in the school carpark, please bear this in mind and support and respect one another. Thank you for your support.



Breakfast Club and After School Club



If you want to change your sessions for next half term, please let the office know before the end of term so bookings can be amended. Also, reminder to secure your place all fees must be paid in advance of accessing the service.

Please can you make sure that all fees are paid up to date before we break up next week for half term on Friday 24th October. Many thanks

EVERYONE
is welcome here



Parent Get Together - Friday 7th November



We would like to take a moment to talk about the **Parent Teacher Association (PTA)** — and more importantly, your place in it. The PTA is not a closed group or committee. In fact, every parent and carer at our school is automatically a member. That means you're already part of it, and we'd love to have you involved in whatever way suits you best.

We understand that the word "meeting" can sometimes feel formal or off-putting. But when we get together, it's simply that — a gathering of parents and carers who want to have a say in the events and activities that shape our children's school experience. It's also a chance to help raise much-needed funds for the extras that school budgets don't always stretch to — things that make a real difference to our children's learning and enjoyment.

We are planning to host one informal "Get Together" each half term. These will be relaxed, friendly sessions where we can chat over a cuppa and cake, share ideas, and decide how we'll organise upcoming events. Whether you'd like to help with shopping, be present on the day, or simply offer ideas for others to run with — every contribution is valued.

Our first Get Together will be on **Friday 7th November 2025 at 9:30am in school**. Please do come along if you can — even if it's just for a quick hello and a slice of cake!

We'd love to hear your ideas, and we hope to create events that reflect the interests and availability of our whole school community. When parents and carers are involved, the events are more inclusive, more fun, and more meaningful for everyone.



Class 3 Art Exhibition



We are all working hard in class 3 preparing for our Ancient Greek Art Exhibition. We are looking forward to sharing our learning and knowledge with you next Tuesday 9.30 to 11am.

Coat Donations

Reminder we are collecting winter coats for Warrington Food Bank. Please hand in at school. Thank you.



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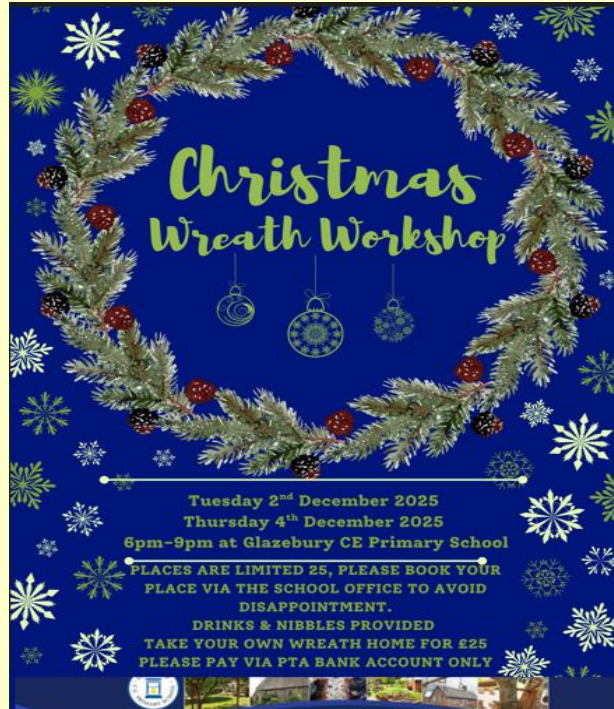
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Christmas Wreath Making Workshops



We kick start Christmas again this year for adults with our fantastic Christmas Wreath Making Evenings. (see attached flyer for dates and booking arrangements) Thankyou to Laura Booth who provides all the foliage and her expertise and demonstration that allows us all to create and take home an amazing Christmas wreath to be proud of. Book in directly with the school office to avoid disappointment



There will be no Collective Worship in school this week due to the Harvest Festival service.

Harvest Festival Foodbank Collections

We are collecting food /toiletry items for Warrington Food Bank as part of our Harvest celebrations. Please can children bring their donations into school on the morning of Friday 24th October. Thank you in advance.



Harvest Festival at Glazebury All Saints Church

Reception to year 6 are attending Glazebury All Saints church this afternoon at 2:30pm to celebrate harvest. All welcome to join the children, if you would like to walk to church with the children please arrive at school by 2:30pm



Toast for Snack for Next half term

Toast for next half term is £10.50, which is only 30p per day from Monday 3rd November to Friday 19th December. Sign up via ParentPay before we return to school on Monday 3rd November for your child to receive freshly cooked warm toast at morning break.



Healthy Snacks



Please may I remind you that only healthy snacks are allowed in school, no crisps or chocolate biscuits. Grapes can be brought in if they are cut up. We provide toast at morning break if your child would like to sign up. If children are seen with unhealthy snacks, we will ask them to return them to their bags to eat at home.

Reminder **we are a nut free school.**

Clubs for next half term

Next half term we are running:

Tuesday – Film Club with Mrs Tate – Year 1 – Year 6 (max 25)

Thursday - Multisport Sport Club with Mr Augustin – Year 1 – Year 6

Friday Football Club – will continue with the children signed up earlier this term, however we do have places that become available can you let the office know if your child would like to be added to the waiting list.

Friday Choir – Madam Buckley holds school choir on a Friday children can attend at lunchtime and enjoy learning and signing a variety of songs.

Sign up via ParentPay for Tuesday and Thursday clubs. These clubs will be live on ParentPay next week, please sign up by Monday 3rd November 2025.

Sign up early as numbers are limited to these clubs.



14th October – Harry W



Half term – School Holidays



We break up next Friday 24th October at usual time. We hope you all have a safe and enjoyable half term holiday and look forward to welcoming you back Monday 3rd November.

A poster for 'OCTOBER HOLIDAY CAMP 2025'. At the top left is the St Elphins Primary logo. The main text reads 'OCT 28TH & 29TH RUGBY CAMP' and 'OCT 30TH & 31ST MULTI-SKILLS CAMP'. Below this is a large image of children playing rugby. At the bottom, it says '£40 PER 2 DAY CAMP', '£70 FOR FULL WEEK', 'St Elphins Primary', and 'SEND-Specific Tickets Available'. The bottom section has a blue background with white text: 'Join us for an action-packed holiday camp! Perfect for young people of all skill levels. SEND spaces available.'



USED COAT DONATIONS

Glazebury CE Primary School will be collecting pre used good condition coats of all sizes and age groups. The coats will be donated to Warrington Food Bank to be given to families in need, for children of all ages right up to children in further education. Therefore, we will accept donations of both children's and adult's coats.

Donations will be greatly accepted and can be dropped off at the school office until the end of half term Friday 24th October 2025.

Thank you in advance for your kind donations. The generosity of the parents at our little school always amazes us and shows your big hearts and care for others. Thankyou



Toast - Healthy Snack



It's so important for your child to have a healthy snack at morning break to help energy levels. To save wondering what to pack each morning why not opt for our school kitchen to provide delicious, warm, healthy, hot buttered toast for your child to enjoy at break time.

This is provided at just 30pence per day, paid each half term, for the Autumn Term 2 this is £10.50 (35 days).

Sign up on ParentPay at the start of next half term.



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AUTUMN 2025

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"Growing at the heart of God's community"
Love never fails -1 Corinthians 13:8



Glazebury C.E. Primary School and Nursery Open Afternoon Wednesday 22nd October 2025 1.00pm to 3.30pm

Telephone 01925 949404 to make appointment.



Is your child due to start school in Reception in September 2026? Apply for a place now

You are warmly welcomed to come and view our fabulous environment by arrangement and apply for places at our school based nursery provision / reception led by an experienced and FULLY QUALIFIED TEACHER delivering high quality early years education.



Nursery places available for children aged 2+

You can apply for schools outside of your borough



OFSTED: "This is a small school with a big heart"

We provide:

- Nursery provision for 2, 3 and 4 year olds
- Flexible days - hours - mornings, afternoons or full days from 7.30am to 5.15pm
- Funded places for 2 and 3-4 year olds
- We accept childcare vouchers
- Options to buy additional top up sessions as required



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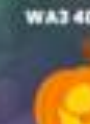


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Warrington Road, Warrington

27th - 28th October

10am - 3pm

Children: Free, The First Child per
year. All Children require a free invitation.

Join us to embark on a fun-filled journey into the world of coding, gaming, and creativity!

This special program is designed to ignite your child's passion for tech and foster their problem-solving skills, all while having a blast during the school break!

BOOK!

Visit the link or scan the code:
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Questions? Email us: bolton@computersxploers.co.uk

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Active Sport PE Star of the Week Awards

LUCY
YEAR 6



INDIA
YEAR 1



MILLIE
YEAR 2



JACK C
YEAR 3



French Outstanding Work Award

Lucy
Year 6



Harriet
Year 4



Lunchtime Award

George – year 5 for having beautiful manners and making us smile at lunch time.



Head Teacher Award

Penelope

for telling me all about how you love reading
and showing me your book.

Zora

for wonderful politeness, saying please and
thank you...fantastic manners.

Heilen

for showing how to be a good friend and
sharing your work with me.

Millie

for kindly showing me, your work and sharing
your learning.

Sebastian

for being a great friendship ambassador in your
class, you are so kind to others.

I am proud of you.

Rosie

for being a good friend to others and being so
enthusiastic about learning.

Riley

for being a wonderful member of the Ethos
team, your blessing is so thoughtful. I am proud
of you.

Libby

for being a wonderful role model and making
welcome packs for visitors.

I am proud of you.



Personal Development Award

Mabel

for excellent math and phonics this week.
Well done Mabel.

Tadhg

for trying his best at all times.

India

for working really hard and being an enthusiastic
learner. I am proud of you.

Clark

for being a responsible year 2 and working hard
in phonics.

Genevieve

for approaching every task with enthusiasm,
100% effort and for her wonderful learning
behaviour.

Rosie

for the wonderful progress she has made in both
math and in her writing comprehension. Keep it
up. I am proud of you.

Cora

for her enthusiasm and attitude to all areas of
school life! We will miss you.

Oliver

for producing an excellent piece of artwork this
week and excelling in his memory math.



Golden Tickets



Nursery – Alexander, Amarber, Amari, Amelia, Bella, Bonnie, Luca, Mabel, Penelope.



Reception – Well done reception everyone has a golden ticket this week.



Class 2 – Archer, Charlie, Clark, Harry P, India, Joe, Ninny, Rosie.



Class 3 – Alexander, Alice, Benjamin, Betty, Caleb, Elsie, Fynn, Genevieve, Guinevere, Harriet, Jayden, Rosie, Ruan, Sebastian.



Class 4 – Annabel, Annabelle, Gemima, George, Libby, Jack, Jaxx, Lucy, Oliver G, Sophie, Thomas, Violet.

ATTENDANCE

Pupil Attendance Officers – Jaxx Yr 6 and George Yr 5.

Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 96%.

Glazebury School attendance target is 97%.

Attendance for week starting Monday 13th October – 95.3%



Did you know?

When children attend school they:

- Can achieve their full potential
- Have better career prospects
- Learn how to look after themselves
- Learn how to be healthy
- Grow in confidence
- Keep up with work and homework
- Make new friends

A two-week holiday in term-time means the **highest** attendance your child can get is **94.7%**. This is 65 hours of missed school time.

Attendance in our classes

Miss Carroll - Reception attendance	97.6%
Mrs Tate - Year 1 attendance	90.6%
Mrs Tate - Year 2 attendance	95.2%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	96.8%
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	95.2%
Mr Sharma - Year 5 attendance	99.4%
Mr Sharma - Year 6 attendance	92.8%