



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

25th April 2025 - Our "Value for life" is Creation

God said: "Let there be light" and there was light. Genesis 1:3



Head Teacher's Hello



Dear all,

Welcome back, the Easter holidays have passed in a whirl, and here we are at the end of the first week back! Children have all settled into learning and we have had the Warrington Guardian in to take photos of the year 6 class – we will let you know when it is due out.

All the artwork from the PAN Exhibition was kindly collected by Mr Goman, THANK YOU. We are going to select the areas around school and display this week showcasing all the children's hard work. We will also have photos soon for children to take home.

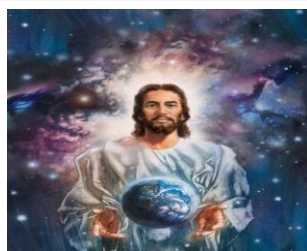
Gardening Club started this week and potatoes were planted! Mr Blower is also working in Gardening Club to revamp the bug hotel. On that note ...please know we are regularly inspecting the field and hope to get out at lunchtime, this will however mean that sometimes children may come home with grass stains, a bit of mud BUT most importantly having had a great time! God bless Mrs Mowbray



We are a church

school...

Exploring the Christian value of Creation ...



What do Christians believe?

That life is a 'gift' given by a loving creator – God to humankind for a purpose. The purpose is seen as the creative spirit within each person to value, explore, celebrate and enjoy this world with all it's mystery and diversity. With this gift comes a mutual responsibility to ensure the creation is not spoiled but rather sustained and shared by all.



Teaching a Knowledge rich curriculum

Week in pictures...

EYFS: English walk



Class 2: Exhibition



Class 3: Swimming



Class 4: Science

MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU

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- 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

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

Do you think you might like to be a Governor ...let us know.



Learn, Love and Achieve with Jesus ...

Getting to know who is in our Trust...

Our Executive Team



Laurie Kwissa
Chief Executive Officer (CEO)



Steve Boothroyd
Trust Corporate Services Director
(TCSD)



Sally Aspinwall
Trust Education Director (TED)

'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.

1907-8th March - Doris Collier away suffering from scarlet fever; this prevents her two sisters attending school.

1908-29th January - a week of bad weather, drill had to be taken in school. Friday afternoon-no play, but children were dismissed 15 minutes earlier on account of stormy weather.

1908- 10th February – two new desks arrived from Darlington- both were damaged by the railway company.





Nursery Places Available - September 2025



If you or anyone you know is interested in nursery places from September 2025, we take children from 2 years old. Please contact the school office (Mrs Holcroft) for more details or to book in for one of our open events on Saturday 14th June and Monday 14th July see advert below for further details. Come along to have a look around our amazing environment.



Glazebury C.E. Primary School and Nursery

Open Events

Saturday 14th June 2025 10am to 12noon

Monday 14th July 2025 4pm to 6pm

Telephone 01925 949404 to make appointment.



Nursery Places Available for children aged 2+



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



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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Ground Force Volunteer Sessions



Shout out for Help – Please could any parents, grandparents, friends and neighbours help us? We are looking for volunteers to come along and do some outside painting, we have lots of fences, sheds, greenhouses and benches that need painting to freshen up our grounds for the summer. We are having two volunteer sessions

Friday 16th May at 3:30pm to 6:00pm

Saturday 17th May at 9:30am to 12:30

We will be serving tea, coffee and cake for all our volunteers. Please could you let Mrs Holcroft or Mr Blower know if you able to come along so we can allocate jobs and make sure we have enough brushes. Thanks in advance, we really appreciate your help.



Class 2 History Exhibition

Yesterday Class 2 were so excited to showcase their history exhibition.

Here are some pictures taken during the exhibition.



For any parents that may have missed the Class 2 Exhibition yesterday we will be holding an Open Afternoon from 2.45pm to 3.15pm on Thursday 1st May 2025 to enable children to share learning and some of the activities from the exhibition.

CELEBRATING YOU

Many of our children take part in a whole wide range of activities outside school. Football, music, dancing, gymnastics, rugby, karate to name but a few. We would like to hear about their achievements, share with our Glazebury family via our weekly newsletter. So, we can all be aware and proud of our children's achievements. Please can you speak to or email the school office Glazeburyprimary@ldst.org.uk with their achievements and we can include them in our newsletter.



ParentPay Fees



Reminder to secure your Breakfast Club and Extended Provision place for your child please ensure your fees are paid via ParentPay in advance of accessing the sessions. We appreciate your help with this to avoid any accounts going into arrears. Many thanks in advance of your co-operation.



Meeting Date

Look out for the date of the next PTA meeting everyone welcome to come along and help with planning great events for all our children to enjoy.



Year 2 Parents/carers SATs Meeting

We are holding a SATs meeting for our KS1 parents and carers on Tuesday 29th April at 3.15pm.

🌸🌻🌼 Exciting News for Little Learners! 🌼🌻🌸



Exciting News for Little Learners! 🌼🌻🌼 Bloom Toddler Classes are coming to Glazebury C.E Primary School! Our award-winning sessions are designed to spark curiosity, creativity, and confidence in little ones through engaging sensory play, music, and movement with a new exciting theme to explore each week!

Join us for a magical experience where toddlers can learn, explore, and grow in a fun, supportive environment. Perfect for little ones and their grown-ups to make special memories together!

Classes will launch after Easter!

📅 Running Thursday mornings 9:30-10:15am

📍 Glazebury C.E Primary School, Warrington Road, Glazebury, WA3 5LZ

👶 Classes suitable for walking tots and 2 year olds

🌟 Limited spaces available! Don't miss out—register your interest by adding your name and email via the link below to receive priority information on how to book onto our classes:

<https://bloomtoddlerclasses.com/leigh-and-atherton>

For more details visit our social media pages @toddlerclassesleighandatherton or contact Beth on 07598959356



Summer Term Date List

Please see attached our summer term date, check weekly as dates do get amended throughout the half term.

PICKLEBALL CLUB FOR JUNIORS

TUESDAY'S 4-15 @ CULCHETH TENNIS CLUB

We love to see new faces and all juniors are welcome! Meeting at Culcheth Tennis Club.

To find out more get in touch at culchethtennis@gmail.com

📅 **BOOK YOUR PLACE**

£5

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APRIL - MAY

PLAYER DEVELOPEMENT CENTRE

Train Like a Pro

3 Week Course

- 1st Week Defending (Virgil Van Dijk)
- 2nd Week Midfield (Jude Bellingham)
- 3rd Week Attacking (Mbappe)

Train, improve, and play with confidence! Our 6-week program focuses on skill, speed, and game awareness.

Helping young players sharpen their abilities in a fun, high-energy environment. Led by top coaches, every session is designed to challenge and inspire.

Ready to level up? Join us now!

Weekly Timetable

Monday
 Reception - 5.30-6.30pm
 Year 1+2 - 6.30-6.30pm
 Year 3 +4 - 6.30-7.30pm
 Year 5+6 - 7.30-8.30pm

Wednesday
 Girls Only Session
 6-7pm
 Years 3-6

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 Sports Club
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- Dates?** April 28th / May 12th / May 19th
- Price?** £18 for the Term (3 Weeks)
- How to book** 07563505616 or visit our website below

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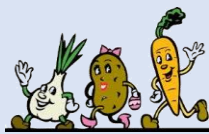


LEARN MORE



- 7th April - Eleanor
- 19th April - Alexander
- 22nd April - Henry
- 25th April - Elsie





School Lunchtime Award



Fynn for using beautiful manners when asking for jelly at lunchtime.



Golden Tickets



Nursery – Everyone in nursery this week for working hard and listening in phonics.



Reception – All our reception children are working hard towards their golden tickets this week.



Class 2-1 – Florence, Harley, Henry, Charlie, George, Inez, James, Harry W.



Class 2-2 – Everyone has a golden ticket for their amazing work on their Exhibition.



Class 3 – Alexander, Annabel, Annabelle, Betty, Guinevere, Riley, Spencer.



Class 4 – Camilla, Holly, Tyler, Dexter, Max, Olivia, Oliver C, Oliver G, Oliver A.



Head Teacher Award



Tadhg

for welcoming a new member of nursery with a hug. Wonderful.

George

for sharing during play and learning.
I am proud of you.

Florence

for always wanting to help and being a role model for others. I am proud of you.

Albert

for showing forgiveness and being a role model for friendship.

Alex

for showing kindness to others and for great listening at lunchtime.

Spencer

for being a great role model in learning and sharing ideas and resources.

Violet

for showing a wonderful behaviour for learning in all lessons.

Isla

for showing compassion to others and helping all, including the teachers.



Personal Development Award

Laverna

for settling in this week at nursery.

Heilen

for fabulous math with Mr Sharma.

Henry

for his outstanding knowledge and confidence during our class 2 exhibition talking about the United Kingdom.

Lucas

for his involvement in the exhibition.

Guinevere

for her endless smiles, positivity and her kindness shown to others every day.

Annabel

for settling in so well to our Glazebury family. Lots of smiles, politeness and lovely learning behaviours.

Lewis

for showing kindness and support to his classmates.

Olivia

for always working hard and trying her best.

Is my child too ill for school?

It can be tricky deciding whether to keep your child off school or nursery when they are unwell. There are government guidelines for schools and nurseries, these say when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't. <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school>
If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone school or nursery



ATTENDANCE

Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 95.8%.

Glazebury School attendance target is **97%**

Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 21st April 2025.



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	97.5%
Miss Foster - Year 1 attendance	95.1%
Mrs Tate - Year 2 attendance	98.3%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	95.5%
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	90%
Mr Sharma - Year 5 attendance	81.7%
Mr Sharma - Year 6 attendance	97.2%