



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



6th December 2024 - Our "Value for life" is "Trust".

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart...." Proverbs 3:5



Head Teacher's Hello



Dear all,

Now we are officially in December... Ho Ho Ho! We can now mention Christmas...as I write this, the Christmas dress rehearsal for the Christmas performance is ready to be started, we recognise that Christmas may bring a range of emotions and challenges to those around us, and I want to thank all the wonderful parents and carers that recognise that our upcoming Christmas fair is about more than fundraising but about community, and thank you to all who are working tirelessly to pull the fair together. So, whether you come and just chat and say hello, spending a penny or a pound thank you for helping our school community.

Children have been working hard this week completing assessments, I am sure they will have said! These help teachers identify the skills children are developing well, and those that we need to ensure are worked on further. School has also been abounding with nativity songs being sang with gusto as you can imagine and we are looking forward to sharing these with you all soon.
Mrs Mowbray.

"Let the Heavens rejoice, and the earth be glad" Psalm 96:11



We are a church school... we have been exploring our trust in God through the Nativity story and reflecting...

Reflection
How can YOU show love?

Value Passport:

- Class 1:** Sing a Christmas song and share with another class.
- Class 2:** Draw a picture of the nativity for some one you love.
- Class 3:** Write a note to show some one you love how the nativity brings love.
- Class 4:** write and share a prayer in celebration worship about Love at Christmas.

Helping children to prepare for life, Growing with God. Embracing Christian values.



Teaching a Knowledge rich curriculum

Week in pictures...

EYFS: English



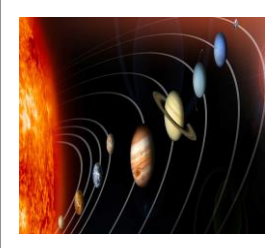
Class 2: Maths



Class 3: RE



Class 4: Science



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

Vice Chair of Governors – Alice Richards

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.

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 ...

Trust - We have an update on our Trust

**Charity this week with news of fundraising
and planning for our next fundraising day in**

March more details to come...

LDST
Trust Charity

New Hope
School and
Orphanage
Uganda



'Peep into Glazebury's 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.

1901-July 18th – On account of the overpowering heat, drill was not taken heat in schoolroom 82 degrees.

1901-Sept 19th- Headmaster away all day through sickness at home.

1901-Oct 1st- Epidemic of measles still spreading 15 more cases are known today this morning 122 children are absent out of a register of 253.

Oct 2nd – 16 more cases broken out.



Christmas Performances

We look forward to welcoming all our parents and carers into school to watch our EYFS/KS1 Christmas performance – 'Rock Around the Flock'. This is always a very special time of the year to see some of our children as young as 2 perform on the stage with lines carefully learnt and songs sang with such enthusiasm. This really does set the tone for the true meaning of Christmas in our school.



Local Community Pensioners

Today we are holding our festive afternoon for our local pensioners and welcome our community pensioners into school for a coffee and mince pie, chat with friends and see a sneak preview of our Christmas performance. We are all looking forward to this lovely afternoon.



Christmas Jars

Thank you to all who returned all the amazing, decorated jars. The winners are Sofia, Mila, Sebastian, Lucy, Jessica, Xanthe.



Christmas Fair

SAVE THE DATE! – We will be holding our Christmas Fair next Friday 13th December 3:30 to 5:00pm. Put the date in your calendars so you don't miss out on this fantastic event.

We are looking for people to have craft stalls so that our children/parents can do some Christmas shopping. If you know anyone that may be interested, please ask them to contact us to book a stall.



Fond Farewell to Mrs Freeman

Our Lovely Mrs Freeman who has been part of our Glazebury family in the office since January 2022 has decided to retire and spend more quality time with her family. She will leave us at February 2025 half term and we all wish her all the best.



Admin Assistant



We have an Admin Assistant vacancy starting at the end of February 2025 for 16 hours – Monday all day Tuesday and Wednesday morning. Please see our website for further details or speak to Mrs Holcroft for more information.

Christmas Dates

See attached our Christmas cheer date list sent out earlier this week, make a note of the lovely events we have planned for everyone to enjoy.



Well done!

CELEBRATING
YOU

★ We Are So ★
Proud Of You

George from year 4 and Jack from year 5 have both passed their Ju Jitsu grading with George achieving a yellow belt and Jack achieving a green belt. Well done, we are proud of 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, to 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 Glazebury.primary@ldst.org.uk with their achievements and we can include them in our newsletter.



Admissions Policy 2026/27 - Please note that we are consulting on changes on our Admissions Policy for 2026/2027. The draft policy and supplementary application form can be found on our website. Our consultation will end on Monday 16th December 2024.

https://glazebury.eschools.co.uk/web/admissions_arrangements/240144

Please send any comments to be taken into account to our school email address: glazeburyprimary@ldst.org.uk



30th November – Heidi
2nd December – Jaxx



Facebook - follow us on Facebook! [Glazebury C of E Aided Primary School](#).

MEET SANTA
SAT 14 DEC 2024
UPSTAIRS AT THE RAVEN

ENJOY A MEET & GREET WITH SANTA
CHRISTMAS PARTY BAG
SNACK & DRINK
TAKE PHOTOS WITH SANTA
LOTS OF CHRISTMAS FUN

£11.50
per child

1.30 - 3pm
or
3.30 - 5pm

Please note this is a ticket only event. Tickets can be bought at The Raven or at the Christmas Fair on 1st Dec

341 Warrington Road, Glazebury, WA3 5LA
Tel: 01925 390466 | www.theraveninn.org

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A
Christmas Flower
Demonstration
THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER
13:30 ALL SAINTS
£8

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CULHETH FOOTBALL CAMP

DATEN SPORTS CLUB, WA3 5SH

JAN 2ND - 3RD
4-11 YEAR OLDS

PROGRAM OF TRAINING:

- WARM-UP EXERCISES**
Fun warm up exercises and drills to start the day
- DEVELOPMENT**
Individual development sessions to improve technical skills
- GAMES**
Small sided matches and tournaments throughout the week
- CERTIFICATES**
Certificates and prizes to be won

DETAILS:

JAN 2ND - 3RD
£20 PER DAY
9-3PM

WWW.ACTIVESOCCER.CO.UK
Early Bird offer - £17 per day until 1st December

07563505616 | www.activesoccer.co.uk | Daten Sports Club, WA3 5SH

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TWISS GREEN XT CAMP

Twiss Green Primary School

JAN 2ND - 3RD
4-11 YEAR OLDS

CAMP INFORMATION

- ARTS AND CRAFTS**
Take part in daily arts and crafts painting & designing
- MULTI SPORTS**
Take part in a wide variety of Multi Sport games
- INTERACTIVE GAMES**
Take part in interactive games and Talent Shows through the week
- QUALIFIED COACHES**
Highly qualified coaches in the sector. All DBS Checked

DETAILS:

JAN 2-3RD
£17.50 PER DAY
9-3PM

WWW.ACTIVE-SPORT.CO.UK

07563505616 | www.active-sport.co.uk | Twiss Green Primary School

Nobody does Christmas like Bents

Festive Tea with Father Christmas
Weekdays in December
4.30-6.30pm

Santa In-store
Mon-Fri | 2-6pm
Sat-Sun | 12-4pm

Winter Food Markets
Open everyday

You'll be glad you went to Bents

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Holiday Activities and Food

Are your children on benefit related free school meals?

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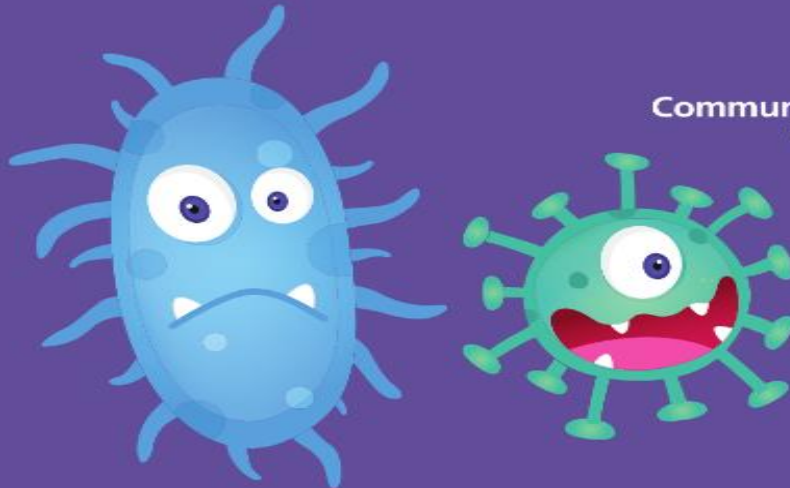


If yes, they can attend fully funded holiday activities at Easter, Summer and Christmas. Register your interest now at warrington.gov.uk/haf or email haf@warrington.gov.uk to find out more.

Not eligible?
Many clubs offer paid places at a reduced rate.



WARRINGTON Borough Council | Department for Education



NHS
Bridgewater
Community Healthcare
NHS Foundation Trust

DID YOUR CHILD MISS THEIR FLU VACCINATION?

You can book an appointment at
one of our community clinics.

Contact the Warrington School-aged Immunisation team on 01925 946 808



School Lunchtime Award

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Oscar for his beautiful manners.



Golden Tickets



Nursery – All the nursery children for paying attention and listening well.



Reception – All the reception children for excellent math work, wonderful tidying up and being on task.



Class 2-1 – Charlie, Bertie, Rosie, Harley, Inez, Harry P, Clark, Archer, Esmee, George.



Class 2-2 – Genevieve, Alice, Ethan, Henry, Ruan, Szymon.



Class 3 – All of class 3 for working so hard on their assessment and for amazing learning behaviour in the math lesson.



Class 4 – Olivia, Holly, Camilla, Max, Violet, Gemima, Oliver A, Lewis.



Head Teachers Award



Amelia

for sharing her pom-pom. Thank you.

George

for telling me all about the temple crashing down.

Rosie

for using beautiful manners at lunch time saying please and thank you.

Henry

for wonderful explanation of math stem sentence.

Shea

for making number formation clearer, so I could see fabulous math thinking.

Vincent

for showing wonderful partner work in learning.

Jack

for great perseverance when painting the solar system.

Isla

for wonderful reading out loud in math.



Personal Development Award

Jack

for enthusiasm when practicing our nativity songs.

Heilen

for wonderful writing development

Inez

for her hard work in English this week and for always having a positive attitude to her learning we are so proud of you.

Fynn

for trying hard in the nativity.

Fynn was a super sheep!

Jayden

for working so hard and his increased focus.

Alex

for his focus and hard work during assessment week AND for trying so hard with his handwriting.

Charlie

for excellent use of mathematical vocabulary and reasoning in our math lessons

Oliver

for excellent progress in reading and math this half term.

Holly

for wonderful work in math. We are very proud of you.

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 daily.



ATTENDANCE

Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 95.7%.
 Glazebury School attendance target is **97%**
 Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 2nd December 2024.



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	96.7%
Miss Foster - Year 1 attendance	91.1%
Mrs Tate - Year 2 attendance	98%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	93.6%
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	95.6%
Mr Sharma - Year 5 attendance	100%
Mr Sharma - Year 6 attendance	93.3%

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Love never fails- 1 Corinthians

