



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

5<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - Our "Value for life" is Peace

"A heart at peace gives life to the body" Proverbs 14:30



Head Teacher's Hello



Dear all,

What a wonderfully busy and joyful week we've shared! On Monday, our school tree sparkled with beautiful, creative baubles lovingly crafted by our talented children each one adding a touch of magic. Tuesday and Thursday brought festive cheer for our adults with wreath-making sessions full of laughter, creativity, and community spirit, all while raising funds for our children. Wednesday was pure delight as the pantomime "Oh yes it is!" treated everyone to fun and laughter, thanks to the generosity of our amazing PTA. We ended the week with New Hope Day, a heartfelt celebration of giving, raising vital funds for the school we proudly support as part of our trust. As we embrace this season of peace and goodwill, let us remember:



*"And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts." – Colossians 3:15*

Mrs Mowbray ♥



We are a church school...

How can YOU be the voice of peace?

### REFLECTION

How can YOU be the voice of Peace?

Value Passport:

- Class 1: To draw the nativity scene to show peace
- Class 2: To write a message of peace for our peace garden
- Class 3: To draw a nativity scene and share it in the hall display for all to see
- Class 4: To write how we can be a peace giver and share it with another class



Teaching a Knowledge rich curriculum

Week in pictures...

Nursery: Tree service



Class 2: Practice



Class 3: Electricity



Class 4: Pantomime



### 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 Karen Mowbray

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

[glazeburyprimary@ldst.org.uk](mailto:glazeburyprimary@ldst.org.uk)



Learn, Love and Achieve with Jesus ...

Schools in our LDST school family:



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

1910- June 13<sup>th</sup>-The drain in the front yard being blocked up, a man was engaged to open it, also the same man had orders to clean out some of the spouts in the building.

1910-October 4<sup>th</sup>- Punished Douglas Knight and Herbi Hindley severely for truanting.

1910-Nov 11<sup>th</sup> The epidemic of mumps caused poor attendance.







**LIMITED STOCK – ORDER NOW  
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**Christmas Eve Goodie Bag**  
**£6.50 for 1 bag or £12 for 2 bags**  
**Please order your Christmas Eve**  
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**ParentPay App.**



**Christmas Event**



Thanks to the PTA the children had a day of fun on Wednesday. Nursery enjoyed a professional entertainment/party, and the rest of the school enjoyed a Panto – Dick Whittington – Oh no they Didn't! Oh yes they did!

A wonderful day one, I am sure all our children will remember with happy memories.



**The Nativity – Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2**



**Christmas Nativity**

We are looking forward to our nursery, reception, year 1 and year 2 Traditional Christmas Nativity performances next week. I am sure you are hearing your children sing the songs at home and we look forward to all our visitors who are coming into school to watch the performance.

**Christmas Wreath Making Workshops**

**Thank you to Laura Booth for organising this wonderful event and sharing her skills to enable us to make these beautiful wreaths.**



PTA Festive Film Fun

All Children – Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2



We invite all our children from nursery, reception, year 1 and year 2 to get their ticket to board the Polar Express.

Children can enjoy the film and get in the festive spirit, they will be given polar express ticket, 'I believe' bells and enjoy a 'warm' hot chocolate and a sweet snack.

**When – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 25      Time: 15:00 to 16:45 – Duration of film 1hr 40 mins**

**Purchase your ticket via the ParentPay app at £3.00 per child**

Children will be taken through to the hall directly from class at 15:00 (you can bring nursery children into school and drop off at office if they do not usually attend nursery on a Friday afternoon).

**Collect children from the hall doors via the small playground at 16:45pm**



All Children in Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6



We invite all children from KS2 – year 3, year 4, year 5, and year 6 to come and enjoy The Grinch Christmas Movie.

**Children can arrive at school (via the school office entrance) at 16:55pm ready for film to start at 17:00pm.** Children can come dressed in their own clothes, PJ's or even Grinch costumes if they would like.

Children can get involved in the film, even throwing snowballs, enjoy a hot chocolate drink and Grinch candy cane snack.

**When – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December 25      Time: 17:00 to 19:00 duration of film 1 hr and 45 mins**

**Purchase your ticket via the ParentPay app at £3.00 per child**

**Collect children from the hall doors via the small playground at 5:00pm**



**Christmas Cheer.....Events have been planned for your child to enjoy**

**Friday 5th December at 1.30pm**

Local pensioners are invited to watch the Nativity performance. Tea, coffee and mince pies will be served. Please contact the school office to book a place for anyone who might like to attend. Dress rehearsal of the Christmas Performance will be at 2pm.

**Saturday 6th December**

2pm—4.30pm Glazebury Village Christmas Light Switch on, there will be stalls and live music and lights switch on at 4:30pm Meet at Glazebury church

**Saturday 6th December**

4pm—7pm Methodist Christmas Fair and Tractor run at the Methodist Church, Glazebury. Tractor run is 7pm.

**Christmas Cards**

Each class will have a post box in their classes from **Friday 5th December to Monday 15th December**. Children can post their cards between these dates. Cards will be distributed on Monday 15th December for the children to take home. Christmas card class lists (just childrens first names) are available from the school office if you would like a copy.

**Monday 8th, Tuesday 9th and Wednesday 10th December—Christmas Performances**

EYFS (Nursery & Reception) and KS1 (Year 1 and Year 2) will be performing the Nativity. Due to restriction on numbers in hall this is a ticketed event. Please pre-order your tickets online.

**Friday 12th December**

3:00pm—4:45pm Festive Film Fun for Nursery, Reception invited to watch Polar Express, book your ticket via Parentpay

5:00pm—7:00pm Festive Film Fun for Year 3, 4, 5, 6 invited to watch The Grinch, book your ticket via Parentpay. 5:00pm—7:00pm Festive Film Fun for Year 3, 4, 5, 6 invited to watch The Grinch, book your ticket via ParentPay.

**Wednesday 17th December—Christmas Party Day & Christmas Traditional Dinner**

All children are welcome to come into school in party clothes if they wish and enjoy a day of fun filled party activities. The whole school will sit down and enjoy a traditional Christmas dinner together cooked by our school kitchen and served by our staff. If you have a child in Year 3—Year 6 and they would like to enjoy the Christmas Dinner, please pay via ParentPay. R-Y2 get universal free meals and nursery children pay via monthly invoice.

**Thursday 18th December**

2:45pm—Whole school visit Glazebury All Saints church for annual Christmas Service, all welcome to join us.

**Friday 19th December - Christmas Jumper Day & Party Food**

Children can come to school Christmas Jumper or T-shirt if they wish. Our school kitchen will provide Christmas themed party food for the children to enjoy at lunchtime. If you have a child in Year 3—Year 6 and they would like to enjoy the party food, please pay for your usual school dinner via ParentPay.

**Sunday 21st December**

6:30pm—7:30pm All Saints Glazebury Church Village Carol Service, including donations of toys for food bank.



**Parent Get Together - Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December**



We are having an informal "Get Together" on **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December** after Collective Worship at 9.30am. This will be a relaxed, friendly session where we can chat over a cuppa and mince pie.

We look forward to seeing you.







## Decorated Christmas Tree



Thank you to everyone who decorated a Christmas bauble for our school tree. We had a very festive collective worship on Monday morning, whilst the whole school decorated the Christmas tree with the baubles they had made.

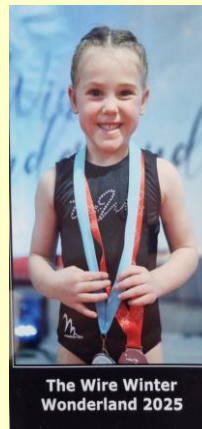
All the designs were unique, and it was very difficult to choose a winner, but the winners were Mabel in Nursery, Halle in Year 2 and Xanthe in Year 6.

The children will bring the baubles back home on the last day of term so you can hang on your tree at home.



Alice competed in Manchester BMX Club's Super Saturday Series which involved 5 races throughout the year. Alice really enjoyed racing against other children in her age group and the excitement of waiting for the green light on the start ramp. This is her first season competing in BMX racing and she finished 12th overall and first placed girl in her age group.

**Well done Alice we are proud of you.**



Mabel participated in her 1st gymnastics competition, The Wire Winter Wonderland, on Saturday and in her category for 3 & 4 year olds she placed 2nd in vault winning a silver medal!! **We are so proud of you Mabel!** Well done.



### **URGENT: Child Safety During Drop-Off and Collection**

The safety of every child at Glazebury CE Primary is a **non-negotiable** point. With that in mind we feel that we must remind all parents and carers that strict adherence to our safety procedures is essential. These measures are in place to protect children and cannot be ignored.

#### **Supervision of Children**

Parents **must supervise their children at all times** when on school premises, this does mean that having eyes on them continuously is important. Children must not be allowed to run ahead or wander, especially near the car park and entrance gates.

#### **Car Park Rules**

Please know that we are aware that some parents attending Breakfast Club enter the car park in the mornings. This is permitted only under controlled conditions.

- **Children must never run across the car park and are under parents strict supervision.**
- **No parental vehicles are allowed on the car park after 8:30am** unless you have a valid car park notice issued by the school office.
- Any breach of this rule will result in immediate action by the school for safety reasons.

#### **Gate Security**

The two gates leading to Reception class near the office and the car park **must remain closed at all times**. Staff are monitoring this, but despite clear signage, gates are still being left open by others. This is unacceptable and poses a serious risk to child safety. We expect every parent to take responsibility and ensure gates are closed immediately after use.

These rules are not optional. They are essential for safeguarding our children. Failure to comply with these expectations compromises safety.

Thank you for all that support in keeping our children safe. If you have any questions, please contact ourselves for further clarification





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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 up to four fully funded sessions  
this winter. Bookings will go live on 1 December at 12pm.  
SEND specific clubs will go live on 28 November at 7pm.  
Email [haf@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:haf@warrington.gov.uk) to find out more.

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

**#HAF2025**

**WARRINGTON** Borough Council  
Department for Education



30<sup>th</sup> November – Heidi – Reception  
2<sup>nd</sup> December – Jaxx – Year 6



### Active Sport PE Star of the Week Awards

Albert  
Year 3

Jaxx  
Year 6

Harley  
Year 2

Sienna  
Year 4

### French Outstanding Work Award

George  
Year 5



Rosie  
Year 4



### Golden Tickets



Nursery – Nursery children have all received a golden ticket this week for working hard.



Reception – All our reception children have a golden ticket this week.



Class 2 – Well done class 2 you all have a golden ticket.



Class 3 – All the children for excellent work in science and in math using column addition with regrouping.



Class 4 – Gemima, Jaxx, Libby, Oliver G, Spencer, Violet.



School Lunchtime Award



### Lunchtime Award

Nursery – for making lunchtime full of smiles. 😊





### Head Teacher Award



#### Joshua

for singing with enthusiasm in the Nativity practice.

I am proud of you.

#### George

for helping friends tidying in the classroom, following the golden rule.

I am proud of you.

#### Ninny

for how hard you worked with your letter sounds.

I am proud of you.

#### Ruan

for sharing your Christmas bauble idea.

I love the cross.

#### Guinevere

for sharing beautiful manners and being so polite, thank you for holding the door for others.

#### Annabel

for always trying to help others both in the classroom and in play.

I am proud of you.

#### Lewis

for being a role model in manners, friendship and learning. I am proud of you.



### Personal Development Award

#### Aiza

for settling in so well and doing brilliant in nativity rehearsals.

#### Alvey

for always being Mrs Carroll's best helper and, trying his best each day!

#### Mila

for showing confidence and resilience when changing roles for the nativity.

#### Archer

for approaching our nativity with confidence and enthusiasm and supporting others with their role

#### Jack

for his progress in his handwriting and focus during our assessments.

#### Alexander

for his love of learning and wonderful contributions to class discussions.

#### Spencer

for working hard all week and writing an amazing poem.

#### Oliver A

for working hard in all subjects.



## ATTENDANCE

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

Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 96.7%.

Glazebury School attendance target is 97%.

Attendance for week starting Monday 1<sup>st</sup> December is 98%



### 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	96.3%
Mrs Tate - Year 1 attendance	99.2%
Mrs Tate - Year 2 attendance	97.8%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	100% Well done!
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	100% Well done!
Mr Sharma - Year 5 attendance	96.7%
Mr Sharma - Year 6 attendance	96.2%

Growing at the **heart** of God's community

**Love** never fails- 1 Corinthians

