



Glebelands News

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What a lovely week of weather we have had! It has been hot in school but this hasn't stopped all the hard work from continuing! On Wednesday, the children took part in their sponsored event. Everyone was keen to do as many laps as possible and the event went really well. If you have any sponsorship money to send in, please ensure that this is sent in with a named form by the end of next week. We thank you for all your donations! The children were extremely supportive of one another and there was plenty of encouragement throughout the day. Thanks to the School Council for organising the event.

There have also been lots of entries for the Birthday Chocolate Bar competition. During the Glebelands' Friends meeting, winners were selected and the children will find out in an assembly soon! We also had a group of children from Year 5 attend the Maths Challenge on Thursday evening. The children had a great experience and enjoyed the challenges they were set! This week, we also found out that we won the Tesco Stronger Starts voting so will be able to put some more funds towards repairing some of our outdoor play equipment. Thank you to all who put the blue tokens in for us!

Next week, Year 1 are off to Shepreth Wildlife Park. They are very excited for their trip on Tuesday. We also have some classes practising for their upcoming class assemblies. Please take a look at the dates below for further details. Don't forget we have a long weekend to enjoy. See you all on Tuesday!

Class Photographs

Class photographs have been taken in school today. Details of how to order these will be sent home shortly.

Chocolate Bar Orders

All orders for the birthday chocolate bars must be in school by next Friday 9th May. Remember, there are 30 prizes to be won!

Glebelands People

These are posted on our school website the weekend after the children have been awarded their stickers in assembly, so please take a look!

School Attendance

Please find the class weekly attendance figures below:

PANDAS	99.00%	AXOLOTLS	94.00%
KOALAS	98.28%	DALMATIANS	99.31%
SWALLOWS	96.21%	PUFFINS	93.45%
ELEPHANTS	98.15%	ARMADILLOS	97.50%
OTTERS	88.40%	OWLS	98.52%
SHARKS	92.33%	GIRAFFES	90.67%
FOXES	96.67%	CHAMELEONS	96.55%

Overall weekly attendance for the whole school 95.67%.

Glebelands House Standings

Shooting Stars - Yellow: 4357
 Blue Lightning - Blue: 4310
 Sparkling Spaceships - Green 4379
 Inferno Fire - Red : 4256

Phonics

We want to keep you up to date with the sounds we have been focusing on each week as this will help you to support your child at home.

FS: Our new GPC is ur eg turn fur burn

Year 1: Our new GPC is oe eg toe, tomatoes, goes

Questions of the week

We are aware that sometimes it is tricky for children to talk to parents about their learning from the week or that sometimes you get the answer "nothing" when asking children what they've learned at school. Therefore, we are going to provide a prompt question for each year group every week, that you can ask your child and get them talking about their amazing learning.

Year 1: Who was Neil Armstrong and why do we remember him?

Year 2: Which is the largest whale?

Year 3: What are the names of the 2 Roman leaders who tried to invade Britain?

Year 4: Who were the three people who thought they had a claim to the English throne after King Edward the Confessor died?

Year 5: What is the difference between a mammal and an amphibian?

Year 6: What are the kidneys and what do they do?

School Meals

A copy of next week's menu is attached.

Dates

5 May—Bank Holiday (no children in school)
 6 May—Y1 Trip to Shepreth Wildlife Park
 8 May—The Axolotls Class Assembly 14:50
 12-15 May—Y6 SATs
 16 May—Y6 Trip to The Playground
 16 May—The Elephants Class Assembly 14:50
 20 May The Koalas Class Assembly 14:50
 21 May—The Owls Class Assembly 14:50
 26-30 May—May Half Term
 2 June—Training Day (no children in school)
 4 June—Y6 Trip to see Wicked
 4 June—Y2 Skills Escalator Day
 13 June—Father's Day Present Room
 24 June—Y6 March Safety Zone
 27 June Country Dancing 13:30
 1-4 July—Y5 Residential to Chester
 2 July—Y6 Cromwell Transition Day
 8 July—Y6 Cromwell Transition Day
 10 July—Y6 Cromwell Transition Day
 11 July—Y3 Trip to Botanic Gardens Cambridge
 11 July—Summer Fayre 15:20
 16 July—Y6 Trip to Wicksteed Park
 23 July—Last day of the school year
 1 September—Training Day (no children in school)
 2 September—Training Day (no children in school)
 3 September—Children Return to School New Academic Year