



GLENFIELD NEWSLETTER

1st March 2024

Spring Term

Welcome note

What a fantastic start to the term! The children have thrown themselves into their learning and are excited for the term ahead. As always, we will keep you updated of all the school's news on our weekly newsletter, Twitter page and direct messages to parents & carers.

This week's highlights

- Year 3 artwork
- Year 6 Islamic Mosque trip
- TT Rockstars leaderboard
- Easter Bingo



World Book Day

Thursday 7th March

Children are welcome to come to school dressed as their favourite characters.

Diary Dates

Thursday 7th March- World book day, Whole school

Friday 8th March- Analysers Class Assembly

Friday 15th March- Discoverers Class Assembly

Thursday 21st March- Year 2 Easter Assembly

Wednesday 17th April- Year 6 Eid Assembly

Assembly times

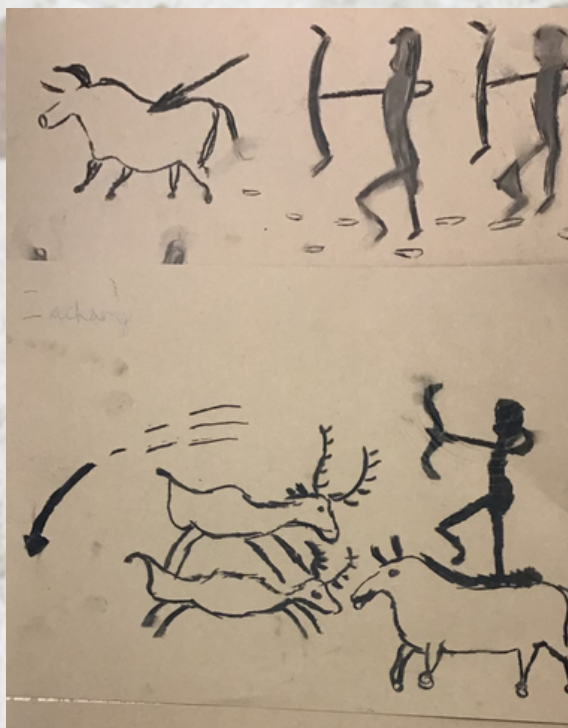
All class and year group assembly times are 9.00 & 14.45.

Achievement assembly times may differ and you will be notified of the time prior to the assembly. Parents/carers are welcome to attend.

Year 3



In Year 3 this week to end our history module on the Stone Age to Iron Age we created our very own cave art using charcoal. We really enjoyed imagining what hunting animals would have been like in the Stone Age and telling stories with our art work.



Year 6



On Tuesday, Year 6 went to visit the mosque. We were given a tour around the facility and saw the architecture specific for the mosque and the reason in which they have this - the dome shape to create an echo so that everyone can hear the prayers. We were shown the different prayers rooms as well as the extra facilities they have to support their community such as the sports hall. The children were able to share knowledge they had gained from their RE lessons as well as ask inquisitive and insightful questions regarding what they already knew.

The children really enjoyed the experience and learning about the faith. They represented themselves fantastically showing great respect and consideration.



Other news



This week's attendance trophy has been won by the Observers and Thinkers Classes. Well done!

Please be aware, that the school gates open at 8.30am and close at 8.42am. Registration is at 8.45am. Any child arriving after this time will be marked as Late and will miss the start of their learning.

The end of the school is 3.15 and we do not have staff to provide childcare after this time.



After school clubs will resume week commencing 26th February and finish week commencing 11th March.



The year 4 residential trip's final payment will be due by 31st March 2024

'Most Improved Rockstars'.
Congratulations to all the children that have worked hard to secure a place in our top five! Keep on Rockin!

**TIMES TABLES
ROCK STARS**

Glenfield Leaderboard

1. **Grayson Y4**
2. **Esme Y3**
3. **Imogen Y4**
4. **David Y6**
5. **Zeke Y4**



Easter *Bingo*

Sat 16th March

3pm-5 PM
Glenfield Primary School Hall

Save the date! More details to follow

GPPA payment details

As a Committee we are always looking for new ways to make it easier for parents and the school to communicate upcoming GPPA events and to purchase tickets.

We will soon begin taking online payments for future Events.

If you visit: www.pta-events.co.uk/GPPA you will find our school page. On here we will be listing our exciting events or items we have for sale. You will be able to then purchase them using your Debit or Credit Card. We can also share GPPA news, copies of our letters and minutes, requests for volunteers and lots more.

To buy tickets using this system, you will need to register first.

- 1. Go to www.pta-events.co.uk/GPPA**
- 2. Complete and register**
- 3. You can now check out and join in with our upcoming events.**

Q&A

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Only GPPA Committee members are authorised to access the admin section of the PTA-Events platform. The information will only be used for the purposes that you intended when entering it, for example if you have purchased a disco ticket, we will not contact you about any other event. However on occasions it will be necessary to pass certain information on to other Committee Volunteers

Reasons include, but are not limited to, distributing purchases to classes/children, confirming event attendance or ensuring our First Aider is aware of any medical conditions.

**If you have any questions regarding the PTA-Events site, you can e-mail us at :
Glenfieldprimarypa@outlook.com**

Term Dates

School Closes

Friday 22nd March 2024

School Opens

Monday 8th April 2024

May Day

Monday 6th May 2024

Half Term Break

Friday 24th May-Friday 31st May 2024

School Closes at 15.15

Thursday 11th July 2024

School Opens

Tuesday 27th August 2024

School Closes at 15.15

Friday 18th October 2024

Half term break

Monday 21st-Friday 25th October 2024

School Opens

Tuesday 29th October 2024

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. If you have concerns about the welfare of any child, then you have a responsibility to call the First Response Children's Duty Team on 0116 305 0005. Further advice/support on this can be obtained from school Designated Officers: K Martin, N Quinn, J Williamson, N Squires, L Stretton & Z Elkington.

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