



Term 1 Newsletter

Dear Parent/Carer,

It is lovely to welcome everyone back to school this session, especially our new Primary 1s.

This newsletter will keep you informed of all that's happening in term 1.

Rights Respecting School Award

This year sees the start of our journey to attain this award. All classes will be working on this and it will be a focus for each weekly assembly. I am sure that this will be an interesting and successful project as everything about Glendale Primary and the Glendale Family oozes what is required to gain the award.

Meet the Teacher

Will take place on Wednesday 7th September. This will be a drop in session for parents/carers to come and meet their child's teacher. The teacher will be available to meet with you from 4pm – 6pm. No appointment is necessary as this is not about your individual child, it's an opportunity to find out about the curriculum your child will be following this session. If the planned strike action goes ahead this will unfortunately be cancelled.

Eco Week

Week beginning the 12th of September will be Eco Week. Children will have a variety of Eco related activities throughout the week. As usual lots of fun activities, visits to the Hidden Gardens, Eco Cooking in school etc.

Great Scottish Run

Many children have already signed up for the Great Scottish Run on the 1st of October. This is open to children 9 years and over. Families meet up with Mrs Pickup and I prior to the run so that we all move as the Glendale Family. Any questions about this please contact Mrs Pickup.

Parents' Night

This will take place in school on Wednesday 12th October. This is your opportunity to have a chat with the teacher about your child's progress and generally how they are getting on at school. Appointment letters will come out nearer the time.

Talent Show

Talent Shows are back.... I'm so happy!!

Our first Campus Talent Show will take place on the afternoon of Thursday 13th October. It will be lovely to join up with our friends from the Gaelic School to celebrate all our talents.

Allergies

We have a number of children in school now who have allergies. It is really important that **no nut or sesame seed products** come in to school. Thank you for supporting us in this to help keep all of our children safe and well.

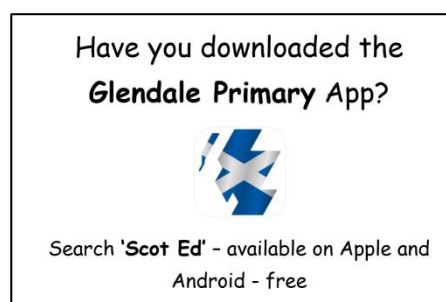
Infant Department Request

If you have any spare off-cuts of material that you don't need any more the infant department would be delighted to take it off your hands to be used in our role play area.

Twitter and School App

Don't forget to follow us on Twitter and download the school app. Although Group call is used by the office we also share information with our families on these platforms.

Mrs Neeson or Mrs Reid in the office would be happy to help you with this.



Parent Pay

Just a reminder that school lunches can be ordered at home with parents/carers using Parent Pay and the activation code sent home with pupils.

www.Parentpay.com

School Holidays

The school will close at 3.15 on Thursday 22nd September and reopen on Tuesday 27th September at 9am.

The school will then close on Thursday 13th October and reopen on Monday 24th October at 9am.

As always should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

E Laird – Head Teacher

