



# THE GLEBE PRIMARY SCHOOL

2018 / 2019 — NUMBER 02

14 SEPTEMBER 2018

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Mon 17th Sept**  
Y5/6 Tag Rugby  
Tournament
- **Tues 18th FOG**  
Meeting 3.20pm—all  
welcome
- **Friday 21st French**  
Trip Mtg 3.30pm
- **24th—26th Sept -**  
**ROBINWOOD TRIP**
- **Playground Friends**  
starts 24th Sept

## DON'T FORGET ...

- **To name / label all**  
clothing items.
- **Bring a water bottle**  
every day!
- **No dogs on the**  
playground

## WOW—Glebe Primary Extra-Curricular Clubs !!!

### **ALL STARTING WEEK COMMENCING 17 SEPTEMBER**

**SEWING CLUB—PUZZLE CLUB—CHESS CLUB—CALM CLUB—ECO CLUB—HOMEWORK CLUB—SCHOOL COUNCIL—RRSA—READING CLUB—DIGITAL LEADERS—MULTI-SPORTS CLUB—RUNNING CLUB—BOOTCAMP—YOGA—JUST DANCE—GYMNASTICS—ART CLUB—BOYS FOOTBALL—GIRLS FOOTBALL—DANCE CLUB**

We think that you will agree that this is a very impressive extra-curricular offering! This is because we want all of our pupils to have the opportunity to participate in a variety of extracurricular activities during their time at school as there are a whole range of benefits that come from involvement in these programs.

We thought we would share a few key reasons why.....

### **They provide a productive break from study**

Weekly activities can offer a welcome break from studies.

Depending on your child's interests, they may provide the chance to get outside and exercise, make other friends, pursue a hobby or simply de-stress and refresh their mind.

They also help limit the time your child is spending in front of a TV or computer screen.

### **They can help your child build their skills outside of the classroom**

In addition to building skills within a specific discipline, extracurricular activities are great for developing general academic and soft skills. Balancing a number of commitments can help to improve your child's time management skills, while finding an area they enjoy or excel at can boost self-confidence.

### **They can open your child's mind to new interests (and views)**

Pupils may find a completely new interest that they wouldn't have been exposed to otherwise.

### **They look good on a CV**

Extra-curricular activities are great to include on a CV as evidence of well-rounded interests and skills. Participation in sport can indicate that your child has the ability to work as part of a team, the drive to reach and improve on goals and the commitment to attend regular training sessions. If your child has secured a leadership position — eg student council, digital leader, sports captain, for example — this will instantly catch the eye of anyone viewing their CV in the future.

### **They provide social opportunities**

Being part of a group or team provides a sense of belonging, with extracurricular activities offering an opportunity for your child to interact with others with similar interests and potentially build friendships outside of their usual circle.



Extra-Curricular Activities

### LOST TRACKSUIT TOP

Before the holidays one of our pupils lost an Adidas tracksuit top with navy sleeves age 11-12 on non-uniform day—please could you check that your child hasn't taken this home by accident.



### YEAR 6 CRUCIAL CREW VISIT

Crucial Crew is a nationwide initiative which was first launched in 2005. It aims to teach year 6 pupils about personal safety and encourages them to become role models for younger pupils in demonstrating safe behaviour. Every primary school in Stockton-on-Tees is invited to take part in the event.

The event included different scenarios throughout the afternoon, led by a range of agencies. Each session was focused on a specific area of personal safety.

The outcome is that pupils leave the event with an awareness of how to stay safe and also how to pass the message of personal safety on to the younger members of their school community.



All staff at The  
Glebe Primary  
School are  
committed to  
safeguarding.

## Attendance Results

Class	Percentage	Class	Percentage
RJA	100.0	3B	98.3
RW	100.0	3H	98.1
1C	85.0	4C	97.2
1J	100.0	4D	97.1
2W	94.9	5A	96.4
2R	95.5	5C	92.1
		6S	99.5
		6M	97.0