

No 17. 12th June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

It is hard to believe we are in Term 6 (especially with the weather we are now having!). Please remember to send children in with raincoats and ensure everything is NAMED! We will be putting **lost property** out for collection whenever we can and there are some really good quality coats in the box at the moment with no names on!

Our amazing parents and staff who organised the Eid Party before half term raised an incredible £410. This will go partly to charity and partly to fund our next **Community Iftar**.

Our Core Value this term is **Kindness**. We are focusing on using kind words and being the person who starts the 'ripple of kindness'. We are encouraging children to write down kind deeds they have done or seen in our Jar of Kindness in assemblies.

We have changed our **assembly time** this term to 9:05. Children will now come straight into assembly if they are late. Please try to avoid this by getting your child here on time. Gates open 8:35. Learning starts 8:45.

Staffing News: classes for next year: Please see below for the classes for next year. We have a vacancy due to Miss Key going on maternity leave and this post will be appointed to Year 3. We are interviewing a really strong field of candidates next week so will be able to share more information then. Also we welcomed a **new caretaker** this term. Nigel Evans brings a wealth of experience and a big smile! Do say hello if you see him.

The biggest FOG event of the year is coming very soon! We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the **Summer Fair on Saturday 20th June**. It is always such a lovely event with so much to do and see (and spend money on!)

There is also a flyer below for the **Family Ceilidh** event this weekend which sounds like it will be great fun. Thanks as always to FOG who do so much to raise money for the school.

We have our next **parent coffee afternoon** on Tuesday 16th June. Our School Health nurse will be attending, so if you have any questions you would like to ask feel free to come along.

The sun is coming back at the weekend!
Mrs O'Callaghan

Miss School, Miss Out!

Please make sure your child is in class ready to learn at 8.45.

Key Dates

Tues 16 June	Parent Coffee Afternoon 2-3pm all welcome
Thurs 18 th June	Chestnut Class Assembly 9.05 - 9.35 , parents/Carers are welcome
Sat 20 th June	SUMMER FAIR 11am - 2pm
Tues 23 rd June	KS1 Sports Day Rec/Yr1/Yr2 Gates open 9.30am and will finish approx. 11am.
Wed 24 th June	KS2 Sports Day Yr3/4/5/6 Gates open 9.30am and will finish approx. 11.15am.
Thurs 25 th June	Cherry Class Assembly 9.05 - 9.35 , parents/Carers are welcome
Wed 1 st July	Shuffle up day - children will spend the day in their September 2026 classes with their new teacher. Most yr6 children will be attending their new secondary schools. Please confirm with your new school.
Thurs 2 nd July	Yr6 trip to Lifeskills
Thurs 9 th July	Whole School Summer Concert, doors open at 1.30pm for 1.45pm start.
Thurs 16 th July	Yr6 Leavers Play, doors open 1.45pm for 2pm start.
Fri 17 th July	Yr6 Leavers BBQ at 6pm -8pm details to follow soon.
22 nd July	LAST DAY OF TERM 6
Mon 7 th Sept	BACK TO SCHOOL!

Star Learners

Class	This week	Last week
Ash	Jayden	Tadhg
Chestnut	Bodhi	Selah
Elm	Alexis	Safiyyah
Rowan	Orrin	Oskar
Beech	All of Beech Class!	Thelma
Cedar	Ayaan	Luqman
Oak	Otto O-M	Wilf
Hazel	Ellayana	Tati
Holly	Amity	Luke
Sycamore	Frank	Khadijah
Pine	Jesse	Blessing
Juniper	Thomas	Cole
Blossom	Larissa	Zuhaa

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments



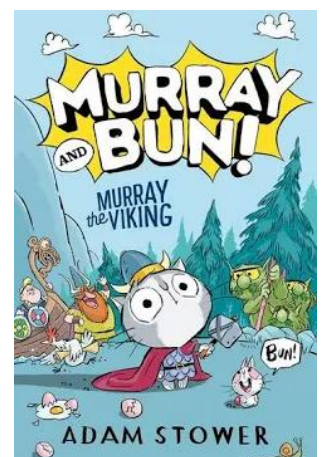
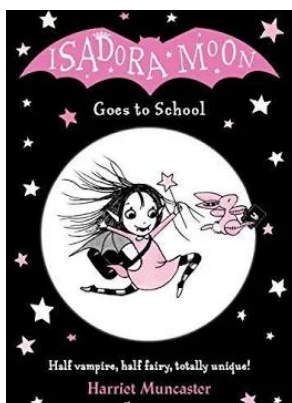
Recommended Reads: by children for children....

The books we have been enjoying lately...

Remember to use our school library to find new books!

Clemmi in Beech Class recommends *Isadora Moon Goes to School* because it is really funny. I enjoyed the friendship parts and there is also a mystery about which school she will choose.

Elliot in Oak Class recommends the *Murray and Bun* series by Adam Stower because it has great pictures and is very funny.



Classes for September 2026:

Year Group	Current Class	Moving to:
Reception	Willow: Mrs Adams and Miss Davies	Ash: Miss Abikar
	Cherry: Miss Silverthorne	Chestnut: Miss L Thomas
Year 1	Ash: Miss Abikar	Elm: Mr Ajimokunola (Mr AJ)
	Chestnut: Mrs Wallace/Miss L Thomas	Rowan: Mr Relf and Mrs Richardson
Year 2	Rowan: Mr Relf/Mrs Richardson	Cedar: Miss Pang
	Elm: Mr Ajimokunola (Mr AJ)	Beech: Current Vacancy
Year 3	Beech: Miss Pang	Oak: Miss Scott
	Cedar: Mrs Allan	Hazel: Mr Hodgkin
Year 4	Oak: Miss Scott	Sycamore: Ms Harvey
	Hazel: Mr Hodgkin	Holly: Miss Coyle (moving from Y6)
Year 5	Holly: Miss Key	Pine: Mrs Allan (moving from Year 3)
	Sycamore: Ms Harvey	Juniper: Miss Walker

Supporting Families Whilst Maintaining Our Uniform Service

From 13 July 2026, the prices of our embroidered uniform items will be revised as follows:

Product Item	Current Price	New Price
Cardigan	£9.00	£16.00
Sweatshirt	£6.30	£11.00
Fleece	£10.00	£21.00
PE T-Shirt	£4.00	£8.50

We recognise that many families continue to feel the impact of rising living costs. For this reason, Glenfrome has delayed increasing uniform prices for as long as possible by having a great relationship with our supplier. We also continue to operate a free pre-loved uniform service, where families can access good-quality second-hand uniform items free of charge.

The revised uniform prices reflect the significant increases in supplier costs that schools across the country are experiencing. Prices have been carefully reviewed to ensure that they cover the costs of purchasing, storing, managing and supplying uniform items, rather than generating a profit for the school.

We remain committed to supporting families and encouraging the use of our free pre-loved uniform scheme wherever possible. This initiative helps reduce costs for families whilst supporting our commitment to sustainability and reducing waste.

Although some of the increases may appear significant, **uniform prices have remained unchanged for 13 years** despite substantial increases in supplier costs. The revised prices reflect the actual cost of providing these items and will help ensure that the service remains sustainable for the future.

We appreciate your understanding and continued support. If you have any questions regarding the revised pricing structure, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

In reviewing our prices, we have focused on ensuring the long-term sustainability of the uniform service whilst remaining mindful of the financial pressures faced by many families.

Thank you for your continued support of Glenfrome Primary School.

Friends of Glenfrome Newsletter

Fundraising to enrich our school
and create lasting memories



Superhero FoG fundraisers!



Huge cheers to our young fundraisers!

Maja & Selah's tomato plants made £12.50, Malachy's plants £15, and the Chestnut crew's playground shop selling ice lollies, wild garlic, cookies & elderflower cordial (Yum!) £11.35 for FoG – altogether nearly a **brilliant £40!!**

Short on time?

Drum roll... our foreign coin collection raised £697.84 – thank you!



What's on?

CEILIDH – TOMORROW!

Bristol Youth Folk - folk dance & Morris dancing. Tickets still available on [Eventbrite](#). Licensed bar & refreshments supplied by FoG. We'd love you to:

- come thirsty!
All bar profits go to FoG.



BE PART OF THE FAIR!

Our biggest day of the year needs YOU! Donations now welcome at the school office: good-condition toys & books, plants, and tombola prizes. Cakes & plants: drop off Fri 19 June by 4.30pm or Sat morning (label allergens, no nuts!).

Rain or shine (stretch tents!). The fair can't happen without you – every hour helps:

- Set-up from 9am – tables & gazebos
- Pack-away at the end (to ~4pm)
- Helping on stalls during the fair



We have a handy new system for **volunteer sign-up**.

Pick a slot and join the fun:
volunteersignup.org/Y77CL

How to support:

JUN

13

SAT

5-7pm

FAMILY CEILIDH

Tickets: Book now on [Eventbrite!](#)

- Bring your dancing shoes
- Spend at the FoG bar & stalls!

JUN

20

SAT

11-2pm

SUMMER FAIR

One week to go! Could you...?

- Volunteer:** pick [your slot/activity](#)
- Donate:** tombola item or raffle prize
- Perform:** [contact Holly](#) for workshops/music

JUL

9

THU

1.45+pm

SCHOOL CONCERT

Refreshments sale after the event.

- 3+ refreshments volunteers needed.



Find out how to get involved
on the FoG WhatsApp channels

bit.ly/4hsqfut

FriendsofGlenfromePrimary@gmail.com



MOVING TO YEAR 7 WITH SEND: WHAT TO EXPECT AND HOW TO PREPARE

WITH BRISTOL PARENT CARERS AND BRISTOL EDUCATION PSYCHOLOGY SERVICE

Wednesday 8th July
7pm-8pm
Online



Book here! or
www.linkbristolparentcarers.org.uk/gethelp

BRISTOL CENTRAL YFC GIRLS TEAMS TRIAL SESSION

DEVELOPMENT TEAM CURRENT YEAR 2/3/4

U12'S TEAM CURRENT YEAR 5/6

REGISTER HERE

Date- Saturday 11th July 2026
Time- 10am-11:30am
@ The City Academy Bristol BS5 9JH

FRIENDLY AND INCLUSIVE

For more info or any questions contact- 07926949084
Regular training sessions Saturdays 10-11:30
Matches for U12's every Sunday

A warm welcome to all the families who have joined this term. We hope you enjoy your time here. Do say hello to the new families when you see them. We are also pleased to say we are once again full in reception in September which is great news!



YOU ARE INVITED TO
FAIRFIELD HIGH SCHOOL'S
Allfoxton Road Bristol
BS7 9NL

Summer Fiesta

Celebrating 20 years on site

15th July
Free entry 5:30 p.m.

- Performing arts pieces
- Dance, Drama, Music
- Market stalls
- Halal BBQ
- Multicultural food Stalls
- Ice cream
- Second hand uniform sale

If you would like to run a stall, please email
enquiries@fairfield.excalibur.org.uk
Fairfield High School



We are fundraising to refurbish our **sensory room** in the resource base. We are busy applying for various grants and have also set up a just giving page. Please do share if you can and if you know any organisations who may be able to help do let us know. Click [here](#) for the Just Giving link.



GLENFROME PRIMARY

SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 20TH JUNE

11.00AM TO 2.00PM



FREE ENTRY FOR ALL



BBQ & CAKES



BOUNCY CASTLE



GAMES



FACE PAINTING



STALLS



PERFORMANCE & WORKSHOPS



REFRESHMENTS



ICE CREAM

GLENFROME SCHOOL
COTTISFORD RD
BS5 6TY

Book a stall:
friendsofglenfromeprimary@gmail.com

Online Safety Tips

Please see the link [here](#) for tips on how to support your child to build a better digital world and have positive 'netiquette'!



FAMILY CEILIDH

Join Bristol Youth Folk and the
Friends of Glenfrome School
for an afternoon of folk
dance, music and fun!

13th June 2026

5.00PM - 7.00PM

**Glenfrome Primary School
Bristol**



<http://bit.ly/49Aqu4H>



Scan for tickets

Live ceilidh band
BYF Morris dance performance
Licensed bar and refreshments



WINDRUSH DAY

22 JUNE

EMPIRE WINDRUSH
LONDON

THE UK'S ONLY CHARITY BIRDMAN EVENT!



FREE
FAMILY
EVENT!

2026
14TH OF JUNE
11AM TO 3PM

ON BRISTOL HARBOUR, NEAR THE PUMP HOUSE
THE ANNUAL FLYING MACHINE FUNDRAISER FOR
GRASSROOT COMMUNITIES, SUPPORTING YOUNG
PEOPLE ACROSS BRISTOL!

LIVE PERFORMANCES
FOOD TRUCKS
LEGENDARY RAFFLE
FANCY DRESS COMPETITION

MORE INFO
HERE



@GRASSROOTCOMMUNITIES



14th June **Free Entry**

Birdman Fancy Dress

competition!
ALL AGES WELCOME

WIN A PRIZE **OR FLY (18+ ONLY)**

HOW TO PLAY:

- DRESS AS A BIRD
- ATTEND THE BRISTOL BIRDMAN
- GET PHOTOGRAPHED BY OUR BIRD-SPOTTERS

SPONSORED BY BRISTOL BEER FACTORY

FILM & ANIMATION SUMMER COURSES

"My daughter had the BEST time at Sparks. Massive thank you to the whole team for making this so enjoyable and teaching them valuable skills." K Rasmussen



Don't just watch movies: make them. Join Sparks for a five day action packed film or animation course. Master digital skills, make friends and create your own production.

Filmmaking ages 7-9, 9-11 & 11-14

Animation ages 7-11

at Cotham School, Bristol



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