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Dear Parents and Carers,

Mental Health & Wellbeing

This week I have found some incredible resources from the Anna Freud Foundation. Follow the link below to find thirty eight pages of information, video clips and resources to help you to support your children and family on a vast range of topics to enhance wellbeing. From managing your child's anxiety to understanding autism.

I hope you find these helpful and interesting:

https://www.mentallyhealthyschools.org.uk/resources/?Audience=ParentsAndCarers&mc_cid=c8b447801a&mc_eid=16721027a4

This week is Autism Awareness Week 2021

1 in 100 people are on the autism spectrum, and there are around 700,000 autistic adults and children in the UK alone. Though everyone on the spectrum may have different experiences and needs, World Autism Awareness Week is a chance to find out more about the challenges that people who are on the Autistic Spectrum may face.

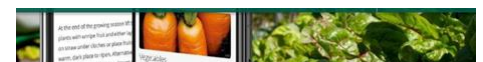
In 2021, the National Autistic Society is putting on a huge virtual event: The Super 7 Challenge! In support of the 700,000 autistic people living in the UK, you are encouraged to take on a 7-themed challenge - from running, walking or cycling, to creating art, music, or food, you can choose anything to help raise funds during World Autism Awareness Week.



Registrations for the Super 7 Challenge open in January: <https://www.autism.org.uk/get-involved/raise-money/world-autism-awareness-week>.

Gardening

Spring is here! You might be enjoying the outdoors some more now, with the pockets of colour displayed from the spring bulbs planted by our Eco team. We have been hard at work again. The team have been weeding, digging and planting seedlings ready to plant in our herb patches. You can do the same at home; try planting courgettes, beans and sweet peas for outdoor planting. For indoor planting: try tomatoes, chillies and cucumber. The RHS is a great site to get a calendar and advice for the keen green fingered children and parents.



Grow Your Own app

The RHS Grow Your Own app is full of down-to-earth advice to help everyone grow fresh, healthy fruit, vegetables and herbs



Please visit our school website to get some tips from our Eco -Team on how to sow Courgettes and Pumpkins.

Last Day of Term

The school finishes **half day for children** on the last day of term, **Thursday 1st April**:

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 finish at 1.15pm

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 finish at 1.30pm

All children will leave from their usual gates.

There will be **no pm Nursery session and no after school club**, but the morning session will be open as usual.

5-a-Day

Glade Primary School has subscribed to a full account with 5-a-day Fitness, including home access for pupils.



5-a-day Fitness is the ultimate fun fitness resource for primary schools. Increase your child's/children's daily physical activity with the online 5-minute exercise routines and 2-minute chill-out routines. Many of the resources are also available in French, Spanish and Welsh to help promote cross-curricular language learning.

The 'Home Access' allows pupils and parents/carers to use 5-a-day fitness resources at home, helping to keep children active and healthy after school, at weekends, and over the holidays.

There's no preparation required, simply log in, select a video routine, join in, have fun, get fit and learn at home! Resources are differentiated by complexity, and the language learning resources each have 3 levels of difficulty, making 5-a-day Fitness an amazing cross-curricular learning resource for children.

To access the resources, please visit <https://5-a-day.tv/> and use the following login details:

User name: GPS18

Password: MkgKzZYK

Sustrans Big Pedal



Between 19th and 30th April, we will be taking part in the Big Pedal challenge.

On each day of the challenge, schools compete to see who can record the greatest number of pupils, staff and parents that cycle, walk, scoot or use a wheelchair to school. For each day that your child walks, scoots or cycles (a park and stride of at least 5 minutes will also count), their name will be placed in a class raffle. Names will be drawn at the end of the week and prizes given out. The more times they travel actively to school, the greater chance of a prize!

Class Talks

Class talks will take place after Easter; all talks will take place over Zoom at 4pm. Login details will be shared closer to the time.

Year group	Date for Class Talks
Reception	Monday 26th April
Year 1	Tuesday 27th April
Year 2	Wednesday 28th April
Year 3	Thursday 29th April
Year 4	Friday 30th April
Year 5	Wednesday 5th May
Year 6	Friday 7th May

Times Tables Rock Stars

Well done to 6A who are on top of the leader board for their speed on Times Tables Rock Stars.



Attendance

We want all children to have the best possible attendance at school to enable each and every child to reach their full potential.




Well done to Year 4 for the highest attendance!

Our target remains at **96% whole school attendance.**

Year group	W/B 22.03.21
Nursery	75.45 %
Reception	91.53 %
Year 1	93.77 %
Year 2	90.40 %
Year 3	92.04 %
Year 4	95.67 %
Year 5	92.50 %
Year 6	91.69 %
Whole school	91.68 %

Congratulations to the following children for their achievements:

<p><u>Bronze Awards- Merits</u></p> <p>RH- Aamilah, Amara, Amrit, Aren, Maaya, Noah and Zamir 1P- Juwayriah, Nazara, Parmeet, Teresa, Ayaan, Bradley, David, Mia and Ibrahim</p>	<p><u>Silver Award- Merits</u></p> <p>RH- Talya 4D- Jasveer</p>	<p><u>Gold Award- Merits</u></p> <p>1M- Sophia and Rida 2Y- Maryam, Maria and Janaid 3C- Chenaya 3R- Safwan 5J- Remas</p>
<p><u>Reading Rocket Bronze Awards</u></p> <p>Nursery (am)- Michelle RH- Amara and Naila RM- Arjan and Micah 2Y- Saijen and Joshua 3C- Zoha 4D- Zafir</p>	<p><u>Reading Rocket Silver Awards</u></p> <p>RM- Arjan, Micah, India and Jason 1P- Amelia 2Y- Maria, Noor and Saijen</p>	<p><u>Reading Rocket Gold Awards</u></p> <p>RM- Prince 1M- Minnah and Nida 1P- Maarya and Ayaan 2Y- Eesa, Maria and Theresa 3C- Shuiab 3R- Riyah 4D- Dhruv</p>
<p><u>Star Readers</u></p> <p>1P- Eva 2Y- Hira, Aahil, Ishmael and Theresa 4D- Gabriela</p>	<p><u>Pen Licence</u></p> <p>4D - Simran 4A - Nadia and Safaa 6A - Daniyal, Adam and Crystal</p> 	

Star Writers!

'Egg-ceptional' Star Writers of the week:



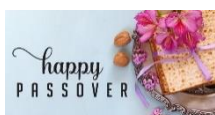
Star Writers	
Nursery am - Priya	Nursery pm- Petra
RH- Samah	RM- Deni
1M- Lovan	1P- Mia
2R- Arsema	2Y- Washish
3C- Chenaya	3R- Paisley
4A- Amelia	4D- Simran
5J- Odri	5S- Jasmine
6A- Deyjean	6E- Ashvin

Stars of the Week

Well done to our 'Stars of the Week:'
'Cracking' job!



Stars of the Week	
Nursery am – Sophia A	Nursery pm- Hana
RH- Aren	RM- Inaara
1M- Jared	1P- Zara
2R- Yaa	2Y- Janaid
3C- Dylan	3R- Aiden
4A- Sarah	4D- Haaniya
5J- Aadhav	5S- Tiahna
6A- Adam	6E- Idris

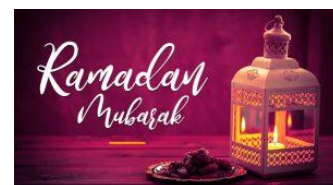


Passover

Wishing a kosher and joyous Passover to everyone observing. Chag Sameach!

Ramadan Mubarak

Happy Ramadan to everyone who will be celebrating. May the blessings of the holy month of Ramadan shower upon you and your families.



Happy Easter

On behalf of our staff and Governors, I would like to wish all of our families a safe and happy Easter. It is a time for some relaxation, fun, a little chocolate and also, a time to reflect on what's important and all that we can be grateful for. Have an 'egg-cellent' break, (sorry, I couldn't resist!)

See you all upon your return on Monday 19th April.

Yours Sincerely,

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Mrs F Hussain
Headteacher

