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GLUSBURN COMMUNITY PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Welcome back everyone to a short but no doubt busy half term. Attendance this week has been superb with today's attendance hitting a record high of 99.5%!

★ **Because children were in school this week, they have...**

- **Taken part in every lesson**, meaning they didn't miss important new learning or explanations. Gaps in knowledge have not been created
- **Built on their previous learning each day**, helping knowledge stick and grow.
- **Enjoyed their full curriculum**, including the fun, practical and hands-on activities that are hard to catch up on later.
- **Developed stronger routines**, helping them feel calm, confident and ready to learn.
- **Had more opportunities to ask questions**, get feedback and improve their work.
- **Strengthened friendships**, enjoying playtimes, group tasks and class teamwork.
- **Had consistent access to interventions or support**, such as guided reading groups, phonics sessions or targeted help.
- **Taken part in enrichment**, assemblies, PE, music, and creative projects.
- **Built good habits for the future**, seeing that being in school every day leads to success.

Thank you to the Skipton Group who have donated 20 laptops to school this week and to our Governor Tobias Neale for arranging this for us. What an amazing donation – it will make such a difference!

Next **Thursday 5th March is World Book Day**. As outlined in the parent term dates sent out in September and again in January - this is NOT a dress up year (we rotate so we can please the families who hate dressing up and the ones who love it). This year's theme as mentioned in those term dates is bring a poster about your favourite book (and bring the book in if you can). This can explain the book themes, provide information about the author, link to the text type - is it fiction or non-fiction and so on. They can be painted, drawn, done on the computer e.g canva/powerpoint. The choice is yours!

Dates for your diary

Thursdays after school- Choir

Friday after school – Drama

02 to 04.03.2026 Y6 Residential

05.03.2026 World Book Day – not dressing up – please make poster about favourite book

06.03.2026 Living Streets – Walk to School assembly

09.03.2026 South Craven school staff visiting as part of Science week activities

24.03.2026 FOGs meeting online

25.03.2026 Parent Consultations

26.03.2026 Parent Consultations

27.03.2026 Year 3 assembly for parents 2.45

27.03.2026 Break up for Easter

Birthdays – 28 children had a birthday since the last newsletter.
Happy Birthday!

Attendance over the last two weeks was **97.83%**.