



Glengowan Primary Nursery Class Newsletter



June 2021

'Glengowan is safe, nurturing, inclusive and raising achievement for all'

Happiness Honesty Teamwork Respect

Whole School and Nursery Award

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded the UNICEF Rights Respecting Silver Award. We are very proud of all our children and staff who worked collaboratively to gain this award. A special thank you to the pupils in P4 and Miss McCabe, who worked on lots of rights activities, put all the evidence together and took the virtual assessment call from Steven Kidd.



Now that we have both the Bronze and Silver Awards, we will now be working towards the top Gold Award!



Staff Retirement

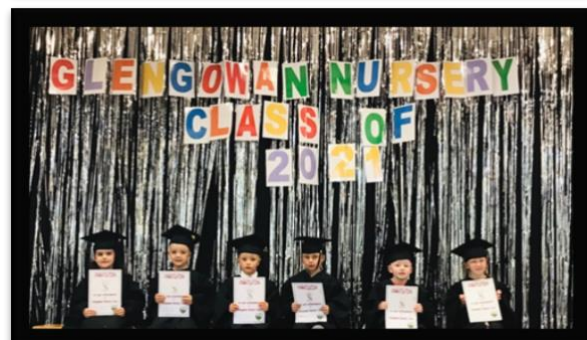
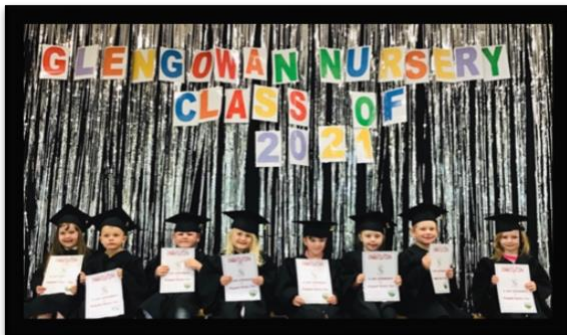
Mrs Robertson, Clerical Assistant, retired after many years of supporting the staff, pupils, parents and community at Glengowan. We wish her a long, happy and healthy retirement. The children made her a beautiful handmade Summer themed card, which she loved.

Gifts

We would respectfully ask that parents do not send gifts into school or nursery for staff. As a rule, gifts to staff should not be accepted, and it is also to follow the COVID-19 guidance and to avoid additional financial pressure it can put on families. We are very fortunate to have such generous parents and we are so grateful, however we are very aware that this has been a difficult year for everyone. This also avoids the difficulty of children and staff having to decline accepting a gift given to them. We hope you appreciate the reason for this decision, and we thank you for your understanding.

Pre School Graduation

We are so proud of all our Nursery Graduates. We wish them well as they move on to Primary School. Congratulations!



Group Sports Days!

Although we couldn't have our usual Nursery Sports Day. The groups had their own individual Sports Days. Every child, who participated, won a medal and a certificate, and had a whole lot of fun too!



Everywhere Bear Nursery to P1 Transition

We have used the Julia Donaldson book *The Everywhere Bear* as part of the transition programme from Nursery to Primary School. The children enjoyed lots of Bear learning experiences.



We have loved playing outside, taking risks and riding bikes. We have also cheered on the Scottish Football Team and learned some new rhymes.



We wish Miss Wilson the very best as moves on from Glengowan Nursery Class. Good luck!



Contact Us

North Lanarkshire Council are moving towards a new email system. This means our usual enquiries@glengowan.n-lanark.sch.uk and nursery@glengowan.n-lanark.sch.uk email will no longer be in use from the end of June. Please use gw09rhonamorrison@glow.sch.uk for the short term. We will share our new email as soon as we can. Our telephone number remains 01236 632154. You can visit our website <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/glengowanpriaryschoolwebsite/> or view our Twitter [GlengowanPS](#)



We have had a tricky year, with remote learning and restrictions put in place. We have worked hard to keep our Nursery safe, while ensuring quality and continuous learning experiences. To all those who are on holiday soon, we wish a relaxing and (hopefully) sunny Summer Break. Thank you to our families for all your support throughout the year. We look forward to meeting our new starts and our returners in August.



Thank You...
You Are Awesome!



