

# The Dinglewell Post

sharing our news with our community



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Dear Families,

5<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Attendance for this week: 94.80%

## This week

There's a new fashion trend sweeping the school - our Year 6 pupils are proudly showing off their leavers' hoodies, and we're not entirely convinced they've taken them off since they arrived!

After a well-deserved break, children have settled back into school life brilliantly. The weather has certainly kept us guessing, but thankfully our many covered areas have saved the day more than once.

There's a real buzz around the school this week as Year 6 get increasingly excited for their residential trip next week. We hope all the Year 6 children who are either on camp or in school doing fun activities have the most amazing week. Meanwhile, children in Years 3, 4 and 5 are busy planning outfits and counting down the days until their disco. Excitement levels are rising! Just a reminder that the disco is this Wednesday at 6pm – 7:15pm. The last day to buy tickets in advance is Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June, after this date tickets will be available on the door.

## Year 4 Rockstars:

Thank you to all the Year 4 children who have worked so hard to practise their times tables facts ahead of next week's MTC.

During the half-term, the following children scored top points in our tournament:

- ✓ Mr Sullivan's set: Rayan B, Jack B, George D
- ✓ Mrs Stanley and Mrs Lyon's set: Hugh B, Bukunmi S, Florence L
- ✓ Miss Frost's set: Evan B, Jack A, Sophia W

## Asthma slips

Please can you send in your asthma slips asap, if you have lost them, we have spares in the office!

## Reminder - Language Angels competition! *We are currently sat in 38<sup>th</sup> position – we need your help!*

We're excited to announce that Dinglewell Junior School is taking part in a Language Angels challenge, the Glurbs Language Quest, where we can win a school resources grant of £5000, and we need your help!

Our pupils are on a mission to boost our school's ranking by completing fun, curriculum-aligned language lessons in the Glurbs app. Designed by the team behind Language Angels, Glurbs features safe, structured, curriculum-aligned learning for children aged 4-12.

How to join the mission:

1. Download: Scan the QR code on the flyer that is provided or search for "Glurbs" in your app store (Apple or Google Play).
2. Register: Join the competition by pressing on the "Language Quest" button and enter our unique school code 8SK27PS.
3. Enjoy: Start learning and exploring! Completing planets and activities earns points for our school throughout the challenge and helps us move up the competition leaderboard!

## GLURBS LANGUAGE QUEST

You can help  
Dinglewell Junior School  
win £5000!

What is the **GLURBS** Language Quest?

The Glurbs Language Quest is a fun competition for Language Angels schools. Your children can help us earn points by completing planets of language-learning activities in the Glurbs app.

How does my child take part?

1. Scan the QR code or tap the link to download the Glurbs app.
2. Open the app and tap Sign Up to create your user account.
3. - Choose a username and password.  
- Select the language your child would like to study.  
- Choose a username and password.
4. Login and tap the Language Quest button in the top-left corner and enter our school code: **85K27PS**



Is it free?

- Yes!
- ★ Every child can complete 2 planets completely free
  - ★ These free planets still contribute points to our school's score in the competition
  - ★ There is no obligation to pay or subscribe

What about paid content?

- ★ Additional planets are available if you choose to subscribe
- ★ Completing extra planets means we score more points
- ★ Subscribing is entirely optional

When does the competition run?

- ★ 18 May 2026 (8am BST) - 12 July 2026 (7pm BST)
- ★ You can join at any time during this period

What can schools win?

- ★ We will be competing with other schools of a similar size in order to win £5000!
- ★ Depending on our final position, there are also other exciting prizes up for grabs

Is my child's data safe?

- ★ Yes! Data is handled in line with UK data protection laws
- ★ Individual pupils will not be named publicly

What is the app like?

- ★ Designed for primary-aged children
- ★ Covers French, Spanish and Italian
- ★ Fun, game-based learning through interactive "planets". Each planet covers a different topic

Key things to remember:

- ✓ Free to enter
- ✓ Your child will have fun and will be learning a foreign language
- ✓ No obligation to subscribe
- ✓ Safe and age-appropriate
- ✓ Helps your child's school potentially win funding



## Term 6 clubs

### 'Ball or nothing Athletics Club' Opportunity – Term 6

Letters have now gone out to all children about a fantastic opportunity coming up in Term 6. We're delighted to offer places in our *With the Ball* athletics club. This is a brilliant chance for children to try something new, build confidence, and enjoy being active with their friends. Please use the QR code or link below for full details & payment information.

What a great way to experience a new club as we head into the final term of the year.

<https://with-the-ball-sports-coaching.classforkids.io/info/388>

### Cheerleading club – Term 6

Our Term 5 children are absolutely *loving* Cheerleading Club — the energy, the teamwork, the confidence... it's fantastic to see! We still have spaces available, so if your child has shown even a spark of interest, now is the perfect time to join the fun. Take a look and, if you're ready to jump in, just click the link below!

<https://with-the-ball-sports-coaching.classforkids.io/info/378>

## Outside of school events



Helping an ADHD Child with Homework



FREE one hour online session for parents  
**Thursday 25th June 7pm - 8pm**  
Join us online to get some advice on how to help your ADHD child start and complete their homework.  
Book on the PARENTS - Live Talks page  
[facefamilyadvice.co.uk](http://facefamilyadvice.co.uk)

## A message from School Admission appeals – Volunteer panel member recruitment

We are in the process of recruiting volunteer Panel Members to assist with virtual School Admission Appeals for Gloucestershire Schools.

Here's the link to the relevant page on the Gloucestershire County Council website:

[Apply to become a volunteer school appeals panel member | Gloucestershire County Council](#)

## Outside school achievements



At the weekend James captained his team Abbeymead Rovers Sparks in a charity football match against his cousin's team, Longford Greens raising over £700 for Linc (Blood Cancer Charity). Linc provide funding for the Edward Jenner Unit at Gloucester Royal Hospital where his dad received treatment for Hodgkin's Lymphoma and the haematology psychology team who have also provided him with support.

After a thrilling game, Abbeymead Rovers Sparks won 1-0 and took home the inaugural Abbeymead Sparks Trophy.

Macsen/Zayn and Beauden took part in a tournament in St Andrews Birmingham City and guess what they won! Well done, a great achievement for you all!



## Celebration Assembly

Here are this week's Merit Certificate winners – well done everyone!



### Forthcoming Diary Dates

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June – Residential Year 6  
Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June – Cheerleading club  
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June – With the ball club  
Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June – Montagu club  
Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June -

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June –  
Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June – Cheerleading club  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June – With the ball club  
Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June – Montagu club  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June –

**PLEASE REMEMBER NOT TO PROVIDE NUTS OR ANY NUT DERIVATIVE FOOD  
IN SCHOOL DUE TO SEVERE ALLERGIES WITHIN OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY**



#### **Correspondence sent out this week:**

SRE letter  
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