



Thursday 22 January 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Principal Letter Spring Term – January 2026

I hope you and your family had a restful winter break. It has been a pleasure welcoming our students back for the start of the spring term. They have returned with real purpose and positivity, and the atmosphere around school reflects this. A particular well done to Year 8 and Year 9, whose maturity, resilience, and hard work during the ROA exams has been excellent. I do hope you have received a link to our latest magazine - please click [here](#) to access the amazing achievements from last term.

We also wish the very best to Year 10 as they begin their mid-year core exams on 02 February, and to Year 11 as they prepare for their Mock 2 exams after half term. Their determination continues to impress us.

Thank you to all families who completed the recent parent survey, your feedback is greatly appreciated. We were pleased to see so many positive comments, alongside a few helpful areas for development, including SEND support. We remain committed to strengthening this provision. Please look out for parent clinics, workshops, and coffee mornings in our weekly Friday bulletin, and do contact our SEND team at send@glenmoorandwinton.org.uk with any queries.

I am pleased to share that our attendance continues to improve. As highlighted in our work with the DfE, regular attendance is one of the most powerful drivers of academic success. The habits children build now - consistency, punctuality, and responsibility - form foundations that often carry into adulthood. Thank you for supporting this daily.

As we move through the term, I'd like to remind everyone of the protective factors that support strong mental health and wellbeing: good rest, positive connections, healthy sleep routines, regular exercise, a balanced diet, and reducing screen time - especially in the evenings. These habits greatly support focus, sleep quality, and emotional balance.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to a positive and successful term ahead.

Warm regards

Mr Leon Lima
Principal

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