

# GLENELM SCHOOL

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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Magandang Araw sa lahat ng mga (Good Day to all!  
Tagalog) Parents and Guardians of Glenelm School!

I hope you and your families enjoyed a wonderful summer filled with rest, joy, and special moments together. I was fortunate to spend time in the Philippines visiting my family, and it reminded me how important it is to reconnect with loved ones, something we also hope to nurture here at Glenelm.

We are thrilled to begin another exciting school year! Our staff and students are ready to dive into learning, and it was so heartwarming to see many of you at our Meet the Teacher Evening. Thank you for taking the time to connect with our teachers and experience the welcoming spirit of our school community.

This year, we are happy to welcome new members to the Glenelm family; Ms. Arlene Murphy, our new Grade 1/2 Teacher, Ms. Mika Cook and Mr. Nicholas Vesa, joining us as Educational Assistants. We are grateful for the fresh energy and expertise they bring to our school.

I encourage you to look at our Community Report on our website, where you'll find our school priorities and the wonderful initiatives we're working on to help every student thrive. At Glenelm, our goal is to nurture a love of learning while encouraging joy and instilling rigour to challenge our students.

To stay up to date with school news and upcoming events, please visit: <https://www.winnipegssd.ca/glenelm>.

Our Breakfast Program is open daily from 8:30–8:50 a.m. as of Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Students may enter through the main field-side doors and ring the doorbell for entry.

Our free Lunch Program is already underway. We are in the process of hiring a food coordinator, and will give more information about free lunches when we are able.

I am looking forward to connecting with you throughout the year. Please know that my door is always open, whether you have questions, suggestions, or simply want to share your thoughts. Together, as one community, we can continue building a positive and inspiring experience for all our students.

Lenin Mangaron,  
Principal

# >>> PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Glenelm Parent Advisory Council (PAC) welcomes students and families to the 2025–26 school year! PAC works in partnership with the school on small and large initiatives to enhance the school. Learn more about the role of a PAC here:

<https://www.winnipegssd.ca/page/9384/parent-council>

PAC held its Annual General Meeting immediately after the 'Meet the Teacher' BBQ. Thank you so much to everyone who attended. The 2025–26 executive is:

Co-Chair: Rodney Thompson (Abriella, grade 2)

Co-Treasurer: Jamie Skinner (Vera, grade 6)

Co-Treasurer: Kaylee Walker (Olivia, grade 6 and Ben, grade 4)

Co-Secretary: Andy Brandt (Mason, grade 6)

Co-Secretary: Theresa Ferreira (Ronan, nursery)

Co-chair: vacant

Parents and guardians at Glenelm are always welcome to connect with PAC. The email is [GlenelmSchoolPAC@gmail.com](mailto:GlenelmSchoolPAC@gmail.com).

The next meeting will be **Thursday, October 2**, at 6:30pm in the school library.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Students/children of those attending are welcome to attend and keep each other busy during the meeting. More formal on-location childcare can be arranged if needed.



# GLENELM STAFF LIST

OFFICE STAFF	
Principal	Lenin Mangaron
School Clerk	Bonnie Reimer
Library Tech	Jennica Labeniego

TEACHING STAFF	
Kindergarten & Nursery	Angel Ronquillo
Grade 1/2 - Room 7	Arlene Murphy
Grade 2/3 - Room 5	Mandy Whelan
Grade 3/4 - Room 6	Jolyn Barkman
Grade 4/5 - Room 1	Arielle Garand
Grade 5/6 - Room 8	Angie Ferguson
Music	Stacey Smith
Gym	Yooshin Park
Resource	Michelle Lightfoot

EDUCATION ASSISTANTS	
Angela Martens	Evelyn Potter
Maryann Silva	Sean Sansom
Mika Cook	Ciara Muise
Nicholas Vesa	

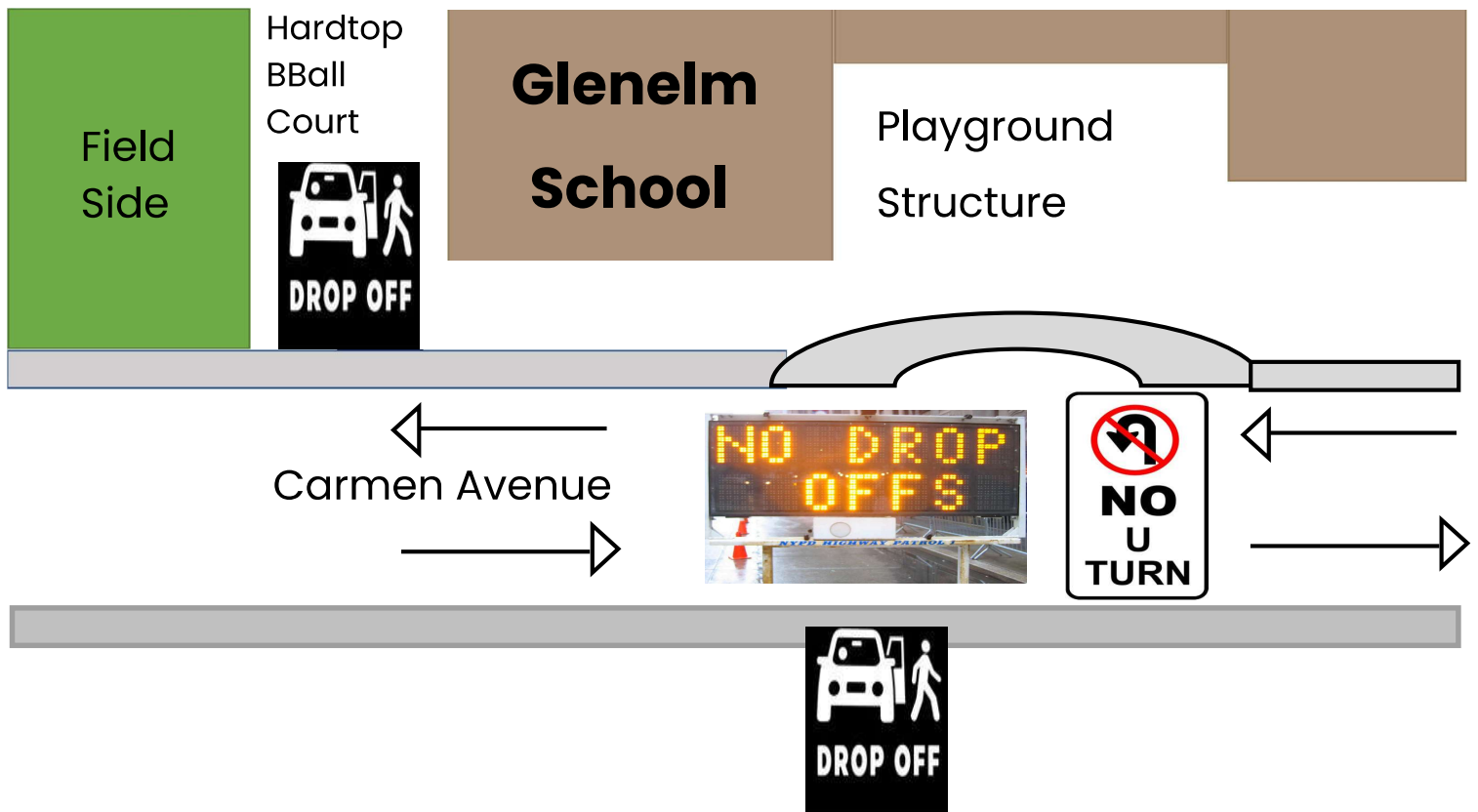
CARETAKERS
Colin Lewis
Ferdinand Ortega

CROSSING GUARD - Ray Tourond
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# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2025-2026**

Wednesday, September 3	- First Day of Classes
Tuesday, September 30	- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - NO SCHOOL
Wednesday, October 8	- NO CLASSES
Monday, October 13	- Thanksgiving - NO SCHOOL
Friday, October 24	- NO CLASSES
Tuesday, November 11	- NO SCHOOL
Thursday, November 20	- Parent/Teacher Conferences - Evening
Friday, November 21	- Parent/Teacher Conferences - Morning - NO CLASSES
Monday, December 22 to Friday, January 2	- Winter Break - NO SCHOOL
Friday, January 16	- School based PD - NO CLASSES
Monday, February 2	- NO CLASSES
Monday, February 16	- Louis Riel Day - NO SCHOOL
Thursday, March 19	- Student-Led Conferences - Evening
Friday, March 20	- Student-Led Conferences - Morning - NO CLASSES
Monday, March 30 to Friday, April 3	- Spring Break - NO SCHOOL
Friday, April 10	- NO CLASSES
Friday, May 8	- NO CLASSES
Monday, May 18	- Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL
Friday, June 26	- School based PD - NO CLASSES
Tuesday, June 30	- Last Day of Classes - Early dismissal at 11:30

# >>> DROP OFF ZONE



We would like to create a safer drop off area for the students at Glenelm between the times of 8:45am-9:00am, 12:45pm-1:00pm, and 3:30pm-3:45pm.

Please see the map above and yield to the following signs.

Thank you for your cooperation.

# SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

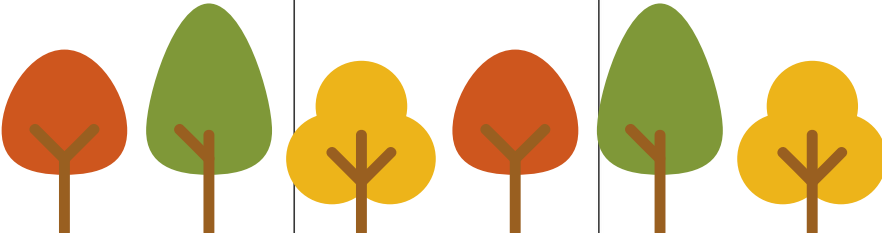
**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**

<b>September 1</b>  	<b>September 2</b> <b>day 1</b>  Meet the Teacher 4:00 - 6:00 pm	<b>September 3</b> <b>day 2</b>  First Day of School Grades 1-6	<b>September 4</b> <b>day 3</b>  First Day of Nursery 8:55 - 11:30 am	<b>September 5</b> <b>day 4</b>  First Day of Kindergarten (& Nursery) 8:55 - 11:30 am
<b>September 8</b> <b>day 5</b>	<b>September 9</b> <b>day 6</b>	<b>September 10</b> <b>day 1</b>	<b>September 11</b> <b>day 2</b>	<b>September 12</b> <b>day 3</b>
<b>September 15</b> <b>day 4</b>  Student Packages Due	<b>September 16</b> <b>day 5</b>	<b>September 17</b> <b>day 6</b>  Grade 6 Immunizations	<b>September 18</b> <b>day 1</b>	<b>September 19</b> <b>day 2</b>
<b>September 22</b> <b>day 3</b>	<b>September 23</b> <b>day 4</b>	<b>September 24</b> <b>day 5</b>  Mobile Vision Testing	<b>September 25</b> <b>day 6</b>	<b>September 26</b> <b>day 1</b>
<b>September 29</b> <b>day 2</b>  Orange Shirt Day Walk	<b>September 30</b>  NATIONAL DAY OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION - NO SCHOOL			



# STUDENT SUPPORT PROCESS

Restorative practices can help strengthen relationships among students, families, and staff when concerns arise at school.

Let's work together to resolve matters and make sure everyone has a safe learning environment.



1

Speak with your child about the situation to gain their perspective.



2

Contact the classroom teacher. Teachers are directly involved with students and offer the best insight.

3

If concerns are not addressed, reach out to the school principal for support.



4

For ongoing issues, call the Superintendent's Department at 204-775-0231. Indicate the school you are calling about. WSD leadership will respond.

5

If challenges persist, contact the Board and Community Liaison Officer at 204-789-0469. They work with families and the Board of Trustees to reach a solution.

More information: [Restorative Practice Policy](#)



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