



# Calmore Infant School

Autumn Newsletter 5– Friday 6th October 2025

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Dear Parents,

This has been another busy week, with photographs to show how grown up we look at school and new phonics groups for some children. We have been really impressed with the maturity that our children are showing and how hard they are working in class.

## Illnesses

We are at the time of year when we will start to see more illnesses, we want to keep our children and staff fit and well. Please can we remind you that we are unable to have children in school if they have a temperature, even if they have been given Calpol to lower the temperature. We do not want to pass illnesses to other children and staff.

Please make sure that you give us plenty of contact numbers and names on your child's Arbor account in case we need to phone you. It is really hard for young children to have to wait a long time to be picked up when they are ill and means that staff cannot be with the other children.

## Winter Warmers

We are looking forward to welcoming our families back into school for our annual Winter Warmers session. This is a time where children come back with their families, wearing their pyjamas to share lots of bedtime stories and have a hot chocolate.

Siblings are welcome. Please book via Arbor so we have an idea of numbers.



## Transition to Junior School- Year 2 Families

We know that lots of parents have been to the junior school either today or yesterday. If you have missed the tours please give the junior school a ring and they will arrange a convenient time for you to look around.

School applications online open in November, which is fast approaching!

## Attendance

This weeks whole school attendance is 96.2%. Penguins won the biscuit break this week with 98.4% attendance. Well done Penguins!



## Nerf Wars for Year 1 & 2

There are still some spaces available on our Nerf wars event on 22<sup>nd</sup> October from 4:15pm - 5:15pm. Children will take part in age-appropriate Nerf challenges in a supervised environment with the help of our sports coaches, Team Spirit, using foam darts and protective eye wear which will be supplied for your child. They will take part in a playful and safe event designed to encourage teamwork, coordination and lots of fun! If you wish to sign up please look under the trips section on Arbor.



## Water Bottles

We only allow children to bring in water in their water bottles. Water and milk are both offered at school and as part of our healthy eating policy we do not allow any squash or flavoured water. Please rest assured that whilst children tell you they do not like water, they do drink it at school alongside their peers quite happily!



## Well Done Certificates and Thank you Stars:

<u>Ducklings:</u>	<u>Penguins:</u>
<u>Owls:</u> Bobby & Priya	<u>Goldfinches:</u> Teddy, Lils & Charlotte
<u>Robins:</u> Jacob, Tommy & Lucas	<u>Swallows:</u> Lilly H, Winston & Louis



We hope you have a wonderful weekend with your families.  
Mrs Willes and Mrs Weaver