



Calmore Infant School

Autumn Newsletter 6 – Friday 17th October 2025

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Dear Parents,

It was lovely to welcome parents into school to look through your children's books. The children really enjoyed showing off their work, and we hope this gave you an insight into their day at school and all the wonderful learning they are doing.

We are looking forward to Parents' Evening next week, where class teachers will share your child's progress and discuss their next steps in learning. Please make sure you attend the time slot you have booked, as it is difficult to rearrange appointments due to meetings and after-school clubs.

Harvest Festival

Next week we will be welcoming you all in for your child's Harvest celebration.

Please see the dates and times below:

Year R - 2:15pm Thursday 23rd October

Year 1 - 1:30pm Wednesday 22nd October (no more than 2 people per family)

Year 2 - 9am Wednesday 22nd October

Donations for the Food Bank

We collect for the food bank as part of our harvest celebrations, we think about what it means to need a little help at times.

If you are able to help, please see the attached poster as well as sending in long life items to give as food parcels at Christmas such as Christmas biscuits. We will collect these items in school, and the Food Bank will come and collect them at the end of next week.



See the items we most need this week

Scan to download **BanktheFood** app

Search 'Totton Basics Bank'



Well Done Certificates and Thank you Stars:



Ducklings:

Owls: Raphaella, Ralph & Orla

Robins: Freya, Rowan & Maxwell

Penguins:

Goldfinches: Callie, Emery & Miah

Swallows: Amelia & Sophia



Attendance

This weeks whole school attendance is 97.7% . Swallows won the biscuit break this week with 99.2% attendance. Well done Swallows!



School's car park

We have recently witnessed instances of dangerous driving within our school car park, particularly during breakfast / morning clubs at the Junior School drop-off.

We would like to remind all parents and carers that vehicles are not permitted to enter the school car park at any time.

This rule is in place to protect the safety of our children, families, and wider school community. If this continues to be disregarded, we will have no choice but to close the school gates to ensure everyone's safety. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us keep our school environment safe for all.



School Photos Reminder

Free delivery for school photo orders ends this Sunday, so don't forget to place any orders this weekend. They make great Christmas presents!

New School Dinner Menus

We have a new school dinner menu starting after October half term. The new menu is attached to this email. We will be starting the first week back after October half term on Week 1. Our school website will be updated shortly with the revised menus as well.



FCIS Meeting:

FCIS are holding their next meeting on Tuesday 21 October at 6pm in the school hall. Please come along if you can to support FCIS with their upcoming events.



The poster features a festive banner at the top with colorful triangles and stars. The text is centered and uses various colors and fonts to highlight key information. There are three illustrations: a Christmas tree and ornament, a stack of books and a toilet, and a cup of coffee with a cookie.

Join us for the next

FCIS MEETING

Tuesday 21 Oct at 6 pm

meet at the school hall

We will be planning Christmas Events - the more volunteers the better!



Find out what we are raising money for!

Who can join and attend the meetings?

PARENTS GUARDIANS TEACHERS

COMMUNITY MEMBERS

AND GRANDPARENTS

Everyone is welcome!

Please join us for an informal meeting, learn about activities we have planned for the upcoming year and how you can help. Coffee and cookies will be served.



We hope you have a lovely weekend and enjoy some of this super autumnal weather. The forest is wonderful at this time of year with all the impressive colours of autumn.

Mrs Willes and Mrs Weaver