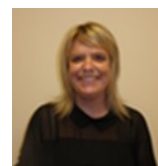


Head Teacher and Operational Head Teacher News



When we wrote the last newsletter piece of 2020 little did we know that we would be next communicating with you under the circumstances we are now in. We do hope you all managed to have a happy time over the Christmas Break and we wish you a Happy New Year. As you all know provision for the children is different depending on whether they are on site or not. Please ensure you keep an eye on eSchools and our text messaging service for key information. We are, of course, aiming to give all the children the best learning opportunities we can.



Despite all of this it gives us great pleasure to announce the names below of the children who were given an Achievement Award last term. Ordinarily there would be an assembly to celebrate these children - rest assured we are going to ensure they get the recognition they deserve!

Reception Khalisah, Ezra, Emily, Saniyya, Michael, Hanna

Year 1 Eli, Yogi, Jessica, Oscar, Ivy, Tirth

Year 2 Rayyan, Maryam, Lilianna, James, Mamadou, Julia

Year 3 Mike, Amelia, Theo, Brax, Almila, Imogen

Year 4 Elliot, Tamsin, Ruby, Apilesh, Sofia, Joel

Year 5 Kadie, Gaywalin, Amelie, Cayden, Nikodem, Elizabeth

Year 6 Charlie, Yamin, Daisy-May, Rhian, Owen, Kierney



They have proved themselves to be Calton **STARS** - we wonder who it will be for the Spring Term?



Sarah Bunce, Head Teacher

Jane Barker-Doe, Operational Head Teacher



Calton Playgroup News

We would like to welcome back the children who have returned after the Christmas break and a BIG hello to the children who have not returned yet.

This week we have been using our imagination in our Winter Wonderland...playing alongside each other, exploring mathematically, mark making, persevering, working together and communicating. The tuff tray is amazing for promoting all kinds of learning.

Don't forget 15th January 2021 is the deadline to apply to Shire Hall for a Reception place in September 2021.



Nursery Rhyme: Rub-a-dub-dub, three men in a tub, and who do you think they be? The butcher, the baker, the candlestick-maker, Turn 'em out, knaves all three.



In this time please parents just do your best you are all doing a great job with your children. Remember the first place your child learns is in the home, when children are playing, they are learning. We are all **STARS**



REMINDER, please remember to send your child into playgroup with lots of layers of clothing to stay warm in this cold weather

Jackie Swankie, Playgroup Manager



Key dates for your diaries



2021

15th January	Deadline to apply to Shire Hall for a Reception place to start in Sept 2021
11th February	End of Term 3
12th February	No longer an INSET DAY as taken on 04.01.21 instead,
22nd February	Start of term 4
1st March	Secondary School Allocation Day
8th March (midnight)	Deadline to accept Secondary School place
1st April	End of Term 4
16th April	Primary School Allocation Day
19th April	Start of Term 5
28th May	End of Term 5
7th June	Start of Term 6
16th July	End of Term 6

2021 / 2022

6th September	Start of term 1
22nd October	End of term 1
1st November	Start of term 2
17th December	End of term 2
4th January 2022	INSET DAY, school closed to pupils
5th January	Start of term 3
18th February	End of term 3
28th February	Start of term 4

Reporting Pupil Absences

If your child will be absent from school due to illness, please telephone the school office, before 9am, stating child's name, class and the nature of the illness.

01452 527689

Medical Appointments

We understand that hospital appointments need to be attended at times offered, however, **we ask that routine Doctor and Dental appointments are made out of school hours.**

Year Group Emails

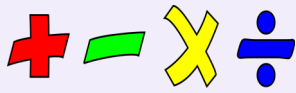
You are able to contact teachers with home learning queries via the following Year group emails:

yearreception@caltonprimary.co.uk
yearone@caltonprimary.co.uk
yeartwo@caltonprimary.co.uk
yearthree@caltonprimary.co.uk
yearfour@caltonprimary.co.uk
yearfive@caltonprimary.co.uk
yearsix@caltonprimary.co.uk

Please continue to email the school office for all other communication:
admin@caltonprimary.co.uk

"Confident People Shining; developing skills for life, supporting each other in our team, achieving our best and always showing respect because successful learners are the STARS at Calton Primary School."

Skills Team Achieve Respect Success



DoodleMaths



Well done for working so hard on your home learning.

Top Doodlers of the week

Year R Madany, Rhona, Ayesha

Year 1 Chloe, Adam, Jessica

Year 2 Alexander, Rayyan, Lilianna

Year 3 Alisha, Sarah, Anuj

Year 4 Zaina, Rayyan, Wiktor

Year 5 Courtney, Adyan, Aiden

Year 6 Nathan, Charlotte, Aaron



Doodlers in the Green Zone

Year R Madany, Thomas, Darcie, Zahid, Clara, Rhona, Oliver, Iggy, Olivia, India, Ayesha, Oban, Emily, Imogen,

Year 1 Chloe, Adam, Ivy, Shana, Riley, Tirth, Jessica, Aayan,

Year 2 Alexander, Jude, Mamadou, Austin, Rayyan, Jack, Oliwia, Lilianna, Leo, Layla, Rafael

Year 3 Zack, Elliot, Almila, Abigail, Samuel, Sarah, Hanah, Harveer, Adhil, Tyler, Anuj, Noah

Year 4 Zaina, Shabibah, Benaiah, Rayyan, Anna, Sebastian, Fletcher, Wiktor, Thomas, Rhemmy, Rachel,

Year 5 Courtney, Tobias, James, Nathaniel, Adyan, Samuel, Nikodem, Adnaan, Erasmus, Maximilian, Zach, Joel, Kelsie, Aiden, Maja

Year 6 Nathan, Mason, Katie, Tyrese, Holly, Charlotte, Jack, Aaron, Sasha



Doodle English

Well done for working hard on your Doodle English.

Top Doodlers of the week

Year 1 - Jessica, Shana

Year 2 - Alexander, Rayyan, Lilianna

Year 3 - Zack, Demi, Sarah

Year 4 - Zaina, Fletcher, Evie

Year 5 - Tobias

Year 6 - Phoebe, Ethan, Nathan



Doodlers in the Green Zone

Year 1 - Joey, Victoria, Aayan

Year 2 - Austin, Imogen, Dominic, Damian

Year 3 - Elliot, Samuel, Alisha, Noah, Bayley, Harveer

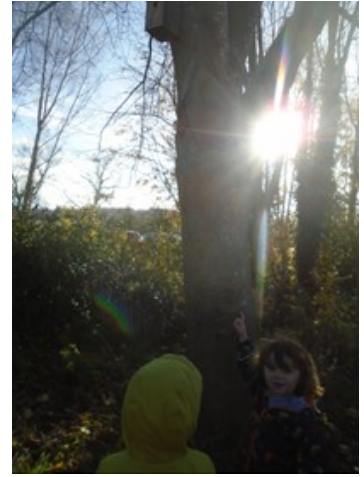
Year 4 - Matthew, Cerys, Caleb, Anna, Sebastian, Wiktor, Ella-Rose, Macie, Lilly, Rachel, Thomas

Year 5 - Ethan, Nathaniel, Noah, Eliot

Year 6 - Charlotte, Mason, Tyrese, Katie

Playgroup Forest School

"It's a bird house!" We explored the different bird and bat boxes. →



← "look at all these snails!"
Collecting snails.



← Talking with Hetty hedgehog about what we could hear.

Allotment Fun!

"I wonder who lives in this hole?" →



← A beautiful visitor in our school allotment in December



← "There's something living in there. I wonder what?"



← Talking about different tools we use

Exploring "It looks like a tent" →



★ Achievement Awards ★

These children were selected to receive an Achievement Award in Autumn 2020. Unfortunately, due to Covid, the usual Achievement Award assembly, where parents are invited in to school, cannot take place.

Well done to the following children:

Reception

Khalisah, Ezra, Emily, Saniyya, Michael, Hanna

Year 1

Eli, Yogi, Jessica, Oscar, Ivy, Tirth

Year 2

Rayyan, Maryam, Lilianna, James, Mamadou, Julia

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Mike, Amelia, Theo, Brax, Almila, Imogen

Year 4

Elliot, Tamsin, Ruby, Apilesh, Sofia, Joel

Year 5

Kadie, Gaywalin, Amelie, Cayden, Nikodem, Elizabeth

Year 6

Charlie, Yamin, Daisy-May, Rhian, Owen, Kierney

This award is very special as they are given only to children who have made the most progress – this is tracked very carefully and as you will know the children are given targets in order to continue to improve.

Calton are very proud with the progress that these children made, both socially but mostly academically, in the Autumn Term 2020.

Certificates are on their way!



★ Well Done ★

Year 1 Fairy Tale Ball - Thursday 17th December

What a ball Year 1 had!

