

CALDERBRIDGE PS SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER



Children Leading Learning!

Captain and Vice Captains 24/25



Welcome to our September issue. What an amazing start to the term. The children look exceptional in their full school uniform, their manners have been outstanding and confidence in putting themselves forward for a leadership role has been heartwarming.

This month we launch our children's committees. The aim of all committees is to lead improvements across our school and community. Through these learning experiences children continue to develop skills for learning, life and work! Committees this year are:

Captains and Vice Captains

Digital Leaders

Global Citizens and Children's Rights

Monitors and Buddies

Literacy Leaders

JRSOs

Sports Leaders

Litter Heroes

All successful candidates will be revealed in the October Newsletter!

Promoting Positive Behaviour and Relationships

For our children to fulfil our aspiration of being **A School of Happiness**, it is important we work in partnership promoting our school values:



➤ **Ready**

Our children have a right to feel ready to learn. We are committed to ensuring we are able to provide a high quality service to ensure our children reach their full potential!



➤ **Respectful**

Our children have a right to feel respected and to respect others. Their voices are heard and opinions valued to make Calderbridge Primary the best place to learn, grow and thrive!



➤ **Safe**

Our children have a right to feel safe in their classroom, the playground and the school. Our children's wellbeing is at the heart of our work. Only when children feel safe, can they learn.

All children have an identified adult they can seek support from. This is usually their class teacher, can be a member of support staff or a member of the leadership team. Any concerns you have please contact the office who will direct your call. A member of the team will work with you and your family to find a resolution. As we say at Calderbridge *"Anything can happen if you let it!"*

Questions to ask your child

- What colour did your peg land on today? (Whole class initiative promoting good choices)
- Who got star of the day and why? (Celebrating other achievements who are showing a commitment to our school values).
- Who won class won of the week and enjoyed an extra playtime? (Promoting friendship and respect). [Copies of our Promoting Positive Behaviour and Relationships Leaflets](#) are available from the school office on request.

Showcasing Learning



Memories from last years Primary 3/2 Assembly Stars!

All children will be provided with the opportunity to showcase their learning with their classmates. You are invited to attend, enjoy the performance and celebrate with a refreshment with your child and their class teacher. Assembly times this session for each class is:

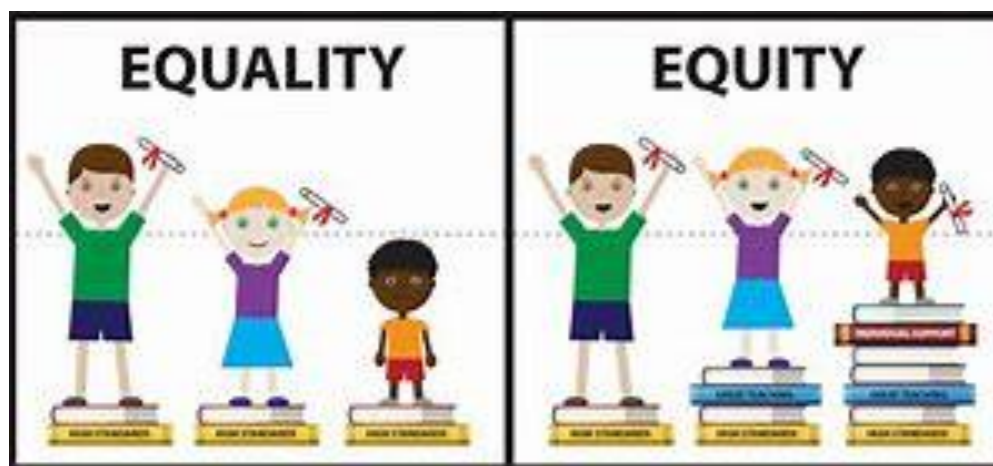
Class	Date
P7	Friday 4 th October 2024
P5/4	Friday 25 th October 2024
P4	Friday 15 th November 2024
P6	Friday 29 th November 2024
P7/6	Friday 10 th January 2025
P3	Friday 31 st January 2025
P3/2	Friday 21 st February 2025
P2	Friday 7 th March 2025
P1a	Friday 4 th April 2025
P6/5	Friday 2 nd May 2025
P1b	Friday 30 th May 2025

Calderbridge PC and PTA

Our AGM takes place on Thursday 19th September 2024 @ 6pm within Calderbridge PS.

It is with high hopes NEW and OLD members can make or meeting.

Pupil Equity Funding 73,500



To improve outcomes for our children who are impacted by poverty, we have increased our staffing and leadership team. This approach has proven to improve outcomes for our children and raise attainment with the aim of closing the attainment gap. More information can be found within our Annual Improvement Report and Plan, available online and from the school office.

School Improvement Priorities This Year:

Cluster Priority

To better understand our individual family's needs and provide effective interventions which will improve families' circumstances. We will work with partners to help parents minimise financial hardship to ensure all children are not at risk of missing learning experiences session 2024/2025.

Priority 1

Learners will make very good progress from their prior writing attainment. All staff will provide children with regular opportunities to write in a variety of forms, ensuring core and genre target are well met. Attainment will improve for all year groups.

Priority 2

To develop children's skills in Digital Literacy. Our curriculum will include digital pathways and a digital environment to facilitate the develop of new skills which will also be explored in the classroom. We are going to increase staff's confidence in digital pedagogies leading to sustainable change in digital.



The Captains and Vice Captains first role this year is to organise our annual Fundraiser. This year the members decided to have a ...

Fun Day Thursday

26th September 2024

Children can come to school wearing their House Colours and bring some loose change to participate in a wide range of fun activities to raise funds!



PE Kit

All children have PE twice a week.

Children can wear their kit underneath their uniform or bring it to school in their bag.
Children should not come to school in their PE kit.

Important Dates for your Diary

September 2024

- Friday 27 September and Monday 30 September 2024 (September weekend)