



FRIDAY FOCUS

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1. THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

Science Week

Firstly a huge thank you to Miss Ball who has been instrumental in planning and delivering a wonderful science week for Years 3, 4 and 5 (Year 6 will enjoy the same later in Summer 1) Gasps and cheers came spilling out of the school hall this week as she conducted the most exciting and awe-inspiring assembly. Back in class, the children have been getting their hands dirty with the digestive system in Year 3; changing materials (chocolate, butter, metals) in Year 4 and investigating gravity in Year 5. Science is understanding how our world works - being curious, asking questions and making predictions. It's best done practically and the children have certainly experienced all that this week. Please take a look at Instagram/Facebook for more photos of this fabulous learning.

STAFF LEAVING

It is with huge sadness, that I have to announce that 3 of our wonderful members of staff are leaving us today. Jane Roulstone, who has worked in our kitchen for over 25 years, is retiring; Mrs Kearley, who has been working with Year 5 is off to pastures new and Mrs Luscombe from the office team who is off to a wonderful new career. We thank them all for being such valued members of our Calmore Family and wish them all the very best in their new ventures. Miss Ingram will be in 5CI, full time, after Easter.



2. LIFE LESSONS IN YEAR 6

The entire Year 6 team would like to say how proud we are with the attitude and effort shown by our wonderful Year 6 pupils this week. We have held a 'Mock SATs week' to help prepare them for the real thing in May. This is not done to worry or place added pressure but to help the children in understanding that even when we don't like the thought of something, we CAN do it and we WILL be OK. The children have excelled this week and really impressed us all with their determination and desire to do their very best - it was a joy to see their faces when they saw the progress they have made since September!

Outstanding! Well done, Year 6 - we are so very proud of you ALL!



3. REMINDERS

We have had a couple of enquiries about dates and how these are communicated. Following feedback taken from recent parent questionnaires, many of you have requested less emails, each week. We therefore streamlined our Friday Focus and tried to limit communication to fewer messages. Key dates are listed and updated on here every week while past newsletters can also be found on the school website: www.calmorejunior.co.uk These events are also uploaded to Google calendar on the website which in turn can be synced to your mobile phone, if you have a Google account. We also have the dates on the big blue noticeboard by the main school gate. These will be updated after Easter.



4. PE DAYS

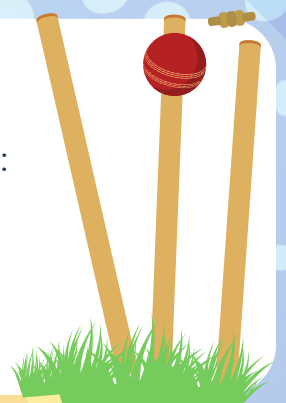
After Easter, your child will have PE on the following days:

Y3 - Tuesday & Friday

Y4 - Tuesday & Thursday

Y5 - Monday & Thursday

Y6 - Monday & Wednesday



CELEBRATION AND AWARDS

Headteacher Awards

Congratulations to this week's Headteacher Award winners!

Y3 - Liana & Harry S **Y4 - Lois & Ella**
5 - Ella & Bella **Y6 - Dalton & Logan**

ACTIVE Awards

Well done to these children who have been demonstrating one or more of our learning behaviours

Y3 - Winston & Maisey **Y4 - Poppy P & Nyla**
Y5 - Spencer & Max **Y6 - Shay & Nate**

Golden Tokens!

The lucky 8 whose names were plucked from the hat as reward for being on the golden zone this week.

Y3 - Ethan Br and Sophie **Y4 - Lily N & Daisy**
Y5 - Aria and Ethan Ba **Y6 - Logan and Elisiya**



KEY DATES

Y3 Y4 Y5 Y6 ALL

Mon 13th Apr - Back to school (Bring in Cakes for the CJSA Cake Competition)

Thurs 23rd Apr, 9-10:30am - Year 3 Marcus Dilly Romans show (parents invited)

Thurs 23rd Apr, 1:10-2:30pm - Year 6 Marcus Dilly Mayans show (parents invited)

Thurs 23rd Apr, 3:15pm - Year 6 SATS parents meeting

Fri 24th Apr, 4:30-6:30pm - Chocolate Bingo

Mon 5th May - Bank Holiday (SCHOOL SHUT)

Mon 11th - Thurs 14th May - Year 6 SATs

Thurs 21st May, 2:30pm - Year 5 Exit Point

Fri 22nd May, 1:30-2:30pm - M&M Theatre, The Secret Garden

23rd - 31st May - HALF TERM HOLIDAY

Mon 1st Jun - Class Photos

Weds 3rd - Fri 5th June - Y6 Tile Barn residential

Tues 9th Jun - Year 4 trip to SeaCity Museum

Weds 10th Jun, 9:30-12 - Sports Day

Thurs 18th Jun - Non-uniform day (£2)

Thurs 2nd & Fri 3rd Jul - Y6 Move Up Days

Thurs 2nd - Y3/4/5 Move up day

Fri 17th Jul, 3:15-4:15pm - CJSA Colour Run

Wednesday 22nd July 2026 - Last day of term

2025/26 INSET days: 19th Jun 2026

HAPPY
EASTER

Our Easter
Raffle raised
£300

Thank
you!



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CJSA SPRING SUMMER

CAKE COMPETITION!



BRING YOUR CAKE INTO SCHOOL
MONDAY 13TH APRIL!

Please label with your **NAME** & a list of **INGREDIENTS**

NO NUT PRODUCTS PLEASE!

Cakes will be judged **ANONYMOUSLY**
& there will be a **PRIZE** for **WINNER!**



GET BAKING & GOOD LUCK!

