Dates for Your

DIARY

Wednesday 2nd October

School Photographs—Individual and siblings

Thursday 10th October

Flu vaccinations in school

Monday 14th October

Year 6 trip to Cannock Chase

Tuesday 15th October

Diwali Dance Workshop for Reception and Year 3

Thursday 17th October

Theatre Production in school— The Wizard Of Oz

Monday 21st October

Tudor Workshop for Year 5

3—6 p.m KS2 Parents Evening

Wednesday 25th October

3—6 p.m Reception and KS1 Parents Evening

Friday 25th October

BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM

Monday 4th October

RETURN TO SCHOOL

A message from the **PRINCIPAL**

NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

As always we have had a busy and productive start to our school year.

Thank you to all those parents who are making sure their children attend regularly as good attendance is so important in making sure your child makes progress and reaches their full potential.

We are also trying hard to make sure that children are wearing the correct uniform as this sets them up for good practices not only in Secondary School but also for the world of work. Please make sure that your child is wearing school trousers and not leggings or joggers. (See overleaf)

A reminder also to please 'Greet Your Child with a Smile, not a Mobile Phone' As part of our effort to create a warm and welcoming environment, we encourage parents and carers to greet their children with a smile instead of being distracted by mobile phones.

Let's make those moments as special as possible! Primary school pick-ups do not last forever.

As you can see, we have lots of exciting trips and visitors in school this half term so lots for the children to look forward to.

Please make a note of the dates and times of our upcoming Parents' Evenings as we would really like to let you know how your child is progressing and how you can help us at home to maximise this even more. You really can make a difference!

Thank you for all your support and have a lovely weekend!

Mrs H Mitchell Principal

UNIFORM

Please help us to make sure your child is wearing the correct uniform so that they look smart in school and part of our wonderful community.



Red polo shirt

Plain red or black sweatshirt

Black shorts or track suit bottoms

PE KIT

Trainers or black pumps



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow



Every school Day Cour

Welcome Back!

I would like to begin by saying thank you all for how we ended our last year with attendance and I hope we continue with great attendance this year.

Remember EVERY school day counts.

If you miss a day of school, you can never repeat it. So lets all try our best to be an Attendance HERO:

Here

Everyday

Ready

On time!

Remember:

Start time is 8:45am for all children

Finish time is 3:10pm for Reception, Year 1 and 2

Finish time is 3:20pm for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

I would like to remind you that we have an open door and you are always welcome to come and speak to us if you are struggling with your child's attendance. We are here to help and advise.

Safeguarding



This Month's Focus-The Team!

As we start the year I would like to remind you all that at Caldmore Primary Academy, safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children is everyone's responsibility and our top priority. Everyone who comes in to contact with the children and families who comprise our community has a role to play.

This is a reminder to all parents of who our Safeguarding Team are here at Caldmore, and what their roles and responsibilities are. If you are in need of support or advice, these are the people to ask.



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YEAR 2 TRIP TO

Year 2 had a fantastic trip to Warwick Castle for their topic Towers, Tunnels and Turrets. They learnt all about castle life and loved the birds of prey and Zog shows! Their behaviour was excellent at all times. Well done Year 2!





NURSERY

Nursery had their first Muddy Monday session in our Forest School provision. They are trying hard to follow rules and routines outside the classroom and did fantastic lining up to go down to Forest school.

They enjoyed exploring, digging, mixing and lots more and we are really proud of how they are settling in this term.



Club Timetable — Autumn 1 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime					KS2 Choir
After School	Y6 Maths Club 4.20 p.m finish	Year 3 and 4 Boys football 4.15 finish	Year 5and 6 Boys football Gardening Club— pick up at the Com- munity Garden Both 4.15 finish	Year 4 , 4 and 6 Girls football Year 4 and 5 Secret Mission Club with Commando Tom Both 4.15 finish	Keyboard Club Judo Club Both 4.15 finish

Please help us by collecting your child on time every day after school. Your children have been here all day and are looking forward to seeing you!

AUTHOR VISIT!

We had author Steven Vinacour visit each KS2 class to tell us about his books. He showed us how our language choices can make our writing even better!





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OUR ACADEMY RULES: READY, RESPECTFUL AND SAFE

A big well done to all our Stars of the Week so far this half term. They have been chosen by their teachers for lots of reasons which include always following the school rules, working hard, trying their best, being a good partner and being kind and helpful. We are really proud of you all! Who will be next?!



