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NEWSLETTER

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At Calshot Primary School we are always **AIMING HIGH!**

Grammar School Tests

The Local Authority have asked that we remind parents that registration is now open for parents of current Year 5 pupils who would like their child to sit the entrance test for The Grammar Schools in Birmingham, for entry to Year 7 in September 2024.

Registration can be made online by visiting the website below.

The closing date for registering is 4pm on 30th June 2023. The tests will take place on 16th September 2023.

www.westmidlandsgrammarschools.co.uk

Year 3 Assembly

On Tuesday, Year Three had their wonderful class assembly about the 'Ruthless Romans and Courageous Celts'. The children performed brilliantly with excellent acting and dancing. The Celts were fearsome and really made an entrance, whilst the Romans were brave and their shields looked fantastic.

'Everyone should be proud of themselves because everyone remembered their lines and were awesome.' - Mia (3H)

'I liked it when the Roman army marched onto the stage shouting because it sounded real.' - Alicia (3O)

'It was very good, we all enjoyed it and I hope the parents did too. I enjoyed drinking the poison, as a Celtic warrior.' - Ziadeen (3H)

'The Romans were organised but I have to admit the Celts terrified me more.' - Amaan (3O)

Year 1 Trip

On Thursday, Year One went to Wonderland in Telford and looked at all the traditional story characters. The children had a great day and were very excited as they told me all the things they got up to. Thank you to the teachers who organised and helped the children explore on the day.

'We saw where the three little pigs live. My favourite part was the Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We all had a picnic, it was fun!' - Keziah (1B)

'I liked the Cat in the Hat, because he was funny.' - Darcie (1J)

'The Mad Hatter was funny- he couldn't see his hat! I loved the spinning rides.' - Zhangjie (1B)

'I loved going on the caterpillar, it even went backwards.' - Mazaan (1J)

Attendance Link Governor Message

Attendance at Calshot between 12/9/22 - 30/3/23 was at 92%

I want to remind parents of the importance of attending school every day. Children missing school or attending late disrupts their education. Frequent absence can add up to a considerable amount of lost learning and can seriously disadvantage your child. Missing school affects a child's academic achievements and reduces opportunity for social interaction with their peers, which will impact them into their adult life.

Please note any holiday requests during term time will not be authorised and referred to the Local Authority.

Staff Governor/Attendance Link

Yazmin Joyce

Grayson's Art Club

For families that might be interested in something creative, Birmingham MAC centre are holding a 'Grayson's Art Club'. The event is taking place from Monday 15th May to Sunday 25th June. The link below will give you more information and explain how to book. The event is ticketed, but you only pay what you can afford.

[Grayson's Art Club: The Exhibition | Midlands Arts Centre \(macbirmingham.co.uk\)](https://macbirmingham.co.uk)

School Fund

We will continue selling ice-lollies during afternoon playtimes. Lollies cost 50 pence each and can be bought in the main reception foyer. All proceeds will go into School Fund.

This week £165.30 was collected in School Fund. This means we can buy those 'extra' things for the children.

Mr. M. Wingrove

(Head Teacher)

