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NEWSLETTER

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Anti-bullying Week

Next week is national 'Anti-Bullying Week'. As part of our PSHE curriculum, classes will discuss bullying in all its different forms. The theme this year is '**Power For Good**'. The idea is about speaking out against bullying, in all its forms. Children will consider what bullying means and what we can do to stop bullying. An important focus will be helping children recognise that we don't always get on with everyone and we don't always agree, but we can choose respect and unity. On Monday, children will be able to wear **odd socks**, as the serious message behind the fun is: '**Lets pull on odd socks to show we're ALL unique and different, and let's be kind to each other and respect each other's individuality**'.

'Children in Need' Day

On Friday 14th of November, it is 'Children in Need Day' and the children are invited to come into school in non-uniform. The theme this year is 'Challenge yourself to 25'. All children can wear non-uniform or dress up, if you wish to make a donation then you can via ParentMail. Any money received will go directly to Children in Need.

Individual Photographs

The 'School Photography Company' photographer will be in school on Tuesday 25th November. All children will have an individual photo taken and you will also be able to have a separate family photo. Please note, family photos will only be taken before school from 8.15-9.00am in the main hall and not during the school day. If you want a family photo please come to the main hall before school.

Reception and Nursery Open Days

The Reception and Nursery Open Days for prospective pupils for September 2026 are being held next week on Wednesday 12th November (9:30am - 10:30am) and Thursday 13th November (4:30pm -

5:30pm). Please ring the school to confirm your attendance. If you know of anyone in the area that is considering Reception places for next year, please pass on Calshot School's details.

Reception Applications - Sept 2026

To apply for Reception places for September 2026, parents must visit www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions and submit an online application by 15th January 2026 (final closing date). If you have any questions, please contact Children's Services on 0121 303 1888. Please note, all parents need to apply, even if your child is currently in our Nursery. Parents will be notified of their Reception offer on 16th April 2026.

School Fund

This week £36.60 was collected in School Fund this week, which is superb! May I take this opportunity to thank all the parents who have paid. It does mean we can buy those 'extra' things for the children.

Mr. M. Wingrove

(Head Teacher)



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