





**Dates for your diaries**

19th February	Start of Term 4
20th February	Y4 Stay & Play 3.30-4.30pm
<b>26th February</b>	<b>Storytime, £2 per child 3.20 - 4.30pm</b>
27th February	English Open Morning 9.15 - 10.30am*
<b>1st March</b>	<b>World Book Day - dress as a book character</b>
<b>2nd March</b>	<b>Dress fruit/vegetables as a book character</b>
9th March	Orange Class Assembly, 9.10am
<b>12th March</b>	<b>KS2 After School Movie Event until 5.30pm</b>
16th March	Copper Class Assembly, 9.10am
<b>21st March</b>	<b>Parent Voice, 9am</b>
23rd March	Emerald Class Assembly, 9.10am
27th March	Y1 visit Warwick Castle - <i>letters will be sent out after half term</i>
29th March	End of Term 4
16th April	Start of Term 5
<b>18th April</b>	<b>Class photos</b>
19th April	Reception start swimming lessons
20th April	Y5 start swimming lessons
27th April	Amethyst Class Assembly, 9.10am
4th May	Yellow Class Assembly, 9.10am
11th May	Sapphire Class Assembly, 9.10am
22nd May	Y5 Stay & Play 3.30-4.30pm
25th May	Zinc Class Assembly, 9.10am
25th May	End of Term 5
4th June	Start of Term 6
4th - 8th June	D & T week
7th June	D & T Celebration Event
12th June	Y6 Stay & Play 3.30-4.30pm
15th June	Mercury Class Assembly, 9.10am
22nd June	Blue Class Assembly, 9.10am
29th June	Green Class Assembly, 9.10am
19th July	End of Term 6
<b>14th November</b>	<b>School photographs</b>

**Calton Primary School  
Open Day**

*(for current parents)*

We would like to invite our current parents to attend the following:

**English Week  
Open Morning**

Tuesday 27th February  
9.15 - 10.30am

We hope to see you there!

\*Pleased to say the 2018/2019 term dates are attached to this newsletter & are now on our website\*

*\*for our current parents*

Whilst we welcome siblings into school to watch assemblies and other performances we will also provide a crèche facility and would like to encourage parents and carers to use this. Younger children are very welcome to attend performances and assemblies however we appreciate that sometimes it is difficult to occupy them whilst watching the children. If you choose not to use the crèche facility and your younger child/ren are causing a disruption you will be kindly asked to leave the performance. Thank you.

**Free X Jump Session...and the winners are....**

The draw has been made and here are the WOW book draw results:

1. Elliot – Yellow Class - X jump winner and 15 space team points awarded to their house
2. Joseph R – Blue Class 12 space team points awarded to their house
3. Henrietta – Yellow Class 10 space team points awarded to their house
4. Maggie - Green Class 7 space team points awarded to their house
5. Maks – Emerald Class 5 space team points awarded to their house

**Well done....enjoy!!**

### Year 3 Name the Penguin Competition

Year 3 will be hosting a guess the name of the penguin competition to help fundraise towards their trip to 'We the Curious' this term. We have four lovely penguin toys looking for a new home; to win one you simply need to guess their names!

We will be hosting the competition at break times the week commencing Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018. Each guess will cost 50p.

### Behaviour Policy

We would like to update you on the changes to our behaviour policy which will begin after the half term break.

As always we will continue to celebrate good and positive behaviour, however, if there is a need to sanction negative behaviour the following procedures are in place:

- \* If a child receives a yellow card, this will be sent home and lunchtime play will be missed for the following day.
- \* If a child receives 2 yellow cards in a term then parents will be invited to attend a meeting with a member of school staff to discuss the behaviour and next steps.
- \* If a child receives a further yellow card in a term, this will convert to a red card and an Internal exclusion will be given.

### Therapy dog meet & greet

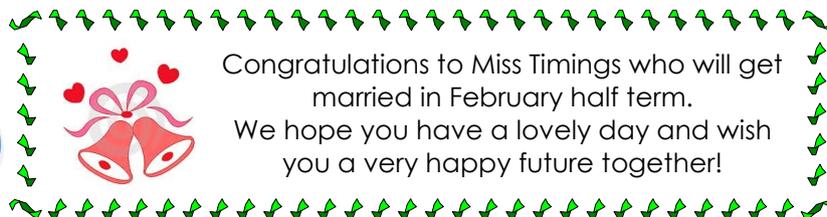
We are excited to welcome to school "Whisper" the dog on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Feb who will be visiting classrooms with her handler, Kate Farminer.

Whisper is a therapy dog who is trained to provide affection, comfort and love to people in hospitals, retirement homes, nursing homes, schools and hospices.

We have invited Whisper in to school to investigate the benefits of having a school therapy dog in the future.



In the Community



Congratulations to Miss Timings who will get married in February half term.

We hope you have a lovely day and wish you a very happy future together!

### Light Up Cheltenham

Cheltenham will be lighting up some of their most iconic buildings during February half term. To launch the event the amazing Spark! Drummers will be in town on Sat 10<sup>th</sup> Feb. Click on the link for

details: <https://cheltenhambid.co.uk/time-light-cheltenham/>

### Pates Grammar School Open Days

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2018

9.15 - 10.45am or 9.45 - 11.15am

Book on their website [patesgs.org](http://patesgs.org)

Telephone 01242 523169

### Gloucestershire Bundles Nearly New Sale

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

Beaufort Co-operative Academy

Doors open 10.00—11.30am

All welcome, £1 entry

For more information contact

[gbnns@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:gbnns@hotmail.co.uk)

<http://gloucestershirebundles.org>

CALTON PRIMARY SCHOOL  
SCHOOL TERMS AND HOLIDAYS 2018/2019



Gloucestershire  
COUNTY COUNCIL

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>					<b>OCTOBER</b>					<b>NOVEMBER</b>							
Mon	3	10	17	24	Mon	1	8	15	22	29	Mon	5	12	19	26		
Tues	4	11	18	25	Tues	2	9	16	23	30	Tues	6	13	20	27		
Wed	5	12	19	26	Wed	3	10	17	24	31	Wed	7	14	21	28		
Thur	6	13	20	27	Thur	4	11	18	25		Thur	1	8	15	22	29	
Fri	7	14	21	28	Fri	5	12	19	26		Fri	2	9	16	23	30	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	6	13	20	27		Sat	3	10	17	24	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	7	14	21	28		Sun	4	11	18	25	
<b>DECEMBER</b>					<b>JANUARY</b>					<b>FEBRUARY</b>							
Mon	3	10	17	24	31	Mon	7	14	21	28	Mon	4	11	18	25		
Tues	4	11	18	25		Tues	1	8	15	22	29	Tues	5	12	19	26	
Wed	5	12	19	26		Wed	2	9	16	23	30	Wed	6	13	20	27	
Thur	6	13	20	27		Thur	3	10	17	24	31	Thur	7	14	21	28	
Fri	7	14	21	28		Fri	4	11	18	25		Fri	1	8	15	22	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	5	12	19	26		Sat	2	9	16	23	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	6	13	20	27		Sun	3	10	17	24	
<b>MARCH</b>					<b>APRIL</b>					<b>MAY</b>							
Mon	4	11	18	25		Mon	1	8	15	22	29	Mon	6	13	20	27	
Tues	5	12	19	26		Tues	2	9	16	23	30	Tues	7	14	21	28	
Wed	6	13	20	27		Wed	3	10	17	24		Wed	1	8	15	22	29
Thur	7	14	21	28		Thur	4	11	18	25		Thur	2	9	16	23	30
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	Fri	5	12	19	26		Fri	3	10	17	24	31
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	Sat	6	13	20	27		Sat	4	11	18	25	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	Sun	7	14	21	28		Sun	5	12	19	26	
<b>JUNE</b>					<b>JULY</b>					<b>AUGUST</b>							
Mon	3	10	17	24		Mon	1	8	15	22	29	Mon	5	12	19	26	
Tues	4	11	18	25		Tues	2	9	16	23	30	Tues	6	13	20	27	
Wed	5	12	19	26		Wed	3	10	17	24	31	Wed	7	14	21	28	
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Sat	1	8	15	22	29	Sat	6	13	20	27		Sat	3	10	17	24	31
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	Sun	7	14	21	28		Sun	4	11	18	25	

Term Time		Holidays	
Bank Holiday		Inset Day	

- Term 1: Weds 5<sup>th</sup> Sept - Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 2018 33 days
  - Term 2: Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Oct - Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 2018 39 days
  - Term 3: Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Jan - Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019 29 days
  - Term 4: Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Feb - Fri 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019 30 days
  - Term 5: Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> April - Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May 2019 23 days
  - Term 6: Tues 4<sup>th</sup> June - Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019 36 days
- Total 190 days\*

Christmas Bank Holidays	25 <sup>th</sup> December 2018
	26 <sup>th</sup> December 2018
New Year Bank Holiday	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2019
Good Friday	19 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
Easter Monday	22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2019
Early May Bank Holiday	6 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
Spring Bank Holiday	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
Summer Bank Holiday	26 <sup>th</sup> August 2019

195 days are defined as "School days". In the school year 2018/19 pupils must attend for 190 days. Schools may decide individually or collectively which 5 days in the year are INSET or non-contact days (days pupils do not need to attend).

**Please Note:** Schools considering alternative dates or considering changes to their school opening times may wish to contact our Transport Team to discuss transport implications and contact local childcare providers to discuss what impact this could have.