

I am thrilled to share that our school year is off to a fantastic start! The children are making great progress in the full range of subjects. They have settled beautifully into the daily routines and have shown a remarkable enthusiasm for learning.

A great big 'thank you' to all the families who joined us in Early Years for the Reading Workshop and in Key Stage 1 and 2 for the 'Meet the Teachers and Teaching Assistants' sessions. Your engagement and support are invaluable, fostering a strong home-school connection that benefits all- especially the children. We look forward to collaborating closely with you to ensure our children continue to thrive. Here's to a successful and inspiring year ahead!

As ever, if you would like further details about anything, please don't hesitate to email:
schooladmin@calegreen.stockport.sch.uk

Congratulations



Congratulations to **Tina** our School Cook who was presented with a Certificate of Achievement during the summer break. Tina runs a brilliant kitchen, cooking some delicious meals and knowing every child's likes, dislikes and allergy information, as well as their name! Well done to Tina and her team.

Cross-Country Races at Woodbank



All Children in Key Stage 2 are invited to run in the cross-country sessions that are held almost every month from September to February at Woodbank Park. Well done to everybody who ran in the first races in September- especially to the new runners. (Make sure you give enough time to park if travelling by car as the car parks can become very busy!)

Match 2 Saturday 5th October 2024 10am – 12.30pm

Match 3 Saturday 2nd November 2024 10am – 12.30pm

Match 4 Saturday 30th November 2024 10am – 12.30

Match 5 Saturday 18th January 2025 10am – 12.30pm

Match 6 Saturday 1st March 2025 10am – 12pm

Presentation Day 22nd March 2025

Dates for your Diary:

Wednesday 2nd October	Sporting Event – Aquinas KS2
Thursday 3rd October	Year 5 to Weaver Hall (Viking visit)
Friday 4th October	Year 6 to Weaver Hall
	Harvest Festival 9.15am (all welcome)
Saturday 5th October	Cross Country KS2 Woodbank Park
Tuesday 8th October	Year 7 Chameleon Reunion 4pm
Wednesday 9th October	Sports Ambassador training– Aquinas
Thursday 15th October	UKS2 Sports hall Athletics – Aquinas
Wednesday 16th October	Transition Application Help Drop-in
	Parent Consultations
	- 1.30pm – 3pm in the hall
	- 4pm – 6pm – online
Thursday 17th October	Parent Consultations:
	- 10am – 11am – online
	Last Day of the Half Term
Monday 28th October	Back to School
Wednesday 30th October	Halloween Discos (Reception – Year 6)
Friday 1st November	Pre-Loved Uniform Sale
	Holly Class Assembly
Saturday 2nd November	Cross Country KS2 Woodbank Park

PE and Swimming Days

We will always try to keep the same PE kit days for at least half a term but there will always be odd changes to the timetable that are late notice and / or unavoidable but we will always try to alert families via Twitter or email about these.

Beech and Birch will have PE on Wednesdays. (Starting Wednesday 11th September)

Cherry, Chestnut and Cedar will have PE on Mondays and Fridays (Starting Friday 6th September)

Hazel, Hawthorn and Holly will have PE on Mondays and Thursdays. (Starting Thursday 5th September)

Maple and Mulberry will be swimming on Tuesdays and have PE on Thursdays.
(First swimming lesson Tuesday 10th September)

Magnolia will have PE on Tuesdays and Thursdays (Starting Thursday 5th September)

PE Kit

- black shorts, leggings, skort, tracksuit bottoms or jogging pants (PLAIN)
- white t-shirt (school logo or PLAIN)
- black or white t-shirt (PLAIN) for children in Mulberry, Maple and Magnolia

'SMASH THE MATHS'



We are excited to announce, 'Smash the Maths', a new initiative designed to raise the profile of maths in our school. Starting at 8.40am, children will engage in a series of fast-paced maths tasks and challenges. This engaging start to the day aims to boost their confidence and enthusiasm for maths. Please ensure your child arrives as close to 8.40am to make the most of this valuable learning opportunity.

End of Theme 1 Class Visits



Advance notice of the end of theme 1 parent and carers' class visits. These will take place in your child's classrooms.

Early Years Monday 4th November 2.40pm – 3.10pm

Key Stage 1 Tuesday 5th November 8.50am – 9.20am

Lower Key Stage 2 Wednesday 6th November 8.50 – 9.20

Upper Key stage 2 Thursday 7th November 8.50 – 9.20

Macmillan Coffee Morning



Thank you to everybody who supported the Macmillan Coffee Morning and Cake Sale recently raising valuable funds for Macmillan Cancer Support. Thank you to everybody who brought in some cakes, bought a cake, or two or enjoyed a coffee! We were able to raise over £250!

Parent Consultation Sessions

The first parent consultation sessions will take place over 2 days towards the end of the first half term.

Wednesday 16th October- 1.30pm – 3pm

(In the school hall)

4pm – 6pm (online)

Thursday 17th October- 10am – 11am

(online)

School Uniform and Pre-Loved Uniform Sale



Families are able to buy uniform from Davensport which is on Bramhall Lane. They stock uniform which has the school's logo on. You are able to go into the shop and check the sizes before buying.

A reminder that the next Pre-loved Uniform sale will be **on Friday 1st November** at before and after school. We have lots of uniform, shoes, coats and bags for sale. All items are 50p.



Acorn Fund



A reminder that we have lots of friends and families of Cale Green who have very kindly donated sums of money to our Acorn Fund. If your family is in need of some financial support please do contact school.

Summer Reading Challenge



Congratulations to all the children who completed the Summer Reading Challenge. 'Well Done' to everyone who took part. We congratulated lots of you during our Friday Family Assembly.

A reminder that all children from Nursery – Year 6 are encouraged to also take part in the school's Reading Bingo challenge which can be found on the school website.

Gold Award



Well done to Nevaeh and Husain who achieved their Gold Award towards the end of the summer term. They both received their books during a Friday Assembly in September.

Well done to both Nevaeh and Husain!

High School Admissions and Open Days



The closing date for applying for a high school place is Tuesday 31st October. If you need help in applying for a high school place we will be holding a drop-in session on **Wednesday 16th October at 9am** in the hall.

Our local high schools are holding their own Open Day sessions:

Hulme Hall Grammar School: Saturday 12th October, 9.30am – 12pm / Thursday 17th October, 5.30pm – 8pm

Hazel Grove High School: Thursday 10th October, 5pm -8pm

Cheadle Hulme High School: Thursday 17th October, 6 – 8.30pm

Stockport School: Thursday 3rd October, 5pm – 8pm

Stockport Academy: Wednesday 9th October, 5pm – 7pm

[Nursery, Reception and High School Admissions](#)

A reminder that Year 6 must apply for their High school places by the end of the day on 31st October 2024.

Reception places close on 15th January 2025.

Nursery places close on 31st March 2025.

We will be holding 2 **Early Years Open Days** for prospective families:

Monday 7th October 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Monday 14th October 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Please pass this information on to any friends, neighbours and family.

School website- 'School Spider' APP

Did you know that School Spider now have an APP? You can download it for FREE via the iTunes store or via the Google Play Store for Android devices.

<https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/school-spider/id1030400910>

You can see more about the APP by watching the Youtube video: <https://youtu.be/jPmH->

School Councillors

After speeches and elections were held in each class, the following children were selected to be the School Council for this year. Congratulations to all of the successful councillors and a big 'well done' to everybody who took part.

Beech: Josie and Oren

Birch: Amaya and Georgie

Cedar: Leo and Ivy

Cherry: Sonny and Ivy

Chestnut: Zara and Skylar

Hazel: Daisy and Olive

Holly: Ava and Dylan

Hawthorn: Lilia and Jasmine

Maple: Isla and Freddie

Mulberry: Alfie and Daniyal

Magnolia: Layla and Momina