

## The Calder Learning Trust

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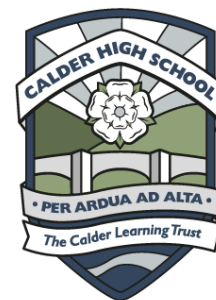
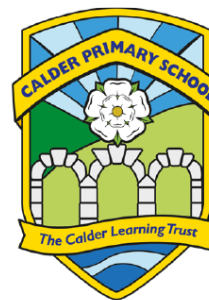
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### Reception Transition

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to share the dates for some transition sessions for your child to get to know their class, their teacher and their new classmates ahead of starting at Calder Primary in September:

- **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June 1.15-3.15pm**

There will be some settling in games and activities in the classroom and outside area. You can collect them at 3.15pm and either head home or stay and join us for our summer fair!

There will be examples of our school uniform items on display and our pre-loved uniform shop will be available (cash only please, all items are 50p-£2). We will also have a parent information pack available for you to take home.

- **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 9.00am-11.00am**

Teddy Bears' Picnic in our Forest School

Please can children bring along a teddy bear to join in this session. Please put your child's name on their teddy in case it wanders off 😊

For both sessions, please come to our infant playground for drop-off and collection – this is the green gate along the path to the right of our Calder Primary main entrance. We would ask that children bring a water bottle, a raincoat, sun hat and a change of clothes just in case. A fruit or vegetable snack will be provided. They do not need to wear any uniform items, unless they want to! They are welcome to attend one or both of the sessions.

Parking outside school is busy! Wherever possible please park off site, for example at Moderna or nearby roads, and walk to collect your child. If you live or park around Midgley Road, you can also come to the Midgley Road Calder Learning Trust gate and walk across the high school site, down the steps next to Calder Primary and round to the playground.

Our Calder Primary PTA Summer Fair is on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June from 3.30-5.30pm in Calder Primary** if you would like to join us and meet some of our families.

- **Week Beginning 15<sup>th</sup> July**

We will be arranging for our Reception class teacher, Miss Appleyard, to visit our new Reception pupils and a parent/carer at their home setting. This helps Miss Appleyard get to know your child in their comfortable environment, where they are usually feeling more confident and likely to chat and begin to build a positive

relationship. It also gives you the opportunity to speak confidentially about your child's needs and development and ask any questions you might have.

Please can you complete our Transition Information Form and Parent/Carer Questionnaire [here](#) by **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June** ahead of the first transition session.

Finally, for your diaries, Calder Primary starts the new school year on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 8.45am for Reception to Year 6.**

If you need anything in the meantime, please do get in touch.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Yours Sincerely,

*K. Lambert*

Mrs K Lambert  
Primary Headteacher

Everybody, Everyday

