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Year One – Summer Term 2026

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome back, we hope you had a peaceful time over the holiday. The children have come back full of excitement and we are looking forward to the term ahead.

Reading will continue to be at the heart of all learning and, as always, we encourage you to get involved with your children's reading by sharing and discussing their latest ebook on Oxford Owl and their book bag book. **Please read a bedtime story to your child every day.** Studies show the massive impact this has for your child. **Please bring books in on a Monday to be changed.**

Our **English** sessions are based on our topic for the half term. This term our topic is *Land Ahoy!* The children enjoyed the start of this topic with their wow day. We are continuing to look for the children to be applying phonic knowledge and taught spelling patterns. The children will be looking to ensure sentences are correctly punctuated with capital letters, finger spaces, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks when appropriate.

In **Maths** this term, our focus will be looking at numbers to 100 and multiplication and division. We will then move on to learning about fractions, money and time. We will be continuing to deliver our maths lessons through the Power Maths scheme, which focuses on problem solving and reasoning and we will be using Fluency Bee alongside the scheme to build children's fluency in using number. Arithmetic continues to be a focus in school this year and is taught every Friday. The maths homework is linked to the arithmetic lesson they have been taught that week.

Our **topic** for this term is Land Ahoy and this will be Geography based.

In **Science**, we will be learning about Seasonal Changes.

Our **PSHE** topics will be 'Relationships' and 'Changing Me' and we will be considering transition as the children move into Year 2 in September. In **RE**, we will be looking at Buddhism and Sikhism.

For **Computing** we will be 'Managing Online Information' and looking at 'Following Instructions'.

This term in **Music** we will be looking at the unit 'Your Imagination'.

PE will be on Wednesday for Year 1. The children will be doing cricket. Children should attend school in their PE kits on this day. Can we remind parents that the PE kit should be dark tracksuit trousers, leggings or shorts, dark hoodie, white t-shirt and suitable trainers.

Home Learning will consist of reading at home at least 3 times a week, spellings and arithmetic. We will be sending home the spellings on look, cover, write, check sheets which need returning to school for a Friday. Weekly spelling tests will take place on a Friday. Arithmetic and spellings will be given out on Friday and needs to be returned by the following Friday.

Books for each class will be changed on a Monday, please make sure your child has their book and reading diary in school every day.

Summer term can see very changeable weather please ensure that your child comes to school dressed appropriately for the weather ensuring that your child has a coat for cold and rainy days and a sun hat for warmer days. Please ensure that ALL items of clothing are clearly named. Please can all children come to school with a named bottle of water. We would also like to remind you that our school has a healthy eating policy and snacks must be healthy for example fruit, vegetables etc. crisps and biscuits can be eaten at lunchtimes. We also provide children with a fruit or vegetable snack each day.

If you have any concerns or issues that you wish to discuss with us, please let us know on the door or you can email us directly on our class emails.

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Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Reid, Ms Hanson, Mrs Child and Mrs Sahota