



**Dear Parents/Carers,**

### **Welcome to the Autumn term!**

The Year 1 team hope you have all had a good summer and are ready for our first academic term. We would like to remind you of the following information, which will support your child's learning in Year 1 as this is a really important year for them.

### **Attendance and Punctuality**

School **begins at 9:00 am and finishes at 3:00 pm.** We expect your child to be in school every day and on time. **The gate will open at 9:00am.** Please arrive promptly. The whole class should be lining up by 9:00 in order to start the morning activities on time.

Please make any appointments your child needs outside of school hours. Children need to be in school every day if they are to succeed.

**If your child or another member of your family displays any COVID related symptoms such as: new continuous cough, raised temperature, loss of taste or smell, you need to inform the school office and your child should not attend school.**

### **School Uniform**

Please ensure that your child wears the correct school uniform every day. Every item of clothing must have their name written on labels inside. Please see the front office to inquire about purchasing uniform. Trainers are not part of the school uniform, this includes black trainers.

Now that the weather is getting colder please ensure your child wears appropriate clothing i.e hat, scarf, waterproof coat.

### **P.E. information:**

**On PE days your child should come to school wearing a full PE kit and they will not change in uniform for the day.**

**Please note that PE days are on Tuesday and Thursday for both Year 1 classes.**

### **Reading Books**

Please make sure that you read with your child every day. If a reading book is lost, £5.00 will need to be paid to the school to replace it. If the reading record is missing, you can buy a new one from the school office. Take time to make a note in your child's reading record book. This will ensure that we maintain a clear dialogue between us all.

### **Homework**

This year we have decided to send homework online via our SEESAW platform in order to get the children used to working online as an alternative to paper work. We will attach to this letter your child's log in for Seesaw learning platform as well as the Class Dojo login.

Homework will be posted on Seesaw each Friday and it will have to be done and saved by Wednesday the following week.

Please see the curriculum map attached for more details on your child's learning journey throughout this year. You can also find this online on our school website.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us,

Kind regards,

The Year 1 Team

Ms Mirela, Ms Burns, Ms Ozzy & Ms Matilda