

8th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have enjoyed the Summer holidays and your child has been looking forward to starting school. We are looking forward to teaching them!

As we start the term, I thought that I would take the opportunity to inform you of what will be going on in Class 1. I have attached the curriculum overview for the Autumn Term. We have a very exciting term planned for them!

PE will take place on a Monday and Friday this term. On a Monday the children will be taught by our PE specialist Mr Webb. Please can you ensure your child comes to school wearing their PE kit on those days.

Forest Schools sessions will take place on a Tuesday afternoon during the second half of the Autumn term, starting on Tuesday 7th November. A separate letter with more information about Forest Schools will be sent out nearer to the time.

Your child will be given a book bag soon. This will have their phonics books and phonics resources in which will be changed regularly. You will receive a separate letter with more information about our 'Floppy Phonics' phonics scheme. Please check your child's book bag each day and sign their reading diary once you have read their books.

Please can you make sure that your child brings in their painting shirt and wellies if they haven't already done so. Please can you also ensure that you have brought back all of the forms which you were given before the Summer holidays.

It is important that your child brings their book bag, waterproof coat, a water bottle and lunch box (if they are not having a school meal) to school each day.

In the next few weeks you will be receiving an email which will enable you to access your child's learning journey on Tapestry. There will be observations posted regularly of your child, for you to see what they have been learning in school.

If you require any further information, or have any queries or concerns about your child, please do not hesitate to ask.

Yours sincerely

Miss Phillips