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Friday 9th September 2022

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome to Year One! We hope you had a very enjoyable summer break. Your child is now in Year 1 and will be taught by myself, Miss Cleanthous, along with our wonderful support team that consists of Ms Morgan and Mr Southcott.

Throughout the year we will be using themes to teach our curriculum. Our theme this half term is **Teddy Bear's Picnic.** We will be looking at the following books: 'Where's My Teddy?' by Jez Alborough and 'Peace at Last' by Jill Murphy

Across the curriculum we will be learning: **Geography** – Human and Physical Features in our locaity **Science** – Seasonal Changes **R.E.** – Hinduism **P.E.** – Dance and Outdoor Games **PSHE** – Families and Friendships & Respecting ourselves and other **Design Technology** – Cooking and Nutrition Maths learning will follow the White Rose program of study.

Children need to bring their P.E. kits on Monday and will take them home every Friday. Please ensure your child has appropriate kit for outdoor lessons, especially when the weather becomes colder. Shorts and T-shirts should always be worn for indoor P.E. Please make sure your child's clothes are all labelled. The children are responsible for all their own clothes, this includes their school uniform and jumpers/coats etc.

Homework will be found in their homework book and on Satchel (our online learning platform). Additional maths and English tasks will be posted on Education City and Purple Mash.

Pupils will be given spellings to learn each week. They will be tested on these each Monday.

Reading takes place daily in the classroom and books are changed regularly. We ask that you support your child's progress by reading with them regularly and completing the reading record when they have read to you. The book will only be changed when you have done so and on their designated book change day, which is inside their yellow reading record book.

If you wish to contact us regarding your child's education please make an appointment via the office or speak to us after school.

We look forward to working with you and helping your child get the most from their education.

Kind regards,

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