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Monday 9th January 2023

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome to the new term! We hope you had a very enjoyable Christmas. Thank you for all your wonderful gifts and support throughout the year and we look forward to your support this term.

This term our themes will be **Dragons, Knights and Castles** and **How can I Change my World**. The letter detailing our theme and activities for this term is attached.

Spring 1: Dragons, Knights and Castles

Maths – White Rose programme of Study	English – Jack and the Beanstalk	Science – Animals Including Humans
R.E - Judaism	History - Castles	PSHE – Belonging to a community
Computing – Programming machines.	Music – Charanga	DT – Moving Pictures

Spring 2: How can I Change my World

Maths – White Rose Programme of Study	English – 10 Things I can do to Help Change my World	Science – Animals Including Humans (continued)
R.E – Christianity	Geography – The United Kingdom	PSHE – Money and Work
Computing – How to create a word document	Music - Charanga	DT – Desk Tidies

Children will 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 now that the weather is 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.**

Homework will be found on the Homework Menu enclosed in your child's homework book. Additional work can be found on Education City and Purple Mash. Spelling tests will be carried out on Mondays and the list of weekly spellings will be sent out on the Monday prior to the test.

Reading books are changed on Tuesdays and Fridays. We ask that you support your child's progress by reading regularly with them and writing a comment in their reading record once they have read to you. The book will only be changed when you have done so.

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. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Kind regards,

The Year 1 Team

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