



Where children come first

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Year 1 & 2 Autumn Newsletter

Dear Families,

What a wonderful start to the new school year! It has been lovely to see so many happy, smiling faces as the children settle into their new year groups. We can't quite believe how quickly this half term is going but we are already amazed by the confidence, kindness and respect that our pupils are demonstrating across school.

If You Go Down into The Woods

We are really enjoying our Science and Geography based topic for this half term. The children are learning about habitats and trees – you will be able to support your child at home by using the knowledge organiser. We have linked our English work to our topic by learning the story of The Three Little Pigs and Disgusting Sandwich. Year 1 will be using drama to retell the story, and Year 2 will be writing their own version with new characters!

Reading at home

Thank you for supporting reading at home. We ask you to read three times a week with your child and sign their Reading Record book. Reading books will be changed once a week and children are also allocated a selection of E-Books which can be accessed online – login to follow shortly.

Marvellous Me

If you are not already signed up to Marvellous Me, please speak to your child's class teacher. Each week you will receive an update regarding Maths, English and Topic. Teachers will also send messages and badges to individual children to reward positive behaviours, celebrate successes and suggest ideas for activities you can do together at home. We hope that you will enjoy these with your child.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Mr. McEvoy (Year 1 & 2 Phase Leader) and the KS1 team.

Please note that to protect our children the school gates are locked between the hours of 8.30am and 9.05am and 2.45pm and 3.30pm. If you are travelling to school by car during these times, please be aware that you could be locked in the school car park. Please find alternative parking outside the school gates, if required.

