

Spring 1

Year 1

A welcome message from Mrs Feltham and Mr Robinson.

We hope you had a peaceful and relaxing Christmas break and are excited for the new term ahead. We have lots of exciting things planned for Spring 1.

Friendly reminders:

- PE is on a **FRIDAY**, please ensure children have the correct PE uniform consisting of white t-shirt, black jogging trousers or leggings and a plain black hoody or jumper.
- Your child will be bringing home a reading book on **MONDAY**. This book is for you to read with your child, everyday if possible. Books will be changed on a **MONDAY** but please ensure they are in school every day.
- Children will also be able to bring home a book from our class library every **MONDAY**.
- Phonics videos are shared each **MONDAY** on class Dojo for you to share at home.
- SNACK: Fruit is provided at playtimes for children. However, children are welcome to bring a healthy snack from home to eat at playtime. Please only send fruit, vegetables or cereal bars for snack.

Key Learning this half term:

- **ENGLISH:** We enjoying the text The Velveteen Rabbit and planning and writing our own character descriptions based around this text.
- **MATHS:** We will be continuing our learning about numbers within 20 including addition and subtraction to 20.
- **SCIENCE:** We will be exploring humans this half term. Learning the names of body parts including the parts responsible for our five senses.
- **HISTORY:** In History we will be comparing houses from the past to the modern day. Exploring different types of houses and how they have changed over the last 100 years.
- **PSHE:** In PSHE we will be learning how to keep healthy. We will be thinking about who helps to keep us healthy and what we can do to keep ourselves healthy.
- **RE:** We will be looking at the different welcoming ceremonies from three different religions: Christianity, Islam and Judaism.
- **PE**: In PE will be learning how to play tag rugby. We will work on how to pass the ball, tag our opponents and score a goal working as a team.
- **ART:** Painting and mixed media.