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Dear Parents and Carers,

Early Years Half Termly Curriculum Information Letter – Summer Term 2 2024

We hope you had a good holiday, we are so happy to have the children back! We can't believe that this is our last half term together in Class 1 and 2 but we know the children will be ready for starting Year 1 in September. You will find out about your child's new teacher in July and children will have an opportunity to meet their new teacher and teaching assistant, and to visit their new classroom. Please let us know if you have any questions about moving into Year 1.

Learning Theme

This half term, our learning theme is 'Long, Long Ago'. We will be learning about daily life in the past, castles, dinosaurs and pirates! We will continue to send out a message via parent mail each Monday to let you know what we have been working on in school the previous week and what we will be working on that week so you can support your child at home. To find out more about what we will be learning this half term, please see the curriculum overview letter.

Supporting Learning at Home

As always, keep reading and recording your child's reading in their diary please! We continue to ask that you read and record ANY home reading at least 5 times per week. We will continue to send home a sharing book daily for you to read to your child. Your child's phonics home reader will be sent home with them every Thursday for them to 'show off' their fantastic, fluent reading to you. These books will be collected in on Monday so please make sure they are ready in your child's book bags as we need full sets of the decodable books for our reading practice groups. If you would like more help with reading at home, please do let us know.

Dates for your diary:

Thursday 6th June – Empathy Day
Friday 7th June – Class 1 Assembly
Saturday 8th June – Arbury Carnival
Tuesday 11th June – Open Classrooms
Wednesday 12th June – Class photos
Week beginning 17th June – Languages and Refugee week
Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th June – Eid Celebrations in School
Week beginning 24th June – Healthy Lifestyles week
Morning of Tuesday 25th June – EYFS/ KS1 Sports Day
Wednesday 26th June – Sing Up Day
Friday 28th June – Outdoor lunch
Monday 1st July – Children meet their new class teacher in the morning.
Friday 5th July – School reports sent home
Monday 22nd July – Last day of term

If you have any questions about your child and/or their learning – do speak to us at drop-off/pick-up.

Best wishes,

Mr Sapsford, Miss Ozakpinar, Miss Ellis, Mrs Kabir and Mrs Begum