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Welcome back to Term 6

Dear Parents

Welcome back to your child's final term in year 1; how time flies!

This term's topic is "Incredible Islands". Please see the attached curriculum map for more details of what we will be learning. To support and enhance the children's learning, I have arranged to visit Wagamamas in Salisbury on **Wednesday 26th June** to see how various types of Japanese food are prepared and learn about its nutritional value. We will be making our own freshly squeezed juices and helping weigh ingredients to prepare some delicious noodles to eat with chopsticks. There is a consent form attached to this letter that must be completed before Friday 14th June. We will be walking to Wagamamas so please ensure your child has appropriate footwear and a coat in case of showers. Although we are trying noodles at the restaurant, I will arrange for the children to have time when we return to have something to eat if they are still hungry. Please provide a packed lunch or snack and bottle of water. There is no cost for this trip.

The whole school trip to New Forest Wildlife park is on Wednesday 10th July - more details to follow. Sports day is Wednesday 19th June (reserve, in case of bad weather is Monday 24th June).

As always, reading remains a very important part of your child's progression. Children are expected to read at least 5 times a week. Please support us in helping your child to progress by listening to them read regularly and signing their reading records each time. Children need to have their reading record and books in school **every** day and ensure they take them home in the afternoon. Reading books will be changed on a Tuesday and a Friday. Homework will continue to be set on a Friday and will be due in the following Tuesday but will change from phonics to maths.

PE will take place on a Tuesday and Wednesday this term. Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every day. I am still finding un-named clothing which unfortunately often ends up being recycled.

It is really important that as the weather gets warmer your child has sun cream applied in the morning and comes to school with a water bottle and a sun hat. I will encourage the children to drink their water and to refill their bottles.

In the week beginning Monday 10th June the children in Year 1 will undertake the Year 1 Phonics Screening Check. The screening check will be carried out by me, on a one to one basis in a quiet area in the school. The check will take approximately 10-20 minutes.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Mrs Lock



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