



Well done to all the children in Year One for their grown up behaviour and independence in coming into class by themselves and getting on with the early morning activity.

Uniform and PE kits must be named. We're trying hard to keep our belongings together. Please no toys brought in from home.



### Over the last week we have been:

- Learning how to be a year one pupil.
- Beginning to organise ourselves and our belongings.
- Exploring the school grounds.
- Revising Reception phonics.
- Exploring the cursive script in handwriting.
- Writing our names starting with a capital letter.
- Beginning to think about seasonal changes.
- Sorting and counting objects and beginning to represent them with equipment

### PLEASE REMEMBER...

- Read at home every night and talk about your reading books. Please record what page they read to in the comments section.
- Please help your child to read the common exception words given out this week - just take a few at a time!

### Over the next two weeks we will be:

- Beginning our topic 'Our Wild World'
- Learning about wild animals and living things including ourselves.
- Finding one more and one less, Comparing and ordering quantities of numbers and introducing the more and less signs.
- Looking at nature in art.
- Using nature to help us write sentences using capital letters and full stops.
- Retelling a story

### Curriculum Day

Year One will be having a curriculum day on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> of October with Puffins and Penguins all learning about our topic in the Leigh site. This will involve a special visit from Tom's Talking Reptiles where children will be given the opportunity to handle a variety of animals. To enable this, we kindly ask for parent donations of £3.50 to cover his cost.

Thank you, the Year One Team.