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Dear Children and Parents in Year 1 from September 2023,

We are really looking forward to welcoming you to Year 1. We have an exciting year ahead with lots of interesting topics and trips planned. Our trips include a visit to the British Wildlife Centre, the Brighton Toy and Model Museum, a local walk in Horley, as well as a whole school trip to watch a Pantomime at Christmas. We also have our wonderful Year 1 Nativity and pirate day to look forward to. We cannot wait!

In addition, here is some key information about routines and expectations in Year 1:

- 1) WATER-BOTTLE: It is important that children keep hydrated and drink water regularly through the day. Please provide your child with a water-bottle and ensure this is clearly named and only ever filled with water.
- **2) LEARNING PACK:** We will provide your child with a learning pack containing a pencil, glue stick, scissors, ruler, whiteboard and pen and a green pen which they will keep at school.
- 3) FRUIT: We will continue to provide the children with a piece of fruit at break time.
- **4) HOME LEARNING:** Home learning is set half termly. Spellings are sent out on a Thursday and the children are 'quizzed' on them the following week. The children are also expected to read regularly and play 20 minutes of Numbots each week.
- 5) PE KIT: The children are expected to wear their full PE kit to school on PE days.
- **6) SHARE A STORY:** We are pleased to announce that we will be continuing our 'Share a Story' mornings. In Year 1, these will be taking place on the following dates:
  - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September
  - Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October
  - Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November

Until then, if you have any questions, please feel free to email <a href="mailto:info@langshott.surrey.sch.uk">info@langshott.surrey.sch.uk</a> or speak to a member of the Leadership team. Have a wonderful Summer holiday and we look forward to seeing you again in September for a fantastic year together.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 1 Team
Miss Hill and Miss Woods