

Langshott Primary School Year 1 Autumn Newsletter

Welcome to the Year 1 Autumn Newsletter. The children have settled into their new classes well and have already shown some excellent learning. We would like to take this opportunity to introduce the team.

Ruby Class – Miss Woods, Miss Samels & Mrs Uzunovic

Topaz Class – Miss Hill & Miss Page

We are looking forward to the year ahead.

Below you will find some key information about routines and learning.

Book Bag & Water Bottle – Please remember to bring your book bag and a filled, named water bottle to school every day.

Coats – As it begins to get more Autumnal and the weather can change in an instant, please ensure your child has a coat with them each day.

Reading – Please continue to hear your child read on a **daily** basis and record this in their reading diary. Please ensure you are giving your child the opportunity to **read to you**, to allow them to develop their reading skills. We collect reading diaries in on a **Monday** and award STARS Points for regular reading.

Home Learning – The tasks required of children throughout the week include daily reading and Numbots 20 minutes a week. We will set weekly spellings (sent home on a Thursday, due back the following Thursday). A themed home learning task will also be given out on a Thursday, due back on the following Tuesday.

Curriculum - We are so excited to be reading Owl Babies this term which will support our writing. In Science, we be studying a variety of animals, investigating what they eat and how they differ and categorising them.

Ted the Bear – In the coming weeks, Ted the Bear will be sent home with each child in turn throughout the year. Your child will be able to share their weekend with him and then tell us all about it at school!

Our School Rules Self-control Take responsibility for your actions Iways follow instructions

<u>PE</u>

Year 1 have PE on a **Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.** We ask that you make sure your child has a complete kit. Continuing from last year, PE kits should be worn into school on these days. Your child needs a Langshott House t-shirt, shorts and trainers. As the weather gets colder, your child should wear a pair of navy jogging bottoms. Please name everything! Children are not allowed to wear any jewellery (including watches) during PE sessions.

Langshott Lap

Every **Friday**, the whole school will be participating in the 'Langshott Lap' at the start of the day. This involves running laps of the school grounds. On these days, children will wear **school uniform** with a pair of **practical trainers**. Please ensure your child has their **school shoes** in their **book bag** to change into afterwards.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come and speak to a member of the Year 1 team and we will do our best to help in any way we can.

> Thank you for your continued support. The Year 1 Team