

# Year 1 Autumn Term Newsletter

Welcome back to new school year! Here we are at the very beginning of a new chapter in Year 1! We are busy getting to know the children and establishing expectations and routines. We have lots of exciting learning in store this year and we can't wait to get started!

Miss Ahmedjee

## Learning

Science: Our Science topic for this term is The human body. We will be learning all about our bodies, how they work and exploring our five senses. We will also be learning about seasonal changes and materials. English - We will be using our phonics to write simple words and sentences. Maths - we will be working on place value and addition and subtraction within 10. History - The Royal Family - We will be learning all about the names and roles of the British Royal family and how it has changed over time. Geography - What is it like here? - We will be learning all about the countries in the UK and exploring our local area. Art - Drawing - We will be learning to make a range of different marks and exploring how artists use line and colour for effect.

## Reading

New reading books will be sent home every Friday. Please listen to your child read at least twice a week and record your comments in their reading log. Phonics: Help your child to practise the sounds they have learnt each week.

## PE

PE day will be Thursday. Please send in your child's PE kit. White t-shirt, black shorts/joggers/leggings and black pumps. All PE kit needs to be labelled with the child's name and put into a bag. PE bags can be left in school for the half term and taken home in the holidays to be washed. They do not need to take them home each week.