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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a great start to Year 1 we have had! The children have settled well into their new classrooms and have already made some good progress. We are working hard to ensure that all children enjoy school and learn. Please continue to support your child's learning at home by talking about their day, reading their library book and home reading book and encouraging some home learning by engaging with the fun homework tasks.

Here are a few reminders of the days, dates and times that are important this term.

- The door to Year 1 opens at 8.35am and closes at 8.45am. The register is taken at 8.50am. Please ensure that children are in school on time, as children who are late miss important learning.
- Please collect children at 3.15pm prompt.
- All children have their homework books containing their homework tasks for the year. The date to return the homework Moon Zoom 2 is Friday 8th December. All children will have the chance to present their homework to the class, to build their confidence when speaking. Homework will be marked on this day.
- PE is now on a Tuesday- **Please come to school wearing the correct school PE kit.**
- All children must have pumps in school. Please make sure any new pumps are labelled with names.
- Library books will be changed on a Friday.
- Reading books will be changed every Thursday, so please ensure that children have their book bags in school. We have noticed that some children are not recording the reading done at home in their reading record books. Please do write in the record book each time you read with your child at home. We really appreciate your support with reading and phonics at home.

Best regards,

Miss Atkinson and Miss Bailey
(Year 1 Class Teachers)



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