

Dear Parents and families, welcome to Spring 2 in Year One!

Launch Task – Family Show and Tell

With our new topic, the children have been asked to bring in a **photo of their family** from home (this can be immediate family or wider family). As a show and tell activity the children will then talk to the class about their family. The questions we will ask are...

Who is in your family?

What do you like doing with your family?

Who is the oldest/youngest? (helps with looking at life cycles)

Please note, if any child is feeling anxious about talking to the class please tell them not to worry, no child will be 'made' to do it or they can do it with the teacher if they would prefer.

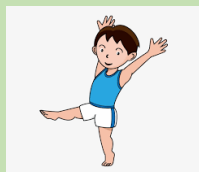
This activity will take place on Wednesday (25.2.26). The children can bring in a hard copy of their photo or please message the photo if easier.

PE:

This term we will be having PE on **Wednesdays and Fridays**. The children **come to school in their PE kit**.

Please make sure PE Hoodies are named as the children take them on and off.

On Wednesdays, the children will have the opportunity to do Judo with Richard the Judo teacher. This is a great experience for the children and teaches them about respect and resilience as well as PE skills.



The children will continue to work with Atlas Sports doing gymnastics on a Friday afternoon.

Curriculum:

Our theme this term is family and friends. Please check out the topic map to see the intended learning adventures for this term and some ideas to try at home.



As part of our topic this term we will be finding out about our families and the importance of friendship. Our landing activity will be to share a meal together - 'a breakfast club' We will be inviting parents in to share breakfast with us in the hall on **Tuesday 24th March, 8.45am** (we will be finished by 9.45am). More details will follow.

Parent Support:

Once again, thank you so much for all the support you have already given this academic year, it really is invaluable. If anyone else would like to come and help read please come and let us know.

Pencil Case Fridays

Some of the children would like to bring their own pencil case in to school. We have decided to let the children do this on a Friday but please be aware that they will look after their own equipment. We cannot be held responsible for anything that gets lost or broken.

Reading:

Please keep up the good reading with your children at home, it really does make a difference! Don't forget **THREE** reads every week.

IT ADDS UP!

If you read just 15 minutes a day, in one year you will have read over 1,000,000 words!

Source: Statisticbrain.com



Key Dates:

Wed 25th Feb Bring Family Photo for Show & Tell

Thurs 5th March World Book Day

Tues 17th & Wed 18th March Parents Evening

Tuesday 24th March Family Breakfast in school hall 8.45am-9.45am

Thursday 26th March Easter Church Service 9.30am

Friday 27th March End of Term - 1pm finish

Looking forward to another busy term!

Mrs Bullingham, Miss Brunt, Mrs Chapman & Mrs French