

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you have had a wonderful summer holiday and have enjoyed the sunny weather!

Attached to this letter you will find our curriculum overview for the Autumn Term. This outlines what we will be learning this half term.

Please could we ask that you continue to listen to your child read, (at least five days a week). Please can you ensure that you complete and sign your child's reading record to say they have read. Reading books will be changed regularly and your child has been asked to place their reading book into the pink box each morning.

The children will be encouraged to be responsible for emptying their own bags each morning. Please could you remind your child if they have anything that needs handing in.

The children will have a weekly Spelling test which takes place on a Tuesday. Their score will be written on the spelling sticker which contains their new set of spelling for the following week.

The children will receive homework every three weeks containing Reading, Spelling and Maths activities as well as activities related to our themes each term.

Fabulous Fluency is sent home every Friday. The children are expected to read it at least five times to an adult, who will sign it, and to answer the questions. It is collected in every Friday when the children are then rewarded with a certificate.

Forest school will commence this Tuesday (12th September). Your child can come to school wearing old clothes and welly boots as they will get muddy!!! Please ensure that they have their school uniform in a bag ready for them to change into after their session. PE will take place on a Wednesday and Thursday afternoon.

We would greatly appreciate any recycling that you may have at home as our Workshop Area always needs resources for junk modelling (which I know the children love)!

Please keep us informed on your children's interests and remember any outside achievements certificates can be presented in the Friday assembly.

We hope this letter covers any queries you may have about your child starting in Year 1. If not, please feel free to talk to us after school with any questions you may have or email the office.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Ramsey, Mrs Sapienza and the Leopard Class Team