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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who attended the teacher and parent conversations this week. I will send out your child's targets next week. I value your feedback, so I will be making a few changes to our routine and implementing some of your suggestions.

Every Friday, I will send home information about what we have been learning in class. This is so you have knowledge and understanding of what your child has been learning at school and it enables you to discuss this with your child at home.

Year 1s will have their spelling quiz on Friday mornings.

I will be planning some open afternoon sessions, where you will be welcome to drop in and find out more about our learning.

**Week Commencing 25/02/2019:**

In Literacy, the year 1 children have written a story about a magical bird. They have been practising to use their word dictionaries to spell words correctly. The reception children have written captions about "Goldilocks and the Three Bears." They have been applying their phonics knowledge and their understanding of segmenting and blending to spell words phonetically correct.

In Phonics, the year 1 children have been focusing on the sounds w/wh and f/ph sounds. The reception children have been learning about sounds that are "in love" known as a digraph sound because there are two letters that make one sound and are always joined together. These sounds were sh, ch and ng.

In Maths, the year 1 children have been focusing on odd and even numbers. They have been beginning to understand sharing equally. In reception, the children have been comparing numbers: higher and lower.

In topic, we have been continuing with Dragons. We have read and spoken about a myths and legends story "King Arthur." All of the children made a crown, practising their fine motor skills. The year one children completed a comprehension quiz.

In PE, we have started Outdoor and Adventurous Activities. The children worked in teams to find objects in a certain order. Please ensure that your child has a winter and summer kit and trainers in school.

What a fantastic week back at school!

Next week, we will be discussing Shrove Tuesday and making pancakes. We will be celebrating World Book Day by dressing up. In maths, the reception children will be focusing on money and the year one children will be focusing on doubles to 10.

I hope you will find this useful and please let me know, if there are any other suggestions you have.

Have a great weekend!

Many Thanks

Mrs Beavis

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