

Dear Parents

This letter has been sent home to inform you about your child's learning for **next week**.

In **Numeracy**, the children will be continuing with looking at word problems. The children will be reading a word problem and solving it using addition and subtraction strategies.

In **Literacy**, the children will be continuing with the traditional tale 'Handa's Surprise'. They will be looking at different adjectives to describe all the nouns in the story. They will be tasting different fruit to help with their vocabulary. At the end of the week, children will be completing an independent 'Big Write' which will assess what they have learned so far about traditional tales.

In **Science**, the children will be creating their own flowerbed, which they will take care of over the next couple of weeks. The children will learn about fruit and vegetables and the different ways they grow, for example, underground or in trees. The children will venture to Garden Club's (ECA) vegetable and fruit patch to explore the growth of the planted food.

In **PSHE**, the children will continue to learn about dreams and goals. They will make flowers that will be displayed in the 'Garden of Dreams'. The flowers will display the High Five principles that is being driven through the school.

In **IPC**, the children will be continuing with their topic of 'Our Word'. We will be learning about our environment and the different animals that live in it. They will be learning how to make a bird feed and writing instructions. They will also be making the bird feeder using a plastic bottle. Please remember to bring in a disposable water bottle for your child to use.

In **Art**, the children will look at the new topic of 'Mosaics'. They will learn about the origin of Mosaics and how they are created. They will create their own mosaic on paper will over the next couple of weeks will be a guide to create their own mosaic using plaster and tiles.

### Notice & Reminders:

- Please remember to check your child's Communication Book daily.

- Please remember to like our Facebook page 'Year 1 2017-2018' for updates from the Year group.
- Home Learning needs to be completed and returned back to the class teacher by Wednesday (1N/1A) or Thursday (1I/1S).
- Guided reading books and comment books need to be returned to the class teacher Wednesday (1N/1A) or Thursday (1I/1S).
- School will close at 12:40 on Monday 12 February. The Open Day and BBQ will be from 14:00 – 18:00.
- Year 1 Sports Day will be on Wednesday 14 February. Parents are all welcome to attend from 08:00. Please remember to wear House T Shirts.
- School will be closed on Tuesday 13 February for National Sports Day.

Have a lovely weekend!

Yours faithfully  
Year 1 Team