Tuesday 9 May 2017

**Year 1 Assessments 14.05.17 – 25.05.17**

Dear Parents

Your child will be assessed in the following areas during the Year 1 Assessment period.

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| Subject | Date | Content |
| Reading | PM Benchmarking: Ongoing 1:1 assessments throughout the second week  (21.5.17-25.5.17). | * Applying phonic skills to sound and blend words to read. * Comprehension questions to assess for understanding. |
| Writing | Big Write:  Independent writing Assessment 18.5.17 | * Application of phonic knowledge to write words and sentences. * Correct use of capital letters and full stops. * Use of adjectives (describing words). * Use of connectives (and, because). * Use of exclamation marks. |
| Numeracy | Numeracy Assessment:  Ongoing assessments throughout the first week (14.5.17-18.5.17). | * Number: addition and subtraction, identifying odd and even numbers, doubling, knowledge of more than and less than, halving and quartering. * Shape: Naming 2Dand 3D shapes. * Problem Solving |
| Phonics | Phonics Assessment:  Ongoing assessments throughout the first week (14.5.17-18.5.17).  **Year 1 Phonics Screening Check 21.5.17** | * Use of Phonic knowledge to recognise and apply sounds to read words. * Use of phonic knowledge to sound and blend real and nonsense words. |

Please support your child as much as possible in the run-up to each assessment, by revising the content covered in each subject. Please also ensure your child is in school on time and for the duration of each day during assessment week. Please be advised that your child will continue to be assessed by his/her class teacher in the lead-up to the end-of-year reports being written.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Year 1 Team