## Don't Forget

- Spellings and sight word lottos will be sent home weekly.
   Please write sentences in your homework book using the spelling words.
- Please make sure your children have their PE kit every week. No jewellery or nail varnish to be worn.
- Homework is sent home every Friday and it is important it is completed by Thursday.
- Please listen to your child read for at least 20 minutes everyday.

All the children have made a great start in Year 1. This term will be exciting as we will be going a Science trip and visiting our local pizza restaurant to make pizzas!

The Year One Team

# English will include:

- > Making an information book.
- > Traditional Stories

In phonics we will continue to review Phase 2, 3 and 4. We will begin to learn Phase 5 sounds. There will be a big focus this term on handwriting, ensuring that letters are formed correctly and that handwriting is neat. It is essential that children learn spellings and sight vocabulary: please practise daily.

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### Maths will include:

- > Counting in tens and fives
- > Measurement, including time
- > Number facts to ten
- Addition and subtraction to solve problems.
- > Place value
- There will be a KS1 meeting about maths. This will take place on 20.01.15. in 2L

# Religious Education:

RE week takes place this term and we will be learning about World Religion Day. During this week we will focus on the Jewish creation story and record our work through DT, Art and English. We will be making story boxes so please send in any shoe boxes you don't need. If you feel able to contribute to our Re work please let us know. We

will go on to look at the Hindu festival of Holi later in the term.

# Science:

Our Science topics this term are Animals and Humans and Growing Plants. We will learn about how animals are classified, looking at fish, humans, birds etc. We will also be exploring diet and habitat. In the second half of the term we will investigate how plants grow.

# Topic:

Our theme this term is Rulers and Governments. We will link this to geography and learn about the Queen and the countries of which she is Head of State.

### PHSE:

Like last term we will have Circle Time, addressing children's concerns and relevant issues within each class. In our phase assemblies we review our school values and celebrate achievement.

# Computing

We will continue to focus on E-safety in Computing and create talking books. We will also work on programming.