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Teacher: Mrs Prosser February 2022

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a wonderful break! The children have come back refreshed and enthusiastic which is excellent to see.

Curriculum Information

This term our topic is called 'Space' which will offer lots of exciting learning opportunities across the curriculum. Please see the attached 'Curriculum Map' sheet which gives more information about how this topic will link with the rest of the curriculum.

Key Skills to Support at Home

Please continue to read at home with your child as regularly as possible and record this in their reading records. If you want to do something extra at home the 'Topmarks' website has lots of great maths games to consolidate our in-class learning. We have been focusing on our quick recall of number facts to and within 10. By the end of Key Stage One, children should be able to recall each of these facts within 3 seconds. The 'Topmarks' website has lots of games to help your children secure these facts at home.

Requests and Reminders

There is a slight change to our timetable and our PE sessions are now on Mondays and Thursdays. Please make sure your child has a tracksuit for outside PE, as it can get very chilly! In addition to this, please make sure every item in your child's PE kit is clearly labelled with their name. Please also make sure your child's jumper/cardigan is labelled with their name.

Show and Tell

'Show and tell' will continue to happen on Friday afternoons. A timetable of when your child's show and tell will occur will be sent home with this letter. I am already looking forward to seeing all of the interesting and imaginative 'Space' themed books, crafts and pictures.

Home Learning

This will continue to be given out on Monday to be completed by the following Monday. This will consist of a maths activity to support the learning of 'Key Instant Recall Facts' and a personalised spelling list. Spelling quizzes will continue to occur on Monday mornings. Certificates will be given to those who have tried their best to practise their spellings and maths at home. Please don't hesitate to email if you have any questions about spellings or homework.

Finally, if you have any questions or concerns about anything at all, please contact me. I can be contacted via email at: ruby@alfriston.e-sussex.sch.uk. I will check these emails after school every day. If there is an urgent matter, please phone the school office to leave a message for me there.

Yours sincerely, Mrs Prosser