

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back after the Easter holidays! I hope that you all had a fun break with your lovely children. We have an interesting half term of activities coming up- for details of our forthcoming learning in each area of our curriculum please see the attached curriculum map.

This half term, the children in Class 1 will be learning about the Royal family and the UK. As well as learning lots more about our King and previous Queen, we will think about what the King gets up to all day, about British values, what it means to be part of the UK and the rules of our society.

We have a trip planned for **Wednesday 4th June** (straight after the May half term holiday due to the short half term this time) to complete our science work on British plants and trees. We will be visiting Bishop's Wood centre. More details to follow.

Our PE lessons this half term will take place again on a **Wednesday and a Friday** so we would be very grateful if you could ensure that your child has a PE kit in school including a pair of trainers and a sun hat (fingers crossed we'll need them at some point!). For this half term, 'Show and Tell' will be on a **Wednesday** again. If your child has something that they would like to show e.g. a certificate, an award, a favourite book or even a video of them doing something that they think is amazing then please bring it in or upload it to Tapestry for us to show. We are going to try to reduce the number of toys that are shown to encourage children to think of other things that they would like to tell the friends about.

Please continue to read as often as you can with your child and record their reading in their reading diaries. We are really hoping to win Oswald the Owl lots of times this half term!

If you ever have a concern or query regarding your child, please feel free to come to see us for a quick chat before or after school or you are welcome to book an appointment if you'd like more time to talk.

With very best wishes,

Mrs Hayley Pratley

Ms Emilia Munro