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Friday 6th June 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

Our final term of Year 1! Where has the year gone? We've got a busy and fun filled few weeks ahead.

Firstly, may we say how proud we were of our children on our recent visit to Sudbury Museum of Childhood. The class showed fantastic manners and listening skills throughout the day and we all enjoyed our visit. The weather was kind to us too! Thank you, Year 1!

Building on our work based on 'The Queen's Handbag' by Steve Antony, we will be reading 'The Queen's Hat' and writing another short story. Later on in the half term we will be focusing on the features of instructions and writing some of our own. In Maths, we will be working on place value using numbers to 100, telling the time to the hour and half hour and recognising coins and notes. During our History lessons we will be learning about Queen Elizabeth II and Kings Charles III. RE will focus on caring for the world and others and in PE will be playing striking and fielding games. We will be completing some investigations in Science, making predictions and thinking about why particular things happen.

During the fortnight 9th- 20th June, children will be undertaking the government Phonic Check. This will be completed in a very relaxed way and the results of this will be shared in the end of year report.

Please may we remind you that morning snack from home should be a piece of fruit and only water in water bottles. As the weather is warmer, please apply sun cream **before** school and provide a sunhat.

As always, if you have any concerns please contact the office or chat to us at the end of school and we will happily arrange a mutually convenient time to speak further.

Kind regards,
Mrs Rodgers and Mrs Macdonald