# Year 1

# Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017

## This week in class we are:

# **English:**

• Learning when to use capital letters. E.g. for the start of a sentence and for names and places.

#### Maths:

• Learning about place value with numbers 1 – 10. Sorting objects and matching amounts.

### Topic:

• Learning about materials and their properties in Science. In geography we are finding out about the school and where it is. In history we are comparing toys from the past and present.

### This week at home:

# English:

- Read to a family member and talk about what has happened in the story.
- Practice writing the alphabet. Using both uppercase and lowercase letters. E.g. Aa, Bb, Cc etc.
- Please find an attached spelling list. The children will be asked how to spell the words towards the end of the week.

### Maths:

• Please find an attached maths questions sheet.

#### Topic:

• Over the term the children can make and prepare their own project about toys or materials. This can be presented in whichever way they would like. Your child will then get the opportunity to present their project to the class once it's completed. E.g. They could bring in a toy then talk about what materials it's made from and how it works. With help they could make an information leaflet or present their ideas on a PowerPoint.

# Other Information:

- If you have any old uniform or P.E kit which is in good condition and doesn't fit your child any more please can you send it in for Foundation Stage.
- P.E will be on Tuesday mornings and Thursday afternoons.
- The book trolley will be available on a morning and afterschool for you to change your child's reading books. If you have any questions about this please just ask.
- Please send your child in with a water bottle every day.
- If you would like a quick word just grab me at the end of the school day or for a lengthier conversation please make an appointment with the office to book an available time and date, thank you.

## Family comment/ Questions/ Messages