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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you had a good break over half term.

This half term, our topic will be “The World Around Us.” We will be doing lots of fun activities about festivals of light and the stories linked to them. The curriculum overview for this is on the school website. As part of our topic, we will have a local trip and will keep you informed about dates.

We have started Home Learning on Seesaw. Thank you to all of you who are responding online with your child, it really helps strengthen the link between home and school in terms of what we are doing in class on a weekly basis.

Book bags continue to be sent home on Thursdays, with a reading book to practice at home with you plus a book to share. Please ensure you return book bags on Monday.

We are doing daily phonic lessons now with Little Wandle Letters and Sounds. You will be invited to a parents’ meeting about phonics later this term with the Phonics lead teacher.

PE with Coach Charlie takes place on Thursdays. Please send your child in comfortable clothes such as jogging bottoms and trainers on that day. We also have music lessons with Olga on Tuesdays and will start learning our Christmas songs for the Nativity next week. Look out for them on Seesaw!

Thank you to those of you who have already provided a change of clothes for their child. If you haven’t, please send in a change of underwear, socks and leggings or trousers in a clean plastic bag. If your child needs changing and uses school clothes, please wash and return clothes promptly.

Thanks again for your support. If you have any queries or issues please speak to me at the beginning or end of the school day or to make an appointment for a longer chat after school.

Best wishes,

Sarah Richardson

Reception Class teacher