

Dear Parents / Carers,

We would like to start by saying how proud we are of all the children for how they have settled into using Google Classroom. We have been impressed by the work they have produced and we really enjoy logging on to see what wonderful learning awaits us! In addition, we would like to say a huge thank you to you all for your patience and support as we all navigate the online learning platform together.

As staff, we are continually developing the work we set with home learning in mind. We have tried to set an English, Maths and phonics task for each day, as there would be in school, and a variety of foundation subject tasks should you want them. However, we are aware that it is a challenging time for all involved so please note that we do not expect every child to complete every daily activity and we encourage other creative, outdoor or family activities.

As writers we have been asking the children to write using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. We have really enjoyed seeing this demonstrated when writing facts about Monitor Lizards. If you haven't managed to 'hand in' the work online please do keep it all together and when we are all reunited we can see the childrens amazing work.

As mathematicians we have been identifying and adding coins together to make different totals. Please continue to practise this wherever possible as it's a great one to keep revisiting.

Thank you once again for your support in this new way of learning. If you have any further questions then please contact us as we are happy to help.

We hope you have a lovely weekend and the sunshine continues.

Stay safe.

Best wishes

The Year One Team