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Friday 18th October 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Apple class have been amazing this week. The children have been very busy with their learning and the adults cannot be any more proud of them.

In English, the children have completed their hot write this week, which involves writing a new version of The Gingerbread man story completely independently. The children worked really hard with this and they worked silently during that time. This is amazing as the children are still settling into the year 1 routines and it is still very early in their year 1 journey. Well done to each and every one of them.

During Maths this week, the children spent some time focusing on ordinal numbers and identifying the position of objects and numbers. The children have also been introduced to the number line and have been focusing on how number lines can support them in our Maths lessons.

In science, we focused on the 5 senses and the children were able to identify the body part each sense is associated with. We completed practical activities such as fruit tasting in order for the children to identify their favourites. In Geography, the children have been focusing on addresses and have practiced writing a letter, which will be posted home. We hope you look forward to receiving your letter in the next few days.

If you were unable to attend parents evening, please come and see Miss Mulligan to book an appointment after school. It would be great to discuss how your child is settling into Year 1.

During the first week back, we will be completing a reading assessment with your child. This is to ensure that your child is still reading the right books that will provide them with the right amount of challenge. This means that books will be changed the following week and we will completing these assessments during the time we would usually read with your child.

This will be the last printed copy of the newsletter therefore please ensure that you have signed up to the new App as this is where you will find future copies of the Newsletter. The normal text messaging service will be finishing Sunday and all correspondence will take place through the App. Thank you.

We hope you all have a lovely half term.

Miss Mulligan, Mrs Young & Mrs Whiting.