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Dear Families,

It has been an absolute pleasure to welcome the children into Butterflies Class this week. They have settled in wonderfully and impressed us all with their eager attitudes and willingness to learn.

A reminder that our school day in Class One starts at 8.45am and finishes at 3.15pm. Milk and fruit are provided for the children at morning break time. Should you wish your child to bring their own snack, can we please ask that it is a healthy one.

Our wonderfully unpredictable weather means that we do often get more than one season in a day. Can we therefore please ask that children come to school with coats if the weather is inclement and hats/sunscreen should the temperatures pick up.

As always, water bottles should be brought in daily. The children are able to refill these when necessary.

P.E. will continue to take place on a Thursday, so if children could come to school in P.E. kit, that would be great.

Reading books will be sent home twice a week. We understand how busy life gets with young children and appreciate that time isn't always easily available; but we do ask, that where ever possible, you read with your child three times a week. The difference that this will make to their development truly is invaluable. A reading diary will come home with their book, for you to update as and when.

We are excited to be introducing our new phonics scheme 'Monster Phonics' to the children this term and will be sending more information home about this over the coming weeks.

As some of you may know, we continue to use Class Dojo as our reward system in school. For those of you that are new to All Saints, log in information will be sent to you separately, if it hasn't been already. Each child has their own monster avatar and can earn points throughout each day for various reasons, such as positive behaviour and working hard.

Please feel free to contact any of the Early Years team with any questions or concerns, no matter how big or small.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Cooper & the Class One Team.