



Friday 7th November 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you have had a restful half term break and are ready to start the new term! This term, our school theme is Give, focusing on the values generosity, kindness and gratitude. We will be thinking in our classes how we can demonstrate these. Our topic title this term is 'Adventures near and far'. Our focus books are: *'How to catch a star'* by Oliver Jeffers and *'The Emperor's egg'* by Martin Jenkins.

As this term leads up to Christmas, we will put on our Christmas Nativity on Tuesday 9th December for you to come and watch. A letter about this has been posted on Dojo and you will shortly receive an additional letter informing you of your child's part and if they have lines to learn.

Please ensure your child has a full named PE kit in school. This should include a plain white t-shirt, black shorts, plain black jumper, plain black joggers, socks and daps or trainers. Please can you check that your child's footwear still fit. Make sure long hair is tied up and any earrings have been covered with tape or taken out. It is also worth putting some spare underwear/socks in your child's PE bag.

Please can you provide your child with a clearly named plastic water bottle to use throughout the day. The children can refill their bottles from the tap in the classroom. Your child will also have a carton of milk to drink in the morning. This can be ordered via the website 'Cool Milk.' Your child is entitled to receive a free carton of milk if they are under 5. If your child is over 5 then you will need to order and pay for this on the 'Cool Milk' website.

Please continue to listen to your child read regularly, practice their letter formation (Reception) and encourage them to practise their spellings (Year 1). This term they are based on their phonic lessons, so contain new graphemes they have learnt.

Attendance is a high priority at Moredon. Please support us with this by making sure that your children are in school every day and on time.

If you have any concerns or questions please come and talk to us or message us on Dojo. Please remember that we aren't always able to reply instantly but we will endeavour to reply as soon as we can.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Parmenter

Mrs Marr

Mrs Smith

Miss Bentley