

Year 1 Newsletter

"Let your light shine"

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It has been fantastic speaking to the parents of Year 1 this week. I feel it is such a shame we could



not meet face to face, however it was still great to be able to catch up with you about your child's progress.

It was also wonderful to hear about all the Home Learning that has been taking place, with many excited children keen to complete their Amazing Animal Projects. I was also delighted to hear how many children in Year 1 have been writing at home and practising their letter formation.

Well done to the children who have sent me examples of their Home Learning. It has been lovely to see your work and your smiley faces enjoying your learning experiences.

Our **Diamond 9** this week is **Courage**; we have all shown courage, staying positive through this challenging time. We have all missed our friends and I know we are all looking forward to returning to school next week

If you have any questions or comments you would like to share please email me

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Important Information



Return to School - Tuesday 24th November

We look forward to returning to school next week. If, during this period of Self-Isolation, your child has displayed symptoms of Coronavirus, has had a positive test, or is awaiting results of a test, you must inform school at the earliest opportunity. Thank you.

<u>Harvest Appeal - Tuesday 24th November</u>

Thank you to those who have already started completing the sponsorship form for our Harvest Appeal this year. We have been listening to the story of Orbisa, a mother of nine, who walks ten miles each night through dangerous territory, to collect water for her family and livestock. But, hope is within reach! We believe that we all have an amazing God given potential to create positive change so let's use it!

Every member of our school family will be tasked with walking ten laps of our school field (1 mile and collectively over 150 miles in total!) whilst carrying a bucket of water.

On Tuesday we will be each taking turns to carry water around 10 laps of our school field to raise money for Tearfund, a Christian charity passionate about ending poverty. (Another day later in the week will be chosen should the weather prevent our walk). All money raised will help Tearfund provide crucial water supply and transform lives forever.

Please bring a pair of <u>spare</u> old shoes/ trainers/ wellies in a carrier bag for our sponsored walk.

<u>Flu Vaccine - Wednesday 25th November</u> For those who were absent when the vaccines were first given.

Junk Modelling

Please can you send to school any suitable packaging materials; particularly **boxes** as we will be junk modelling jungle animals later in the term.