



Tudor Grange Primary Academy

## Meon Vale

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back. We hope you have all had an enjoyable half-term. Please find attached a detailed topic web which outlines what we will be doing in Little Oaks this half term. Our new topic is called '**The Great Outdoors**', where the children will be learning about plant lifecycles and minibeasts.

Now the children are in their final term of Reception we are preparing them for their transition to Year 1 and encouraging greater independence in all areas. The topic web will give you more detail and explain how you can specifically support at home.

### **Homework**

Word lists will resume this term so please make sure your child returns their 'Word List Book' on a Wednesday. We will return them on a Thursday in your child's bookbag. Now we are nearing the end of Reception they will be assessed on all these words during our final assessments, so it is important that they are revisited on a regular basis. It would be beneficial to practise writing these words in sentences also to help improve their spelling.

Reading will continue on the days set last term. Please ensure that you write in your child's reading diary each time your child reads. We do recommend that children read at least four times a week, although more often than that would be fantastic!

As this is the final letter now that you will receive whilst your child is in Reception may we just remind you of the importance of revisiting your child's phonics pack with them over the Summer holidays. Keep them safe as these will be added to with new sounds once your child reaches Year 1. Please return them to your child's new teacher in September.

### **School Reports**

School Reports will be distributed later this term. Hopefully you will find they are a true reflection of your child's time in Reception, with clear comments about their rate of progress and targets to work on in the future. It would be beneficial to work on the specific targets given over the summer holidays to ensure your child is fully prepared for Year 1.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Cotton - Tudor Grange Primary Academy, Meon Vale – Class Teacher

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