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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new school year in Merlin class we are looking forward to the next term in Sheepscombe. We are writing to give you some information about the structure and running of the class this year. We hope this helps, but if you have any questions please feel free to ask. On Mondays and Tuesdays the class teacher will be Mrs Curzon and Mr Gardner will be teaching from Tuesday to Friday. Miss Bannister will also be working in the Merlin class.

The register will be taken at 8:45 and there will be learning for your child to take part in from 8:30.

Weekly spellings will be given out on Friday for your child to learn. Please support them with this over the week at home and help them identify spelling patterns. There will then be a short spelling test on the following Friday.

Individual reading books will be changed every Friday unless there is a clear indication that the current reading book is still being read. If you need or would like to change your reading book at other times in the week then please let us know and we will be happy to do so. On Monday we will also send home a reading for pleasure book which is intended for you to read, enjoy and share the language with your child, not for them to read independently.

Children should read at home at least three times a week with an adult and this should be recorded in their reading record book. In School your child will read individually with an adult at least once a week, excluding absences, which will be recorded in their reading record book. Please make sure your child has their reading record book in school every day.

PE will take place on Tuesday afternoon starting from the second week, please make sure your child comes to school in the correct kit. Forest School will be every other Thursday afternoon starting on week 2, please make sure they are dressed appropriately. On Monday the children will be doing Garage Band and a shorter PE lesson will also be on Friday afternoon.

We hope this information is useful and look forward to an excellent year.

Many thanks, Mr Gardner and Miss Curzon

