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Dear Parents/ Carers,

A huge welcome back to our Autumn Term. We hope that you all had a wonderful Summer break!

We are looking forward to working with your children this year and are excited about some of our new and upcoming topics.

Our topic this term is the Anglo Saxons. As part of this topic the children will travel back in time to explore some artefacts as well as learning about how the Anglo Saxons have impacted on our lives today.

The children will work with Miss Milne and Mrs Dilks to complete some exciting art and design technology projects linked to this period of history.

In maths we will be focusing on place value and number. Years 2 and 3 will continue with their times tables marathons. Each week the children take part in a 5minute time's tables test. The children work through the marathon and each time they answer all questions correctly they progress to the next part of the marathon. Copies of the children's times tables will be sent home so that they can practise these at home.

In English the children will be creating their own Anglo Saxon reports and leaflets as well as designing their own tapestries. Daily handwriting sessions will also take place as we continue with our cursive style.

Our class PE sessions usually take place on Mondays and Wednesdays. Please ensure that your child's kit is in school every day as these may change.

In Snowy Owl Class we have a reading raffle. Each time a child reads at home and writes in their record book they are given a raffle ticket. Each week a winner is chosen for a small prize. At the end of each term an overall winner is chosen for a bigger prize. Remember you have to be in it to win it!

Homework is sent home on a Wednesday and will be returned to school on the following Tuesday. Homework will consist of times tables for Years 2 and 3, spellings and a piece of Maths or English.

Here are some important dates to note:

- Friday 13th September- Year 3 swimming sessions begin
- Friday 4th October- Harvest Service 2.30pm
- Tuesday 8th October- Grandparents Day coffee afternoon- all grandparents welcome
- Monday 14th October- individual school photos
- Wednesday 23rd October- Parents Evening 4-6
- Thursday 24th October- Parents Evening 5-7
- Friday 6th December- KS1 Christmas Plays 2pm and 6pm
- Wednesday 18th December- KS1 Party
- Thursday 19th December- KS2 Party and Panto

As always if you have any questions please feel free to ask us at any time.

Thank you,

The Snowy Owl Team.