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Friday 8th March

Dear parents/carers,

On Wednesday 10th April at 3:45pm, Mrs Millward will be hosting a Year 1 phonics information evening. The purpose of this evening is to share the year 1 phonics objectives and age-related expectations with you. We will discuss how we teach phonics at school and ways in which you can support your child at home, as they develop these skills which are vital to their success as a reader.

We will also be sharing with you information about the statutory year 1 phonics check, which children will be taking in June. This is used to assess whether children have met age related expectations as a reader.

We would strongly encourage you, or a close family member, to attend this meeting so that you are aware of the phonic knowledge that children need to have to ensure that they meet age related expectations, which will in turn mean that they are equipped to progress well in reading throughout their time at school.

The meeting will take place in Kingfisher classroom and there will be a crèche in Little Owls classroom, hosted by Mrs Swan, so that you can leave your child/children with her while you attend the meeting. The meeting will last approximately 30 minutes.

Please return the slip below or write it on a piece of paper and return to your child's class teacher by Friday 22nd March. We look forward to seeing you and thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Mrs Millward, Mr Ormiston, Mrs Swan and Miss Cox





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**Year 1 Phonics Information Meeting for parents / carers : Wednesday 10th
April 3.40pm – Kingfisher class room**

Child's name _____

Class : Kingfisher / Little Owl / Robin (please circle)

I/We will be attending this meeting on Wednesday 10th April :

Print names _____

I/we will need to book place(s) in the crèche for: (please list and state age)
Only children booked in can be attend the crèche due to staffing ratios.

_____ age _____

_____ age _____

Thank you



