



Twineham CofE School



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Dear Parents,

Welcome (and welcome back) to Buttercup Class! We are really looking forward to teaching and learning with your children and hope they have a brilliant term.

This term our topic is 'Down on the Farm'. We will be finding out all about farm animals and crops and sharing all the experiences and knowledge the children already have about farms. Please see overleaf for an overview of the learning we will be doing and how it supports all areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage and Year 1 National Curriculum.

We are also sending home a 'homework activities' sheet in your child's 'Homework Books' this week. There is no need to do 'formal' homework with your child but we hope this will provide you with lots of ideas about things you can talk about, play and explore to support your child's learning at school.

Things to remember:

Home School Communication Book

This year we are introducing a communication book. Please make sure your child brings it in **every day**. We will read these each day but please make sure you pass on any urgent or important messages in person at the start of the day.

P.E

P.E will be on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please ensure your child has their PE kits in school on these days. If possible, please provide your child with trainers rather than plimsolls for PE lessons and remember a pair of socks if your child is in tights.

Reading

Books will be changed every Wednesday so please make sure your child always brings their book(s) in on this day. Please read to and/or listen to your child read every day.

Finally, please feel free to come and talk to us any time about your child or if you have any suggestions, or questions. The end of the day is usually the best time to catch us or you are always welcome to make an appointment.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Cotton, Miss White, Mrs Martin, Mrs Borrer and Mrs Vaughan

