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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the Autumn term. We hope you had a lovely Summer break.

This term our topic is *Beside the Sea* (please see enclosed overview). If you have any knowledge or resources you would like to share please send information to the school office for the attention of your child's class teacher.

Please ensure your child wears their named PE kit to school, with earrings removed and long hair tied back, on their PE days.

Foxes: Monday and Tuesday
Squirrels: Monday and Tuesday
Otters: Tuesday and Thursday

If there are changes to this due to organisational matters, we will inform you via email or the newsletter.

Your child will receive their spelling and maths homework via Purple Mash 2email on a Tuesday. Spellings and maths facts will be tested the following Tuesday. Purple Mash logins should have come home with your child this week. If you need any support with Purple Mash please contact your child's class teacher. Your child should aim to practise these spellings and maths facts for a few minutes **every day**.

Please continue to read, share and enjoy books with your child daily. We will be sending school reading books home but please remember to return these promptly once read.

Your child should have brought home a purple Topic Homework Book this week. This can be used for their topic homework across the year. It will currently have a grid of *Beside the Sea* based activities to choose from. Once a piece of work has been completed you can either take a photograph and upload to Purple Mash or send the work into school with your child to share with the class on a Friday. Work uploaded to Purple Mash can be accessed by your child's class teacher and then be shared with the class. At the end of term, certificates and smiley faces will be awarded for their hard work.

If you need to discuss anything in this letter in more detail, please don't hesitate to speak to your child's teacher.

Thank you for your support,

Year 1/2 Team

