



# What's going on in Year 1?

**Date: Friday 3rd September**

## **This week in Year 1:**

Welcome everyone to Year 1! What a lovely start it has been, with everyone back with enormous smiles on their faces. We have been discussing class rules, writing all about our holidays and thinking about how to punctuate a sentence with capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. In Maths, we have been practising our counting, both forwards and backwards and how to write our numbers. We have been thinking about how to make that magic number, 10! We thought about all of the pairs of numbers to make 10, and how many other ways we can make 10. It has been lovely to see all of our friends and spend time on the playground too. Thanks very much for your patience at the end of the day while we learn who belongs with whom- we are sure this will speed up next week but still need to keep everyone, including parents, safe at the end of the day.

## **Important Information:**

The Year 1 day starts at 8.45 a.m. and finishes at 3.25pm.

Please could you make sure clothing is named, including coats.

P.E. lessons will commence next week. Children should come to school in their P.E. kit for the day, to save time changing. Please ensure that pumps are sent in to school in a P.E. bag which can be kept in school for the half-term.

Class 4 will do their P.E. lessons on Monday and Wednesday.

Class 5 will do their P.E. lessons on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Class 6 will have P.E. on Monday and Tuesday.

## **Homework:**

We will begin the Golden Ticket system next week. We will check how many times each child has read and those who have read three rimes or more will receive the Golden Ticket reward. The expectation is that each child will read three times at least, each week please.

**MEET THE TEACHER-** this is a virtual event after school. There will be two dates available- on 15<sup>th</sup> September 5.30-6.15pm or 20<sup>th</sup> September 5.30-6.15. Please attend one of these meetings if you can, not only to meet your teacher but to find out more about Year 1 expectations and have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have. We look forward to meeting you virtually at one of the meetings, but don't forget you can email us on the class learning selfie addresses, or ring or write us a note. The email addresses are below, just add the correct number for each class-  
Class4homelearningselfie@forefieldinfant.sefton.school

## **Just a reminder:**

Please remember to name your child's water bottle, please. Unlike Reception, we do not have a snack, but fruit is provided daily (sometimes vegetables such as carrots). Toast club will begin again shortly, the letter has been sent out should you wish for your child to enjoy a slice of toast during morning break.

## **Dates-**

Half term holiday- We break up on 22<sup>nd</sup> October for one week, returning to school on Monday 1 November.

We break up for Christmas on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December at 1.45 p.m.

