



Queenswood Primary School

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Dear Mums and Dads,

In the New Year

I am sure that you will agree that we have all had a fantastic Autumn Term. We can all see how the children have settled and have engaged in all the different learning opportunities that have been planned.

Next term, in addition to Class Dojo, we will be using Tapestry which is an online Learning Journey. You will be able to log in and see the learning that we have observed your child doing. You will also be able to add observations of things that you see your child doing at home. This enables us to work together to build a clear picture of what your child can do.

Please email me on melanie.buttery@taw.org.uk. I will then be able to send you an email link to create your log in to Tapestry. I will be able to do these during the first few days of the holiday. If you don't receive the email, check your Spam email folder as sometimes the link ends up in there.

I will be running a Tapestry Question and Answer/ Help Me session in the New Year.

Also as January is the start of a new year, we will be starting a new routine in class which we are all hopeful will enable all of the children to access their learning through play. It is really important that, when the bell goes in the morning, the children are able to get themselves ready to begin their learning as quickly as possible. Please help us all be ready by leaving the classroom promptly when the bell rings. We will send out a copy of our timetable in the New Year.

As a team we are also aware that it can be difficult for you if you just want to pass on a quick message. From January we will be operating a Key Person system in Reception/Year1 so that you know who you can give your messages to. We also ask that, if you have a concern or question that cannot be dealt with quickly, you make an appointment to speak with myself. This can be done through your Key Person and we will endeavour to make this for the end of the same day. In January you will receive a letter telling you who your child's key person is.

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a Happy Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.

Thank you for all of your support this term.

Mrs M.Buttery
EYFS Leader/ Reception Year 1 Teacher

Our School Values

Achievement Honesty Confidence Respect Happiness Responsibility Compassion