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Dear Parents and Carers,

Summer 2 Term Curriculum Letter

I cannot believe that we are in Term 6 of Year 1; the year has been amazing and gone so quickly!

This term we will be launching our new topic Amazing Animals with our wonderful trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park. We will be observing all the animals in their habitats and learning more about classification in an educational talk. The driving question that will impact all of our learning is 'Do animals have feelings?'

In **Literacy** this term, we will write a character flaw tale based on the story 'Giraffes can't dance'. In

Maths we will be learning about position and direction, understanding of place value up to 100, money and time. Any time telling or money counting you can do at home would support your child greatly in class.

Phonics will continue to be a daily session for all the children. Children should still be coming home with books from their coloured group and are welcome to take appropriate coloured books from the library. **Please return any books you may have at home** that belong to the school library if you have not done so already.

Reading records need to come into school every day. I am collecting reading records on a Thursday to read your comments/leave my own, **so please make sure their book bags are coming in daily.**

In **PE** we will be looking at using a range of skills to practise for the sports day at the end of term. These include throwing, aiming, relay and sprinting practise. Your child will still need to come into school in their PE kits on a Tuesday. Year 1 will continue to **swim this term**. This will take place on a Friday

afternoon, so your child will need to bring in their labelled swimming kits on a Friday in order for them to take part.

In **PHSE** we will be looking at 'Changing me'. The children will be exploring life cycles, changing me, my changing body, boys and girls bodies, learning and growing and coping with changes.

The **Outcome** for this term will be on Wednesday 15th July on the Google Classroom where the children will be sharing an animal that they have created alongside other exciting steps they have taken this final term.

I hope this letter covers any queries about the final term, if not please feel free to talk to me with any questions you may have. Thank you for your continued support and here's to a wonderful final term!

Miss Thomson and the Year 1 Team