

**Year One
JTLYK
Beech and Oak
21st September 2018**

Parent helpers

As we mentioned at the Meet the Team evening, we do ask for support from our parents throughout the year. We will be going to the Wild Place on Wednesday the 26th of September at 1.30pm. If you would like to come along to help then please sign-up on the Wild Place sign-up sheet which is located in the Year One corridor.

We also appreciate support with sticking children's work into their books. If you are able to do this regularly or even occasionally then please let your child's teacher know.

We are learning all about heroes this term and will have several discussions on what makes someone heroic. We want to tie this into jobs that help others. If your work or hobby directly helps others then we would love for you to come in so we can talk about this in Year One. Last year we had a doctor, nurse, and three firefighters visit us and the children loved hearing about the work they did. Let your child's class teacher know if you can come in, we would love to hear from you!

We have had another great week of learning in Year One. We launched our Superheroes topic for this half-term and had a lot of fun wearing capes while writing about our superhero personas. We have also learnt about the five senses in science.

We have worked hard on our number formation, counting and making amounts up to 20 in maths. We have focussed on the relationship between the number and what its worth. We have also practised ordering sequences of numbers. Here is a little task you can do at home together, **put these numbers in order from smallest to largest:**

5	1	4	2	3	7	11	9	8	10
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We will be going to the Wild Place at 1.30pm on Wednesday the 26th of September. We will aim to go most Wednesday afternoons so please ensure your child has suitable footwear for the woods.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Meet the Team evening. If you were unable to attend, you are welcome to email or come in to ask us any questions. We have also sent home the pack we provided visitors during the evening which includes a timetable and some learning resources to help you support your child at home.

Claire and Georgie



Art and design

We design and produce a variety of pieces throughout the year. We cover wood work, sewing and stitching. We also aim to have at least one cooking lesson per half term. In order to help us cover the cost of these activities we ask you for a voluntary donation of £5 to help. If you are happy to contribute then please include it in a named envelope and send it in with your child next week. Thank you.