

## Hazel Class News

Welcome back to the final half term of Year One! We hope that you all enjoyed half term and that you are ready for another busy few weeks.

We can't believe that this is the final half term of the year and we only have 7 weeks left before the summer break! The year has whizzed by and we are determined to make the most of our last few weeks and finish the year in style.

We look forward to seeing you at our **Year One assembly on Tuesday 25th June at 9.00am.** Your help with learning lines is greatly appreciated and the children can't wat for you to see their assembly and tell you all about a year in Year One.

This half term, we have an exciting new History based topic, "Who was Grace Darling?" This is a great chance to find out more about Grace Darling and her heroic efforts in our region, including her influence on today's RNLI. More details about this topic can be found with the attached curriculum information.

Please make sure your child has their reading book & diary in school everyday. We read in groups twice a week, but try to hear the children read individually as well—which can be on any day!

Thank you for your ongoing support with reading at home. We are seeing huge progress, particularly for the children who are reading their book a few times each week. This really helps to improve fluency and the children are so proud to show off their wonderful reading! Little and often is key to good reading progress. Even a few minutes a day will make a big difference. Asking your child questions about their reading book is also invaluable and it is a good way of checking they are understanding what they have read.

## PE

Our PE days continue to be a Tuesday and Wednesday this half term.

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school at all times as this is a very busy half term and these days do occasionally need to change. Thank you.

Our **Year 1 Sports Afternoon will take place on Monday 17th June at 2.00pm**. We hope you can join us and cheer the children on!

The photos below are from our wonderful Outdoor Learning day last half term. Please follow us on X @HazelclassHFS to see more photos like these!



A LITTLE REMINDER

As well as PE, we have lots of other outdoor activities planned for the next few weeks. Please ensure that your child always has a coat with them, even if it is sunny in the morning. The weather seems particularly changeable at the moment.

It is a busy start to the half term in Year one, with the phonics screen to complete (Week Commencing 10th June). The children have worked so hard in phonics this year and we are very proud of them all.

You should all have received information about this, but if you have any questions, please get in touch in person, via email or telephone.

Many Thanks,

Fiona Jones & Heidi Walker

