# **Wyke Regis Primary Federation**

Inspiring Hearts and Minds

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# **Welcome to Year One**

#### **Dear Parents/Carers**

The children have settled in really quickly and we are so impressed with them. Thank you.

## **Tapestry**

Please keep checking in on Tapestry to see what your child has been doing at school and for any messages and information from us. If you are having trouble with this please let us know and we will help.

### **Topic**

You will find our topic web on Tapestry which shows what we are learning this half term. Our first topic is 'Ahoy there me hearties' where we will be learning all about pirates. We have a dress up as a pirate day on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

### PE

PE is on a Wednesday. Please make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit, consisting of black shorts, white t-shirt, purple hoody and a pair of trainers. PE is often outside so as the weather gets colder they may need black jogging bottoms or leggings.

# **Stay and Learn**

Stay and learn will be pre-recorded for Tapestry and we will be giving you information about the Year One Curriculum. You will be able to watch these informational videos from home. We hope to welcome you back into the classroom as soon as it is safe to do so.

#### Water

Please make sure your child brings a water bottle to school every day.

#### Reading

Coming home soon is a log in to your child's online reading record. We ask that you set this up and begin using it as soon as you can. We have new reading rewards in place for children for every 10 reads they do at home. The app is new to us and we are learning how to use it too, so please bear with us as we get used to this new piece of technology. If you have any problems with it please come and ask and we will try to help!

We are looking forward to getting your child and you this year. We are a friendly team so please do come and ask if you have any queries or concerns  $\odot$ 

#### The Year One Team

Mrs March, Mrs Machin and Miss Dummer (Teachers)

Mrs Cox, Mrs Pidgley, Mrs Hodge, Miss G, Miss Charlesworth and Mrs Northover (TAs)