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Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Year 1 – Phonics Screening Check**

All Year 1 children will complete a Phonics Screening Check during the week beginning 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022. The children will all complete a Phonic Assessment based on real and nonsense words in order to assess their ability to read and blend the given sounds. The assessment will be part of the normal school day. We will report the results to you individually towards the end of term.

We would like to invite you to a Year 1 Parents Information Meeting on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April from 2.45pm. to give you an overview of this Screening Check and to offer ideas on how you can continue to support your child at home.

This meeting is open to one adult per child and will be finished before the end of the school day.

If you would like to come to the main gates (usual entrance point) for 2:40 we will direct you to the Lower School Hall where the meeting will take place.

Finally we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the support that you are giving your child with their phonics. Regularly practising their sounds and the tricky words will help them enormously to make progress with their reading and writing.

Many thanks for your continued support,

Mrs Davidge and Mr McIntosh























