Hello everyone,

I hope you have had a great weekend.

This week is Anti-bullying week. Anti-bullying week is a great way to get involved, take a stand against bullying and raise awareness in our school. Throughout the week, we will be celebrating kind behaviours and using 'restorative justice' to support children to understand each other's feelings when there is upset so that our children know how to make things better.

### **Odd Socks on Monday**

Odd Socks Day marks the start of Anti-Bullying Week. It is designed to be fun! It's an opportunity to encourage people to celebrate their individuality and what makes us all unique! We are encouraging the whole school to wear their favourite socks that don't match on Monday.

#### Children in Need 2023 Spotacular!

On Friday we would like to invite you to join us for our whole school mini marathon. This event has been organized by our Year 6 Change-Makers, who have been working tirelessly to promote health and fitness within our school while raising money for a great cause - CHILDREN IN NEED. The marathon will take place between 10am-11am and it would be great if you could come along to support the children. The children will need to wear running shoes, along with their 'spotacular' clothing. We would be grateful if you donate generously, using the sponsor forms which will be sent out this week. Thank you!

## **Reading competition**

Reading activity of the week:

\*\*\*\*Competition Reminder\*\*\*\*

Every Child, Every Day, Everywhere – a Reader!





What's the most unusual place you can read a book? Maybe in the

sea, upside down on the train, at the beach or even in a tree! We would love to see your pictures, so send in a photo and we can build a display of exciting places to read. The stranger the better! The most unusual place will win a copy of Guinness World

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Thank you to those people who have sent in their reading competition photos, they are great! This is the last chance for anyone else to send in their photos before the competition closes on Wednesday. Please send them to myself or the office.

#### Newquay Zoo trip

On Tuesday 21st November 2023 year 1 will be visiting Newquay Zoo. This will support the children's current science topic 'Animals- including humans'. We will be able to take part in an enclosure minisession and learn about the fantastic species that they have at the zoo. Please ensure the return slip is returned by Monday.

## **Key reminders for this week:**

- PE day will be on Thursday.
- Homework: new phonics homework, spellings and reading with your child (please log this on boomreader).
- Odd socks on Monday
- Spotacular clothing and Mini-Marathon on Friday (10am-11am)
- Newquay Zoo trip on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2023

# This week's phonics virtual classroom videos:

Group A- Red: <a href="https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/CqE6fndO/nLkDJ2oj">https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/CqE6fndO/nLkDJ2oj</a>

Green- Pink: <a href="https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/a43YLXMk/spSuammK">https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/a43YLXMk/spSuammK</a>

Orange- Yellow: <a href="https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/w9Ci3yy6/TtEVwrql">https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/w9Ci3yy6/TtEVwrql</a>

Thank you,

Miss Ponsford