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Dear Parent/Carer

### Numeracy

As you are aware we have been delivering the National Curriculum for maths through a Read, Write, Inc' approach to learning. The children have been working in groups that are specifically selected based on the child's ability, enabling the planning and delivery of each session to be explicitly targeted at the appropriate level.

Whilst it may be early days, the monitoring of this new approach has highlighted its success so far. Children are engaged in their learning and are growing in confidence as their mathematical skills and knowledge develop.

As with any new initiative we will continue to assess the impact of this approach and make any adjustments that may be needed to improve further.

If you have any thoughts or comments please let us know.

### Home Learning

Children in both Year1 and Year 2 have been very excited about their learning themes.

Year 2 children, who have been looking at castles, have continued their learning at home. Many have returned to school with facts and information about the era they are studying.

Year 1 children have had a range of home work set over the last few weeks covering our theme of "Water world", measuring, ordering numbers and kites.

We thank the parents/carers who remain supportive of school and work in partnership with us to help your child reach their full potential.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs D Reynolds

