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Dear parents and carers,

Happy New Year!

We hope you had a good Easter. The children all seem to have grown in the 2 weeks and it is lovely to see everyone back in school. We have come back with lots of news to share and ready to get on with this term's learning.

Topics this term

Our topic this term is The Stone Age - please see the topic web for more information on our learning in the different areas of the curriculum. We are particularly looking forward to our Stone Age day trip to Hill end on 9th May.

Home learning

Home learning continues to focus on reading and practising times tables. We are building fluency with the 3, 4 and 8 times tables this term.

Hot Weather

Please ensure that your child has a sun hat, fresh water and named sun cream which they are able to apply on their own.

Sweatshirts We find at this time of year with the warmer weather, sweat shirts get removed and children forget where they have left them! We are aware that this can cause difficulty to parents and carers, so please can we request that they are **named** in some way. This makes our job of retrieval much easier as we can identify the item by the name rather than by a process of elimination, which as you can imagine takes a bit of time with a lot of similar navy blue sweatshirts! Please be assured that we do remind the class to be mindful of where they take off their sweatshirts and do try and reunite them with their owners as soon as they are found!

Water

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle in school every day. With the warmer weather it is important that your child is able to stay hydrated and their own water bottle makes this easier for them to do. Fruit juice or squash is not permitted but feel free to pop a slice of fruit in!

Communication

Please continue to email the office with any messages. Alternatively, please just come and see us at the end of the school day if you have any concerns or anything you need us to be aware of.

Thank you

Thank you for being so organised with lunches, book bags, PE kits and violins. It really helps our school day to go smoothly and is much appreciated.

With best wishes,

Miss Hobby, Mrs Panter, Miss Coombe and Mrs Horne