

Dear Parent/ Carer,

We had a great time earlier this week meeting your children and are very excited about the forthcoming year. To keep the momentum going and help maintain the progress they have made this year it would be really beneficial if over the holidays you could complete some of the challenge tasks we have enclosed.

On this sheet there are some suggestions for reading and maths activities which will promote fluency and pace. We would like you to keep a diary (in any format you like! We have put one on the website that you can print if you prefer) with children writing and drawing about the things they have been up to over the holidays (roughly one page per week).

Thank you for your support. We look forward to meeting you in September. Enjoy the sun!

Look at our maths challenges!

Can you find an object that is taller than you? Can you find an object shorter than you? Can you find an object longer than you?	Play a board game with a dice.	Go to the beach and collect shells. Count how many you find?
Make a picture out of shapes.	Can you role play shops with your favourite toys? What coins do you need? What will you sell and for how much?	Collect 15 small toys. Can you sort them into different groups?
Use weighing scales to make a cake.	Go on a number hunt when you are travelling in the car.	Can you find different ways to make the number 10 using different operations?

Keep looking maths is everywhere!

All you have to do is choose any 6 maths challenges and any 6 reading challenges to complete. Get your grown up to tick them off and send in a photo of you doing some of them ...there will be prizes for those who complete the challenge!

Have fun from the Year 1 team.