



Welcome back!

I hope everyone has had a lovely half term holiday in the sunshine. It is so exciting to be back and hear all of your news. If you would like to upload a photo on Class Dojo for your child to show their friends, we would love to see them.

This term, we are learning about 'The Seaside', in particular, the creatures that live in and around the seashore. Our key questions are 'What lives under the sea?'

Where can you hear the whales sing?' We will be using several key books to base our work around, the first one being 'The Sand Horse', where we will be learning about and making our own sand sculptures. Other books include 'The Whales' Song' and 'Lubna and the Pebble'.

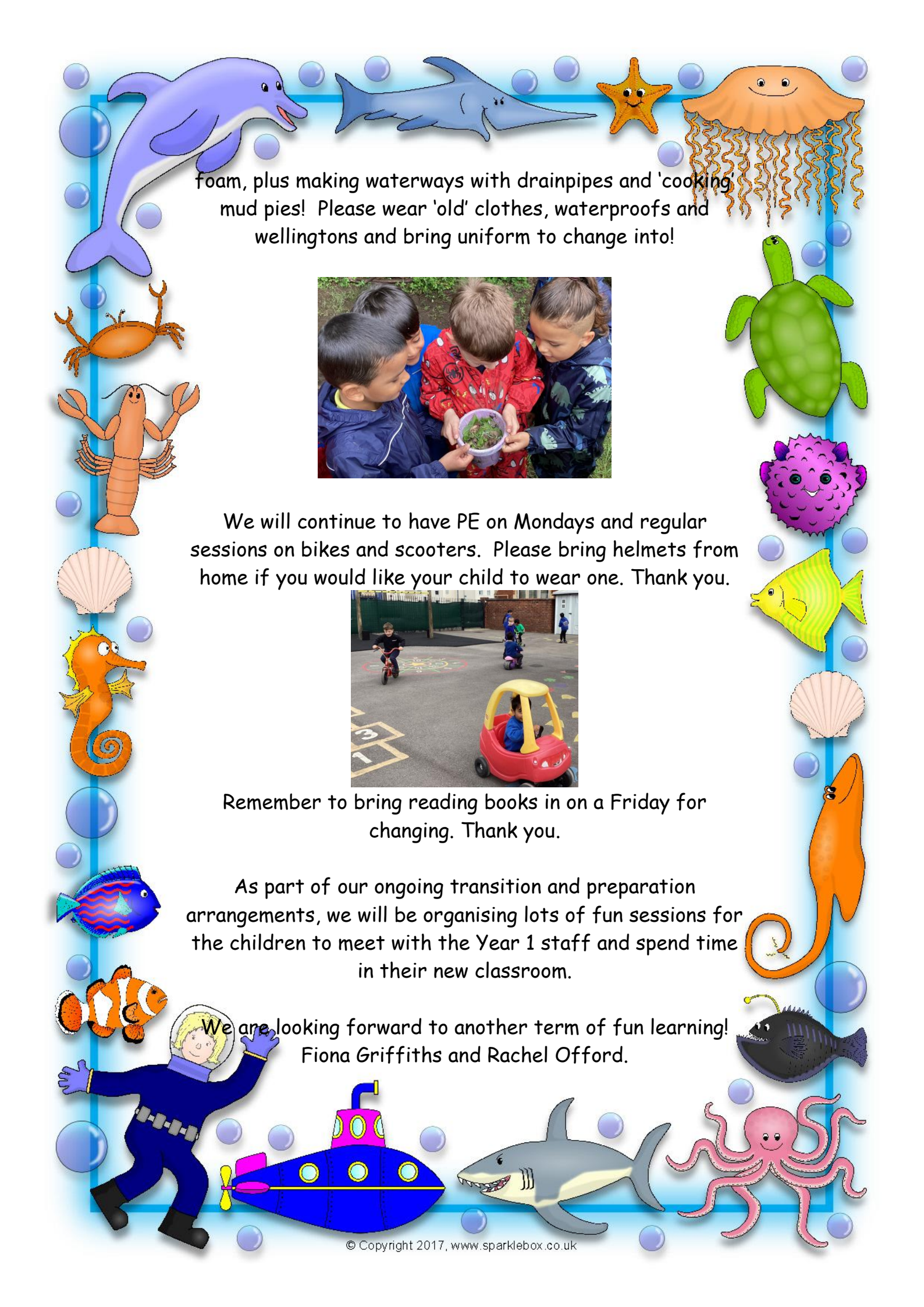


In maths, we will continue to follow the White Rose scheme and will be learning about doubling and halving numbers, odd and even numbers and grouping and sharing objects.



Our messy session will continue to be on Thursdays when the children will experience and have fun with different textures and mixtures, such as gloop, jelibath and shaving





foam, plus making waterways with drainpipes and 'cooking' mud pies! Please wear 'old' clothes, waterproofs and wellingtons and bring uniform to change into!



We will continue to have PE on Mondays and regular sessions on bikes and scooters. Please bring helmets from home if you would like your child to wear one. Thank you.



Remember to bring reading books in on a Friday for changing. Thank you.

As part of our ongoing transition and preparation arrangements, we will be organising lots of fun sessions for the children to meet with the Year 1 staff and spend time in their new classroom.

We are looking forward to another term of fun learning!
Fiona Griffiths and Rachel Offord.