

## Queensgate Foundation Primary School

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Monday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to a busy half term!

Overleaf you will find our Autumn B medium term plan for this half of the Autumn Term. This gives you a week-by-week overview of what we will be learning in class. Our main theme is 'Toys'. Please encourage your child to discuss what they have been learning each week.

Our theme for PSHE is 'Getting On and Falling Out'. We will be looking at how behaviour affects others; being polite and respectful. Our PE is timetabled for Thursdays. We will be learning basic multi- skills, yoga and dance. Please remember to send your child into school wearing their PE kit on Thursdays. This half term, PPA continues to be on a Tuesday morning. Please check the weekly newsletter to check if your child is going on Out and About, your child may need to bring wellies on rainy days.

Now our initial assessments are complete, we will begin weekly spellings. These will be sent home on a Monday for learning and practising at home and we aim to check these each <u>Friday</u> in a test. Book bags will continue to be changed weekly. We ask that children have the chance to read daily to someone at home and that you note reading and sign in the comments book. Don't forget Bug Club reading can be accessed from home on a tablet or laptop. Log on details are on your child's reading record book. Unfortunately there are still a few children not accessing Bug Club, there is a read along option that a child can do independently if you can do if you are short on time.

In December, as part of this term's history focus (past and present) we will be having a toy museum workshop in school and a Victorian school day. More details to follow!

Thank you as always for your continued support

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Edmonds, Miss K Stone and the Year 1 team









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