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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have all had a lovely Christmas and Happy New Year! I hope the children are feeling ready for another exciting term of learning together. This term we will be learning all about 'The United Kingdom'. Please find our class topic web on the website for more details about what we will be getting up to this term in Hedgehog Class.

Reading Books: Please continue to read with your child as frequently as possible - it is essential for your child to make progress. It is most beneficial if your child reads **at least 3x** a week with you. **Books will only be changed if you have made a comment for the week & signed. A comment from you is really helpful, and supports our home/school learning.**

Magic Squares: Magic Squares are a very quick teaching tool used to help children learn, recognise and say sounds. Some children will have a Magic Square in their book bags to help them learn any Phase 5 sounds they don't know. There is a sheet included to explain how they work however if you do have any questions, please contact me.

PE: This term, children will be doing dance on a **Wednesday** afternoon in preparation for the Dance Umbrella. Children need to come to school in their PE kits on **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. Children will continue swimming every **Thursday** afternoon, so please make sure that children come to school with their kit on a Thursday. It's also helpful if you can pop in an extra pair of pants and socks in their bags too in case of accidents. Please also ensure long hair is tied up everyday. Please may I ask if your child has come home from school in spare clothes, these need to be washed and returned to school.

Water Bottles: Please continue to send in your child's named & filled water bottle to school **every day**.

Fruit: Please remember to send a piece of **fruit or vegetable** for your child to have before morning break each day. The children will continue to receive a piece of free fruit/veg at afternoon break.

Finally, if you are concerned in **any** way about your child, then please do contact me.

Yours sincerely

Alice Langley
Hedgehog Class Teacher

"Love each other as I have loved you" John 15:12

