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Dear parents and carers,

We hope you had a restful half-term and managed to spend plenty of time outside come rain or shine.

Alongside this letter you will find our Year 1 Term 6 Curriculum map. Our class text next term is the traditional African story 'Awongalema'. We will use this text to explore all the continent with a focus on Africa and how this differs to Europe.

Labelling Personal Belongings

We try our best to keep track of children's belongings, but these can be misplaced and it is much easier for us to find these when they are labelled; including all P.E. kit items and coats.

Reading:

Each child will have the opportunity to read with their class teacher and have their book changed once a week. Please could children have their reading book and diary in school **every day** as there will not be set reading days. We also invite you to read widely at home and, if you wish, you can record this reading in your child's reading record.

PE and Outdoor Learning:

PE will continue to take place on **Tuesdays and...** for Chestnut and Willow. The children will be doing outdoor PE on Tuesdays and indoor PE (strictly rehearsals) on.... We are happy for the children to learn the strictly routine in their school uniform, but they will need appropriate clothing for outdoor PE on Tuesdays such as trainers and moveable trousers or shorts.

We apologise for the confusion with the outdoor learning timetable last term. In the end, Chestnut had their outdoor learning every Tuesday, so this term it's Willow's turn and they will be having their outdoor learning time each Tuesday.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes,

Mrs Stevenson, Mrs Farnsworth, Mr Bramley and the Chillow Team



Let all that you do be done in love...

1 Corinthians 16:14