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Dear Parents.

We hope you had an enjoyable holiday and wish you all a very Happy New Year! We will be settling the children back into school over the next couple of days and are very much looking forward to hearing about what they have been up to during the holidays. This half term our topic is 'Amazing Animals,' and to begin with we will be talking about any pets that you or your wider family have. If you could you send in/upload to tapestry any pictures of family pets we would be very grateful. We have also arranged a visit from ZooLab UK later in the half term, which we are very excited about!

Our new reading groups will be starting from next week and therefore reading and sharing books will be sent home from Wednesday 10th January. To support reading this half term we are inviting you to attend a 'book and brioche' morning on Wednesday 24th January. This is expected to run from approximately 8.45-9.30am.

There are some slight amendments to the timetable, and so an updated version is included. We will be looking to swap our main PE lesson to a Monday afternoon, and so children will need to come in their PE kit on a Monday from now on. Forest school will remain on Thursdays. Please ensure your child has suitable clothing for the weather, bearing in mind it might turn colder soon.

Just a gentle reminder that your child needs to bring their bookbag and water bottle to school with them each day, and please be sure to regularly check tapestry for any updates.

Kind Regards,
Mrs Bamfield, Mrs Warner-Smith and Mr Sunderland.

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