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Small changes to live lessons in Year One

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to begin by thanking each and every one of you for your continued hard work and support with guiding your child through live lessons and remote learning activities. We all find ourselves in a situation that we could never have imagined we would be teaching and parenting in and navigating through this has been a journey that we have all been on together for these last 6 weeks. We are sure that we speak for all of us when we say that although we have all learnt new skills and found different ways of doing things, we are still craving a return of some sense of normality. However, until that day comes please rest assured that we will continue to do our very very best for all of our Year One little remote learners.

We are writing to inform you that after half term there will be a couple of changes to our remote learning schedule. Firstly, the focus of our Wednesday live lesson will become writing rather than a phonics session. This is because we want to ensure that all children are having the opportunity to write more lengthy pieces with the support of a member of staff. Your child's live writing session will take place in exactly the same time slot as their current Wednesday phonics lesson. We will send Wednesday's phonics lesson powerpoint out via Tapestry on Tuesday evening for you to complete at home with your child. There will still be a challenge for your child to complete based on the phonics learnt in the lesson and we would, as always, love to see this on Tapestry please. There will not be an English lesson sent out for you to complete at home on a Wednesday.

The second change to our remote learning schedule is that if your child had their phonics session in the morning this half term and their maths in the afternoon then this will switch after half term. Likewise, if your child had maths in the morning and phonics in the afternoon this will now swap over. All live lesson times will remain the same but the subject of what is being taught will change. Please see the table below for exact timings. We will change the title of the calendar entries on Teams so that the focus of each session is clear.

	Group A	Group B	Groups C	Group D	Group E	Group F
Monday	Maths 9.00-9.30am	Maths 9.40-10.10am	Maths 10.20am - 10.50am	Maths 1.00-1.30pm	Maths 1.40-2.10pm	Maths - 2.20-2.50pm
Tuesday	Phonics 1.00-1.30pm	Phonics 1.40-2.10pm	Phonics 2.20-2.50pm	Phonics 9.00-9.30am	Phonics 9.40-10.10am	Phonics 10.20-10.50am
Thursday						
Friday						
Wednesday	Writing 9.00-9.30am	Writing 9.40-10.10am	Writing 10.20-10.50am	Writing 9.00-9.30am	Writing 9.40-10.10am	Writing 10.20-10.50am

Once again, thank you for all of your support this half term with our remote learning. We have hugely appreciated all of the kind and thoughtful comments and emails that we have received, they really do mean such a lot to us.

Please do have a rest over half term and take care of each other.

With our best wishes,
The Year One Remote Learning Team

