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YEAR 5 NEWSFLASH



Dear Parents and Carers,

What an absolute joy your children have been these first two weeks! We couldn't wait for them to come and back and they haven't disappointed. We just thought we would say hello and communicate a few important pieces of class information now that we have settled back after lockdown

We have had a wonderful 2 weeks looking at the book 'If I Built a House' - something the whole school have also been working on. We have lots planned around this book as part of Science Week as well as it being a focus for our Get Set Go STEM week. So far the children have planned their own dream house and calculated the area of each room ready for costing out the flooring next week! They have also begun their descriptions of each room for which they are currently writing estate agents adverts.

Reminder

Can we just remind you that long hair must be tied back for school. This is not only for hygiene reasons but also as a health and safety precaution. During some lessons in school, long hair can become tangled in equipment - it is also a very good fiddling distraction!

Many thanks

READ AROUND THE WORLD

Now we are back at it, we have asked the children to resume reading regularly at home. We have re-started our Read Around the World initiative and ask that the children read a minimum of 4 times a week. For each read, they must get a signature from someone at home and these 4 signatures will then be swapped for 500 miles. We have a new display up in class that looks like an airport departures board and the children each have an aeroplane that they can move on to the arrivals board when they reach a destination on their map.

We thank you in advance for your support with this and cannot stress the importance of reading at home.

