

Dear Parents/Carers

5<sup>th</sup> October 2018

We had a wonderful day at Paignton Zoo yesterday. The children behaved incredibly well whilst having the most amazing time. A special thank you to our adult helpers, without your help this trip would not have run as smoothly.

This week, we have continued to develop our ruler skills by measuring in centimetres. We have also begun to explore basic addition strategies, which we will be developing over the next few weeks. We have also completed some weighing exercises and have been using the vocabulary lighter and heavier than. Perhaps you could help continue this at home by looking at weights on packets and comparing them.

In Literacy we have written some great descriptions and sentences about gloves, hats and shoes. Everyone had lots to say! We have also been looking at our local area and things we see on our way to school.

**FoOV - School Disco - Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> October - KS1 - 6pm to 7pm**

If your child would like to attend the school disco please complete the registration form on the letter sent home and return it and your payment of £2 to your class teacher.

**School Council Bonfire Night - Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> November**

The School Council are organising a bonfire night treat in the forest school area and school field. If you would like to book a ticket please come along to the Key Stage 2 Library area on a Tuesday or Thursday between 8.30am and 9am or visit the school office.

**Annual nasal Flu vaccinations - Reception to Year 5**

If you would like your child to receive the annual nasal Flu vaccination later this term you should complete the electronic parent consent by the **end of today, Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> October**.

<https://schoolimms.virgincare.co.uk/?h=1e83282cf290d7365757669da20537a3dbedf16b237f369c5324adf0c59103fe>

**Lunch menu for next week is 'Week Three'.**

**Diary Dates** (don't forget to check the school website, [www.ovschool.co.uk](http://www.ovschool.co.uk) for up to date information)

Thur, 18<sup>th</sup> October - School photos (more details to come)

Fri, 19<sup>th</sup> October - Non Pupil Day

Mon, 22<sup>nd</sup> to Fri, 26<sup>th</sup> October - Half Term

Have a great weekend.

KS1 Team