

Team Sherald- Year 1- Spring 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you've had a lovely half term break. Last half term, Year 1 made lots of dinosaur discoveries in our topic "Where did the dinosaurs go?" We had lots of fun designing our own dinosaurs and even made them out of clay! During the topic we had lots of fun learning about the different types of dinosaurs that used to live and investigating what their fossils look like. Have a look at our Class Page on the school website to see more photos of our brilliant learning!



Soft fur, sharp claws and twitching whiskers. What's your favourite animal? One that meows? One that barks? Or maybe one that scurries or slithers? From pets at home to animals in the zoo, let's find out what animals like to eat and where they like to sleep. Do you know how to look after a rabbit? A cat? Or even a snake? Find out how the elephant got his trunk and how the rhinoceros got his leathery skin. Perhaps you know how the dog got his wagging tail? Who is a herbivore and who is a carnivore? We will find all of this out when we dive into our new topic "**What colours, shapes, patterns, and textures can we see on animals?**"



Each week, an adult will listen to your child read in school. They are strongly encouraged to read daily at home. Please help us by logging their home reading onto **GoRead** and helping children build up their gem collection! Children will continue to have access to **Spelling Shed** and **Numbots** to practice these crucial skills at home. This half term, Team Sherald have PE on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**. As a team, we will be working hard to help your child achieve their full potential. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to come and see us.



Miss Barry
and Mrs
Doyle

