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Dear Parents/Carers.

Phonics Screening Check and Information Evening – 3rd November 2021

In the week beginning Monday 29th November 2021, all Year 2 children will complete the 'Year 1 Phonics Screening check', which was introduced by the government in 2012. Due to school closures, schools were unable to administer the check in June and so the government has made it statutory for Year 2 children to be assessed during the second half of the 2021 autumn term. Any children that do not meet the expected standard in autumn will be expected to take the statutory check in June 2022, alongside Year 1. As a school we have also made the decision to assess any Year 3 children that did not meet the expected standard in Year 1.

With this letter, we have attached some information for parents/carers, which will give you more information on the Phonics Screening Check as well as ideas for how to support your child.

We would also like to take this opportunity to invite you to a Phonics information evening on 3rd November 2021, where we will share with you how the phonics screening will be conducted and answer any questions that you may have.

If you have any gueries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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