



25<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Dear Parents and Carers of Year 1 children,

As we draw ever closer to the end of the year, we are starting to prepare the children for Year 2. In Year 2 the children come into school by themselves and parents leave them at the gate. As the year one children have proved so fantastically independent we can see they are ready for the first step towards this. For the final term in Year 1 we would like you to drop your child at the **classroom door** and allow them to independently enter classrooms, organise their belongings (which most of them do now anyway) and then settle to a calm morning activity before the register is taken.

We understand that a few children may be a little apprehensive about a change of routine and the raise in expectations of their independence but we will support them in being able to achieve this and would really value your positive encouragement when waving goodbye at the door.

There will still be opportunities for you to come and share learning with your children during our 'Share' mornings, our 'Wow days' and other events such as 'Inspire'.

Thank you for your continued support.

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