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Dear Parents,

Welcome to the start of the Autumn 2 Term. Remember if you have any queries you can request a chat at the end of the day. If you need to speak to speak to Mrs Wilkinson or Mrs Blythe, please let us know when you get to the front of the line and we will ask you to wait with your child at a social distance from other parents, until all the children have been reunited with their parents. You can also email us with queries at the addressees below. Our topic this half term is 'Traditional Tales'. Please find a planning overview for this half term attached detailing the curriculum areas we will be covering. It also includes some general information.

Reading books:

All Reception children will have two reading books each week. These will be usually be sent home on **Tuesdays** or **Wednesdays** to be returned the following **Tuesday.** Nursery Children will also bring home a book from time to time that they have chosen for you to share with them. Please read these to your child and encourage them to join in where they can.

Phonics Homework:

Reception children will also all have Phonics homework sent home on Wednesdays to be collected in on the following **Wednesday**. In addition we would like them to continue to access **Nessy** to reinforce their learning in this area. We know most of them have already made a brilliant start with this, but if you are having any problems with accessing this resource, please speak to Mrs Blythe.

Please don't hesitate to request a chat with one of us after school, if you have any queries, however small about this or any other matters about your child. We are always happy to make a time to talk with you.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Melanie Wilkinson, EYFS Teacher (Monday mornings, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Fridays) Email: melanie.wilkinson@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

Mrs Karen Blythe, Class 2 Teacher (EYFS Monday afternoons, and Thursdays)

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