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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to term 5! We hope that you had a lovely Easter break and the children are rested and ready for another fun filled topic. During this term, we are going to be learning about the Roald Dahl novel 'James and the Giant Peach'. Over the coming weeks we will be finding out all about plants and the different fruits and vegetables that come from them. These will be used to create some delicious fruit based snacks.

Indoor PE will take place on a Wednesday morning with Zoe from Swindon Dance and outdoor PE will be on a Monday (weather dependant). Please ensure that your child has appropriate wear for each session and that all items of clothing are named. Jewellery should not be worn for PE and hair should be tied back for safety.

During this term, children in Year 2 would usually be taking their formal assessments (SATs). However, the Government have cancelled these for this year. As teachers, we will be completing our own assessments of the children and may use some past papers to support our assessments. The children have completed assessments similar to this before and it will be carried out in the classroom by the class teacher in a way that the children are already familiar with. If you would like ideas of how you can help your child at home, please visit the school website and look at the 'Learning Gateway' tab which is filled with resources and support materials.

Please continue to support your child at home with reading, spellings, number bonds and times tables. These systems will continue in the same way as last term.

Best wishes,

The Year 2 Team

Mrs Jordan and Miss Hayes