



16<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Hello everyone,

This half term we will be getting really wild as we explore the natural world for our topic 'You're Going to Hear Me Roar'.

The first home learning challenge for the children is to use their knowledge, their books and the internet to find the name of an animal for every letter of the alphabet. This is an opportunity to learn about unusual animals and discuss their differences and similarities. It also gives you the chance to talk about the names of the letters alongside the sounds they make as you work our way through the alphabet. In class we say "its name is A (ay), its sound is a (the Fred sound they have already learned)"

We look forward to seeing how many **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> April**.

A quick reminder to everyone that reading books should be brought into school everyday so we can mark off who has read at home. They will continue to be changed on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Can everybody please ensure that all items of their child's clothing are labelled. This should include shoes, wellies, PE kits and sun hats. You may have seen on the newsletter that children should start bringing their own labelled sun cream too. This will stay in their school bag so that we can use it as and when it is needed. You never can tell what the wonderful British weather has in store!

Thank you very much for your help. Your support makes a world of difference.

The Early Years Team