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*“Learning Together”*

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Dear Parents,

The next topic in Key Stage 1 is ‘Houses and Homes’.

We shall be looking at how homes have changed through history, the materials used and how household appliances have changed. The children will have the opportunity to look at and handle some historical artefacts. We shall also be looking at homes in different climates around the world.

Suggestions for your last home-school project:

1. Make a model house
2. Draw a labelled map of your house/bedroom
3. Describe your home in words
4. Research (internet or other sources) ‘How we used to live’
5. Cut and stick pictures of homes grouping them for some reason (eg: materials, era and country of origin)
6. List the household appliances we use everyday
7. Talk to, and make notes from grandparents/great grandparents and how ‘homes’ have changed in their life time
8. Look at property papers and find the most and least expensive homes in the area
  - Can you work out the difference in cost between them?
  - Why do you think one costs more than the other?
9. If you have moved house, describe what it is like
10. Draw/paint a picture of your house

Please re-use your cardboard folders for work and ask your class teacher for any paper or materials you may need.

This will be the final topic of the year. We look forward to your projects!

Yours sincerely

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Key Stage 1 Co-ordinator

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