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Dear Parent,

Welcome back after the break! We hope you all had a lovely holiday. This term our topic is called 'Glorious Gardens'. To help us with our topic, please could you send in a photo of your garden or a garden of a family member. You can send your photos to Mrs Tebbitt's email address which is rebecca@woottonbassett-inf.wilts.sch.uk We will be using these to look at garden features and for our artwork. We will also be looking at similarities and differences between gardens.

Our focus in English will be looking at poetry features such as alliteration and similes using the books 'What the Ladybird Heard' and 'The Snail and the Whale.' We will also be looking at creating non-fiction writing about insects we find in the garden. In maths we will be focusing on addition and subtraction involving money, multiplication and division counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. It would be very beneficial to the children if you could practise these at home. Please also remember to look at the Key Instant Recall Facts on our website (KIRFs). In science we will be looking at different plants and trees around us, trying to learn some of their names.

Please ensure your child has a PE kit in school and all clothing is named. Also remember to send your child in with a water bottle each day. They need to be filled with water as this our school policy. As the weather gets warmer this will be even more important. Please could your child also bring a sun hat during the warmer weather.

The children will be reading daily through whole class reading and guided reading lessons. Please remember the children are expected to read their books at home five times a week, and books need to be read at least twice for fluency and comprehension. Reading with your child at home makes a big difference and will help them develop their skills.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Tebbitt