



# Rishton Methodist Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

*I hope you and your child have enjoyed the half term break and are ready for what proves to be a very busy time in school. Over the next few weeks, we will be preparing the children for their first Christmas performance.*

*Our topic this half term is Superheroes. We will be using the outdoor area for our imaginative play and learning to count and recognise numbers through play. In addition to this we will be exploring real life superheroes and learning about people who help us in the local community.*

*We are very pleased with the children's enthusiasm for reading and their efforts with learning their letter sounds and words. We are starting our new phonics scheme this half term called Little Wandle. We are excited to support children in Foundation Stage on their reading journey and develop their love of reading. We are encouraging children to write as much as possible in many areas of our continuous provision. It would be helpful for your child to also write frequently at home. This could be in the form of lists, cards or messages. We encourage children to sound out words when they write rather than copy writing.*

*P.E. will continue to be on a Monday and Tuesday, please can you remove earrings on that day. Please provide children with hats and gloves for the approaching cold weather. Please can you put your child's name in all clothing.*



Yours sincerely,  
Wendy Houlker  
Foundation Stage Leader

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