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Dear Parents,

We are sending this information home so that when you ask your child about their day they will be able to tell you which step their name was on at the end of the day. (On the class display board.) This letter hopefully explains this system to you.

There are 5 steps on the display board and all of the children in the class are trying to climb them. Each morning every child's name starts on the middle step which is yellow.

The children can move up the steps by having a good attitude to work, good effort, putting their hand up, sitting nicely, working well, helping others, listening well or meeting targets.

The children's names move down the stairs for calling out, distracting others, not completing work because of messing about, not meeting targets or for being unkind/ hurting others.

The five steps are:

GOLD = Every child on the gold step at home time will get a certificate and a house point.

GREEN = Every child on the green step at home time will get a house point.

YELLOW = Every child starts the day on yellow. They will be encouraged to try hard to move up the stairs if on the yellow step.

BLUE = The blue step is a warning step. Children on this step have to try very hard to move up and avoid moving to the red.

RED = The children on the red step will lose their afternoon play time. Any child on the red step can always try to move back onto the other steps until afternoon play time.

As well as asking your child which step he or she is on, you are welcome to ask us or look in at the steps display which are near the doors in both Year 1 classrooms.

Thank you

The Year 1 team

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Headteacher:
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