

The Smartest Giants in Tankersley

9thth June 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you have all had a lovely break. Our topic this half term is 'Going Wild' which is all about animals.

This week the phonics screening check will be carried out to check your child's ability to decode words using their phonic knowledge. The check is a statutory requirement for all children in Year 1. Mrs Beevor and Miss Bennison will be completing the check with the children.

This week in English, the children will be introduced to a lovely text called

Julian is a Mermaid.



In Maths, we will counting in 2's, 5's and 10's and linking this to money. We will then move onto adding equal groups using repeated addition and arrays.

In science, we will be continuing our learning about animals. We will be thinking about how scientist group animals. In computing we will be learning about coding. In RE we will be learning about Islam.

Hopefully the weather will start to be much warmer over the next few weeks. If children could come to school with sun cream already on it would be really helpful. Some children are applying it at playtime and by the time they have put it on it is the end of playtime.

If you have any concerns please come and see us and we will be happy to help.

Mrs Beevor and Miss Bennison

