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Good morning to all parents and children in Nursery, Reception and Year One!

After half term, when I shall be back in school full time, I will be basing my literacy work around the theme of 'My Family'. It would therefore be really helpful if you would send in to school some photos that you would be happy for your child to use in their work and crafts. Ideally, we would like individual photos of your immediate family members, and possibly grandparents, anyone your child feels close to and may want to write about! To that end, photos of pets are also welcome!!!

You can physically send in actual photos or email them to me ([head@irthingtonvillage.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:head@irthingtonvillage.cumbria.sch.uk)). Could you name the photos too, so that we spell names correctly in our work.

We will also begin work on our 'Gardens in a tin' so if you could source a biscuit tin or tin lid over half term, or something similar to use as the base for the garden, that would be really helpful.

Many thanks in anticipation with your assistance with the above requests.

I would just like to say that I have really missed being in school, but have thoroughly enjoyed my visits, catching up with the children and staff. Mrs Evans, Miss Simpson and Mrs Blackley have done an amazing job looking after the class in my absence, and I can't wait to be back in the class with everyone!

Lynn Harrison