

Wellington Herald

Summer Term 2018

We have been working in the new school buildings for a full school year. That year went by very quickly! I am very proud of our children and our staff and the enormous effort required from the team to ensure a smooth transition this year.

This termly magazine is full of events and projects which have enriched the curriculum and made learning exciting for each child. It is always a privilege to see the pupils change so much over the course of a school year. I am sure that you will agree with me, that the progress in the books and journals is fantastic. I hope you will be able to take the time to look at these books together and celebrate their progress and achievements.



We are grateful for the support of all the parents, grandparents and childminders. Our pupils are lucky to be surrounded by a network of support at home and at school.

Today we say farewell to Miss Ibrahim, who has worked tirelessly to ensure the year 1 pupils have a fantastic educational experience and are well placed to succeed in their future years. Mrs Jhaj is also leaving us and we thank her for all the support that she has given the Reception pupils and staff over the years. We wish them all the best in their new schools and ventures.

Thank you to our governors and mentors who have helped our school this year. We wish you a happy summer holiday and look forward to welcoming you back in the new academic year.

Mrs Norton

Summer term in the Nursery



This term our topic was dinosaurs.



We have been digging to find real fossils.

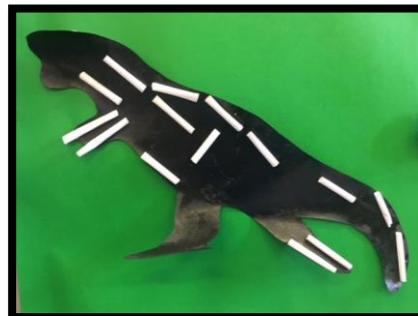


We made our own dinosaur fossils too!



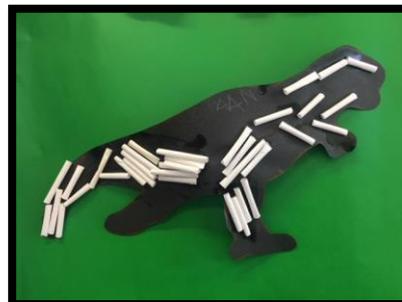
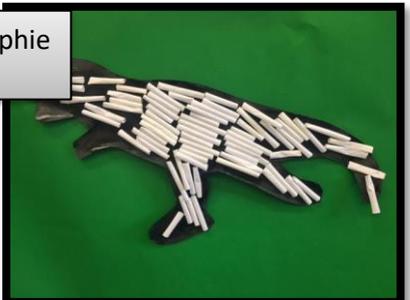
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Thoranipriya



We even met a T-rex!

Sophie





We turned our role play area into a jungle and read stories about wild animals.



We loved reading *The Tiger Who Came to Tea*. We made delicious jam sandwiches for the hungry tiger



We even made the tiger cool ice cream



We even had our very own Nursery Vet!



We learned about Space and went into Space!



We have been using our role play area to zoom off to the moon in our space rocket!

We have been using boxes and painting them to make rockets



We have been using sparkly playdough to make funny aliens!



Eid al-Fitr



Some of our friends in the nursery celebrated Eid. They told us about what they do when it is Eid.



We made Eid cards, mendhi pictures and some Eid cakes.

Reception

We went on our first class trip to Odds Farm Park.



We enjoyed experiencing the noises and smells of the farm.

It was so much fun. We saw all the different farm animals.



We went on a tractor ride. It was amazing.

We fed all the goats with the bottles and helped the farmer to collect the eggs and feed the chickens.

We also stroked the bunnies.



We loved looking after the chicks and caterpillars this term.



We loved watching the chicks hatch during the day. All 10 of our eggs hatched! We have 5 boys and 5 girls!!



We loved seeing the caterpillars get bigger before they made a cocoon and became butterflies.

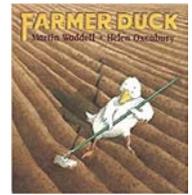
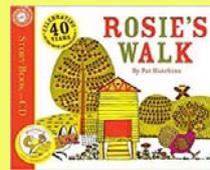
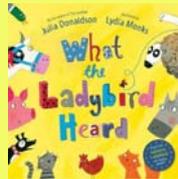
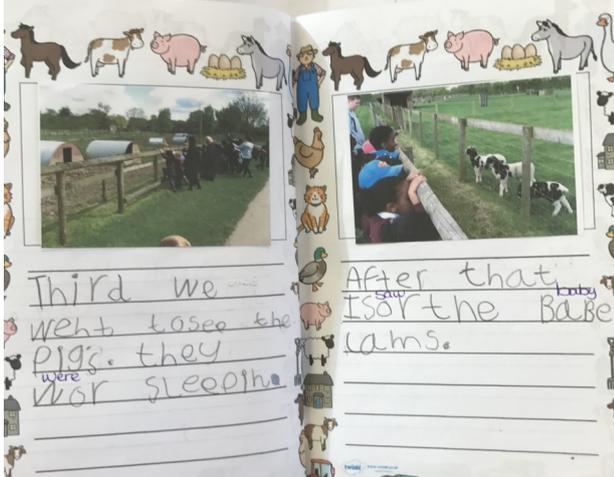


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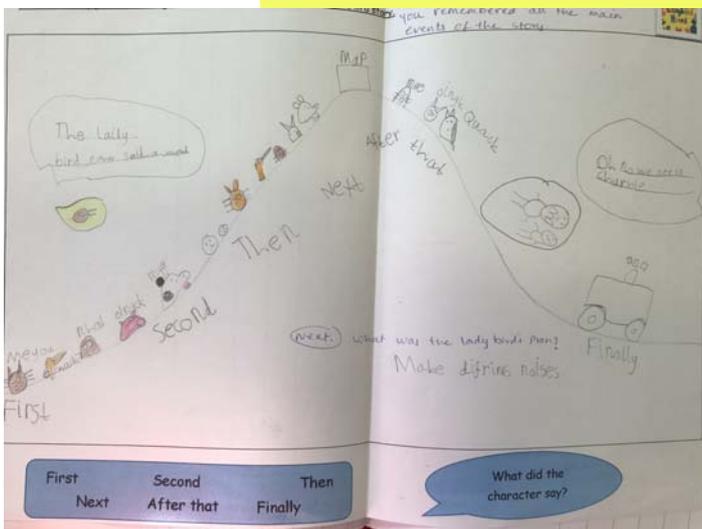
we had to be ^{careful} when
we had to ^{stroke} the
rabbits because we had
to ^{use} two fingers.
They were soft.
Samaira



I helped the farmer to collect
the eggs and feed the very
hungry chickens. They had corn
and seeds. It was fun.
srisha



We have been reading books about the farm, chicks and also dinosaurs. We created our first ever book all about the farm.



Using these stories, we wrote about the beginning, middle and end.

Monday	On monday the eggs came to our school. Inside there were chicks.
Tuesday	On tuesday they started to roe. They are amazing. I liked it.
Wednesday	On wednesday some of the chicks started to hatch they were very wet.
Thursday	The next day the chicks dried and they are fluffy. they are nice.
Friday	On friday they are like normal chicks and they are hatched.

Superb use of phonics



We also wrote our own recounts about the chicks.

Maths Around Us



We have been very busy learning Maths this term in Reception.



We practised ordering numbered objects to 20 and beyond.



We use addition to solve problems

Krisna
 $7 + 1 = 8$
 NIMANSHU
 $10 + 10 = 20$

We have learnt how to use addition and subtraction to solve problems and record the answers.

INaya Which farm activity was our favourite?

Activity		Total number
Bottle feeding the goats		3
Seeing animals		2
The maze		2
Bunny time		13
Touching animals		0
Tractor ride		9

We like bunny time the most

We have been learning how to record our maths investigations using tables.

Plane Tally

Plane	Tally	
British Airways	✓ L ✓	3
Air Canada		
Virgin atlantic	✓	1
Qantas	✓ ✓	2
Air India		
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L u x h a n g a

We have compared, ordered and measured real objects.



We can record measures

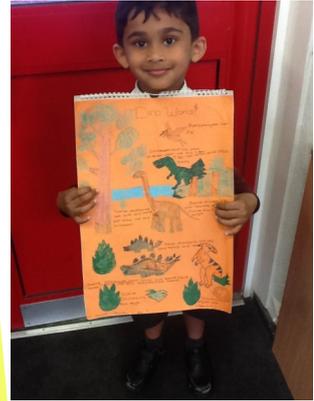
Half full Full Empty



Dinosaur Workshop



We really enjoyed creating our own dinosaur projects.



Thank you to our parents for helping us with our projects.



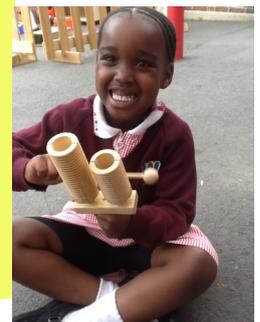
We loved being creative indoors and outdoors!



We love performing our favourite songs on our outdoor stage, playing with the water outside and ordering a coffee in our coffee shop role play areas.



We have enjoyed making Eid cards, Father's day cards, painting pictures of chicks and butterflies and making our own hen houses using Lego.



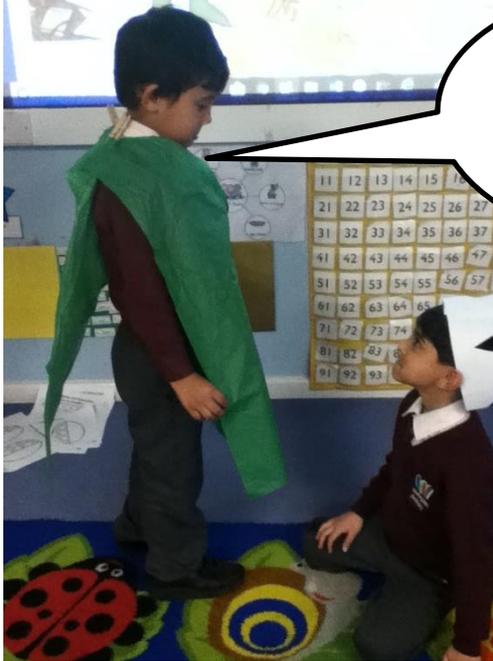
Year 1 - English

We have been reading some exciting books in English this term.

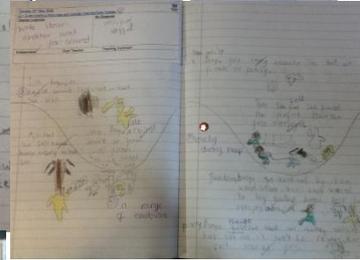
A spaceship crash landed at our school!



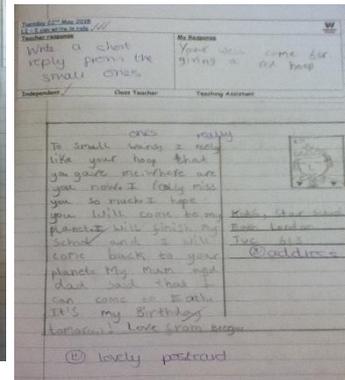
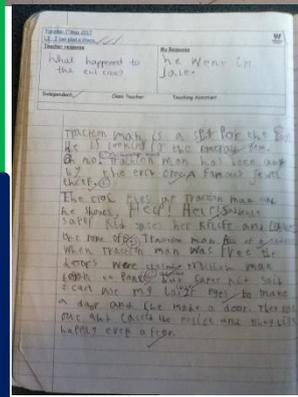
I don't like my new suit!



We acted in role as Traction Man for our story 'Traction Man is here!'



We also had a 'Superhero Day!'



We made some fantastic comic strips!



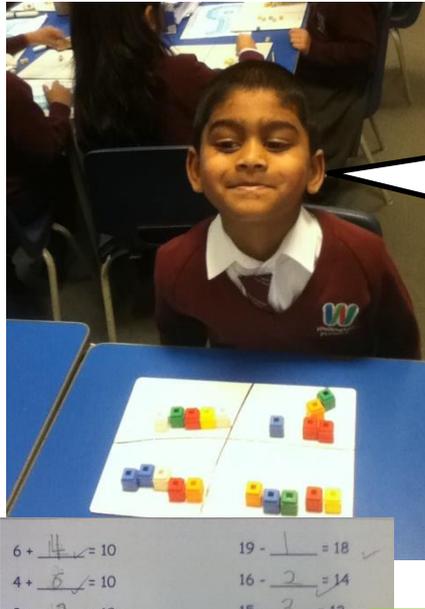
Year 1 - Maths

We ordered ourselves from shortest to tallest

We have been very busy in Maths this Summer!



We have been sharing in halves and quarters



We ordered all the coins!

$6 + 4 = 10$	$19 - 1 = 18$
$4 + 6 = 10$	$16 - 2 = 14$
$8 + 2 = 10$	$15 - 3 = 12$
$9 + 1 = 10$	$12 - 2 = 10$
$7 + 3 = 10$	$14 - 4 = 10$
$18 + 1 = 19$	$15 - 5 = 10$
$16 + 2 = 18$	$16 - 6 = 10$
$11 + 4 = 15$	
$9 + 6 = 15$	
$10 + 0 = 10$	

Number bonds

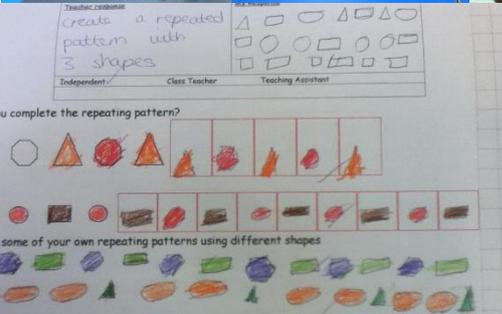
We now know all our number bonds for 10 and 20



We loved learning about repeated patterns. We created our own repeated patterns with shapes

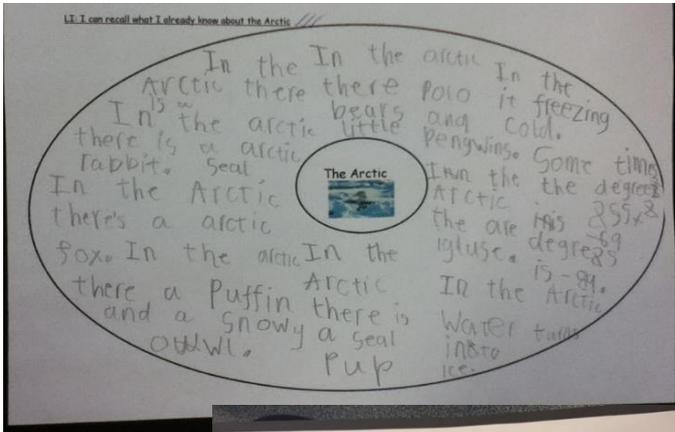


We sorted objects into height order



Year 1 Topic

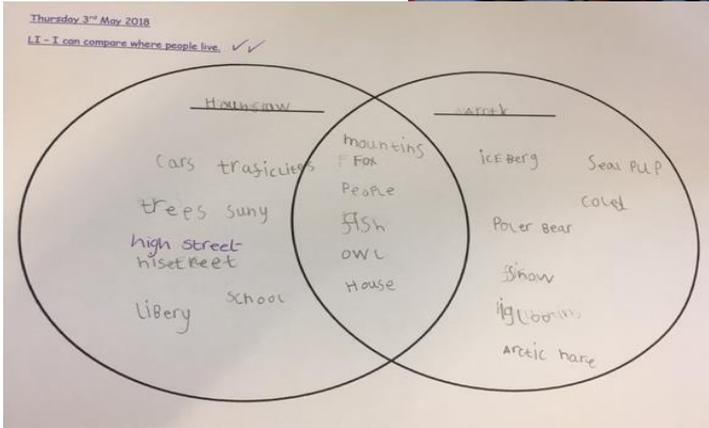
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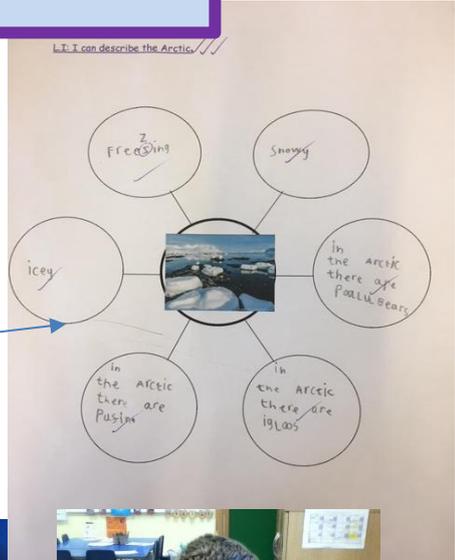
We compared the Arctic and Hounslow



We located the continents on a map



We used a bubble map to describe the Arctic



In DT we made our own fruit salads, they were delicious!



Year 2



This term we have been learning all about the seaside!



We had great fun dressing up in costumes from the past!



Science



We have been learning about different types of food and designing our own healthy meal.

Police visit.

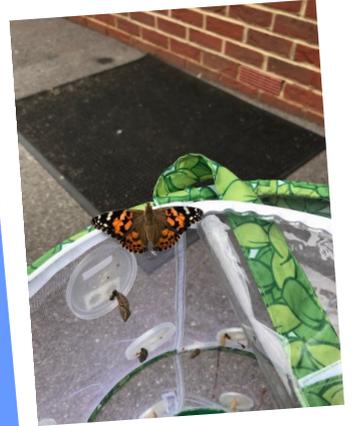


The police visited us to discuss internet safety.

Butterflies



We have been caring for caterpillars and watching them grow and change into butterflies.



They enjoyed eating fruit.



After a few weeks we let them free.



