



Year 1 Tigers

Week 4 Spring 2 2025

In maths we continue to look at place value within 20, finding the tens and ones in numbers. The children enjoy the practical work alongside learning how to record their work. They are also working hard on their phonics and applying their skills in tackling their reading books. We have had a lot of focus on reading to the punctuation this week. A huge thanks as always for all your continued support with their reading at home - it makes a huge difference. As part of our PSED topic on 'Healthy Me' we have been talking about a balanced diet and finding out where our food comes from and how it gets onto our plates. We looked at purple sprouting broccoli - finding out how this broccoli we eat gets to our plates - we made our own mini book about this and then all got to taste some purple sprouting broccoli. The children who liked it thought it was delicious! We were also lucky to have Finley and his mum show us how they make scotch eggs that they sell in their shops - the children had lots of questions to ask them both and then the children were offered the chance to try some. Again those that liked it thought it was delicious - though not as much as Mr Osborn who absolutely LOVED it!

As part of our science work on plants we have been looking at the different parts of a plant and finding out what their function is to help the plant. Many of the children brought back their cress head to show their friends how its cress hair had grown. They told us how they had been looking after the plant to help it grow.

The children have been creating a wall display in the classroom of the rainforest, they helped create the background and then made poison tree frogs by using paint and marbles, they also painted an animal that lives in the rainforest and started creating a symmetrical egg box butterfly. We look forward to showing you their finished display next week.

We finished the week with Red Nose Day where we learnt about this fund raising day, the theme this year is that fun has big powers to make a big difference. The children made themselves a funny nose picture and we thought about things that make us smile and laugh. We also talked about how the money they are helping raise helps make other people smile by helping them live their best lives.

As always please do come and ask if you have any questions.

