

Reminder: NO CLUBS NEXT WEEK
School closes at 2pm Next Friday
Summer Term starts for the children on Tuesday 18th April

Message from the head:

On Tuesday this week, in my weekly assembly with the Juniors, we talked about Ramadan. I love doing assembly topics where I am able to learn as much from the children as they ever do from me! Listening to them discuss how they see Ramadan and Eid and how they and their family mark this special time was fantastic. I know myself and the non-Muslim children in the hall learnt so much. You will see below that we are hoping to mark the end of Ramadan with some kind of celebration following the families Eid celebrations. I hope many of you will be able to help us plan and deliver this—see item below for more information.

Next week, we have our end of term assembly with the children where we recognise various achievements of the children such as stars of the term, prizes for times table rock stars participation and attendance and punctuality awards. We also look at the prize winners for the calendar competition for this term and as we approach Easter, this is when we see the amazing Easter Egg designs the children bring in (see page 6 for more info). I hope the weekly newsletter shows you a glimpse into the amazing work the children do each week and you are able to celebrate their achievements with them. We are very proud of how hard they've worked this term and I'm sure next week, even if it's the end of term, will be no less busy! Have a wonderful weekend.

Ramadan and Eid

We know many of you are currently fasting for Ramadan and will be looking forward to your Eid celebrations to mark the end of the fasting period later in April.

Just over 40% of the Fleet community are Muslim and as such we are very keen to celebrate along with you at the end of Eid. As such, I would like to ask for any parent volunteers who would be happy to come together to plan an after school Eid celebration. If you would like to be involved in choosing a date and how to celebrate we would love to hear from you and help facilitate a planning meeting. Then we can support the communication to the wider school community for help and to come along.

Please give your name to Lisa in the office and we can then arrange the planning meeting for just after the Easter break with a view to holding the event second week back, once Ramadan has finished. The more parents who come forward to help arrange this the more successful the event can be in marking this important event. Thank you.

Fundraising Event

Susan (mum to Jazzy and Zaida) is exhibiting artwork in an upcoming charitable art event. Susan, along with a number of the other artists at the event will be donating 25% of their sales to Fleet to support our Junior Playground renovation fund. Please support them by buying a ticket to attend the event or by visiting their Just giving Site.

THE ART OF GIVING FUNDRAISING EVENT
SATURDAY 29TH APRIL 2023
18:30 - 23:00
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9 BEAUMONT AVENUE
W14 9LP

THE ART OF GIVING IS PROVIDING A NEW EXPERIENCE, WHERE CULTURE MEETS CHARITY. A FUN NIGHT OF MUSIC, ART, FASHION, PHOTOGRAPHY AND POETRY IN THE HEART OF WEST KENSINGTON. ONCE INSIDE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO BUY A DRINK AT THE BAR AND PURCHASE SOME BEAUTIFUL PIECES OF ART AND FASHION.

£10 ON THE DOOR
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ALL PROCEEDS FROM TICKET SALES WILL BE DONATED TO **MIND IN HARINGEY** HELPING TO PROVIDE COUNSELLING FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

25% of any art or clothing bought on the night will be donated to a charity of the creatives choice.

<https://www.mindinharingey.org.uk/donations/the-art-of-giving-fundraiser/>

Please note date change of this event (right) from that advertised in the Wednesday newsletter

COMMUNITY HEALTH EVENT
SATURDAY 29 APRIL
12PM-4PM
1-2 LISMORE CIRCUS, NW5 4QF

- Community Health Bus
- Health Education
- Diet Advice
- Free Health Checks
- Smoothie Bikes
- Face Painting
- Live exercise and football sessions
- Live music ... and many more!

Camden NHS

Punctuality Award

This weeks punctuality award goes to Reception and Year 3 with no lates. Well done Reception and Year 3! Year 4 came a close second, with only 1 late and Years 1, 5 and 6 still need to improve with 8, 4 and 6 lates respectively. There were 29 lates in total across the school. Lets try and do better next week.

Persistent Lates: Please note that we are focussing on persistent lateness and if your child is regularly arriving to school after 9am, you may be at risk of receiving a fine from the local authority. Please do come and speak to us if you are having difficulty in getting your child to school so that we support you.



Attendance Award

This weeks attendance award goes to Year 6, with 98.8%. Well done Year 6! Year 2 take second place with 95.94%, followed by Year 1 with 95.80%. Reception, Year 3, 4, 5 all need to improve— with 94% or below. Overall, we need to improve and work towards reaching our target.

Absence during the term: Please remember that holidays or visits to family abroad during the school term will not be authorised by the school and you risk receiving a fine from the local authority. Holidays should be planned and taken during the holidays so that children are not missing school.



Lunch Menu: 27th—31st March

Meat Free Monday Cheesy Swirl with Vegetable Cous Cous or Tomato Pasta Green Beans & Cauliflower Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit	Wednesday Meat/Halal: Roast of the day Vegetarian: Crunchy Top Veg Bake Roast Potatoes & Gravy Carrot & Swede Mash & Cabbage Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit	Friday Meat/Halal: Fish fingers Vegetarian: Omelette Chips or New Potatoes Tomato Sauce Baked Beans & Peas Yoghurt & Fruit
Tuesday Meat/Halal: Chicken Korma Vegetarian: Aubergine & Potato Curry Rice Peas & Sweetcorn Eve's Pudding with Custard	Thursday Meat/Halal: Burger Vegetarian: Veggie Burger Potato Wedges Sweetcorn & Roasted Peppers Seasonal Root Cake	Available Daily Freshly Cooked Jacket Potato Freshly Baked Bread Please remember to let the office know if you want your child to change to or from school lunches so you are charged correctly

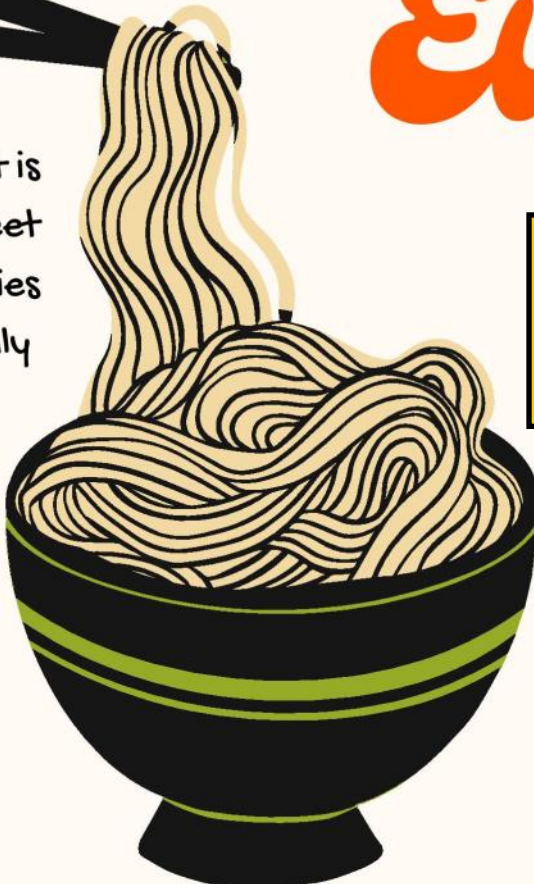


Bring a national dish to share,
and try some delicious food
from around the world!



International Food Evening

This event is
for Fleet
families
only



**Thursday 18th May
5-7pm in the Hall**

Free entry
and free food!
Drinks available
to buy, raising funds
for the school.

Story sacks sessions for all the family

Free, fun, and creative sessions to help you bring stories to life
(most appropriate for children aged 3-8 years old)

Tuesday 4th April 1 – 3pm

West Hampstead Library

Book: 'The Blue Balloon' by Mike Inkpen

Mick Inkpen

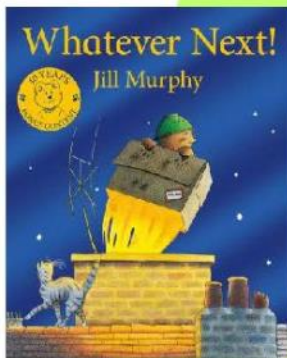


The Blue Balloon

Thursday 6th April 1 – 3pm

Queens Crescent Library

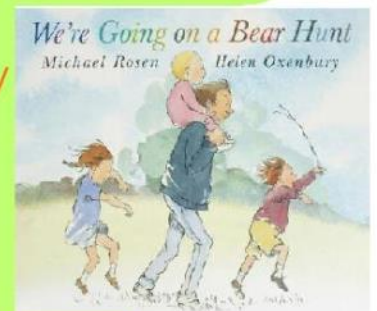
Book: 'Whatever Next!' by Jill Murphy



Tuesday 11th April 1 – 3pm

Kentish Town Library

Book: 'We're going on a bear hunt' by Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury



Thursday 13th April 1 – 3pm

Pancras Square Library

Book: 'We're going on a bear hunt' by Michael Rosen and Helen Oxenbury

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Stars of the week!



Well done to these children who have been chosen by their class teachers to be the 'Star of the Week' - Well done to all these children, and to all the rest who might not have been picked this week but could have been.



Reception

For making such great progress this term. I've really noticed your confidence grow in reading and it is lovely seeing you read so many words from sight. You are also working really hard in Maths and are keen to join in during carpet sessions. Well done!

Year 1

Thank you for being such a sensible and hardworking member of the class. You have been putting a lot of effort into your work and always have fantastic carpet manners. Well done and keep it up.



Year 2

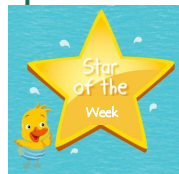
For all your enthusiasm on our trip to the Heath this week. You showed such a good knowledge of maps and landmarks. You've been listening so well to all our learning! Well done!

Year 3

For your superb effort! You have really tried your hardest to focus and concentrate this week. You always make such interesting and thoughtful contributions to class discussions, especially during philosophy. Keep it up superstar!

Year 4

For the focus and hard work you put into your newspaper article. Well done for challenging yourself to use adventurous vocabulary and for being kind and helpful towards those around you.



Year 5

For your increased focus recently! You are developing a mature attitude to your learning and we can see the effort you are putting in! Well done and keep it up!

Year 6

Well done with your effort during our assessment week this week. Keep up your focus and concentration.

Dates for your diary this term...

Please bear in mind that occasionally trips may be arranged or cancelled last minute. This can happen for any number of reasons and we try, where possible, to give as much notice as we can. We also will often need adult volunteers to support on these trips so please do look out for notices on class windows or sent out via parent hub closer to the date of a trip for requests for help and contact the office if you are able to accompany. Thank you.

WHOLE SCHOOL EVENTS

27th-31st March	NO CLUBS
31st March:	Easter Egg Decorating Competition
31st March:	end of term—school closes at 2pm
18th April:	Summer Term Starts—Children Back
18th May:	International Food Evening in the Hall 5-7pm

See the tables here (right and below) for events specific to individual classes. If you have any questions about these trips, visits or events please speak to the class teacher or contact the office.

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RECEPTION

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YEAR 1

30th March:	London Zoo
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YEAR 2

30th March:	Talacre
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YEAR 3

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YEAR 4

27th March:	Science Museum
28th March:	Airspace Workshop

YEAR 5

20th—30th Mar:	Year 5 Swimming everyday
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YEAR 6

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Fleet Primary School Calendar Competition 2024

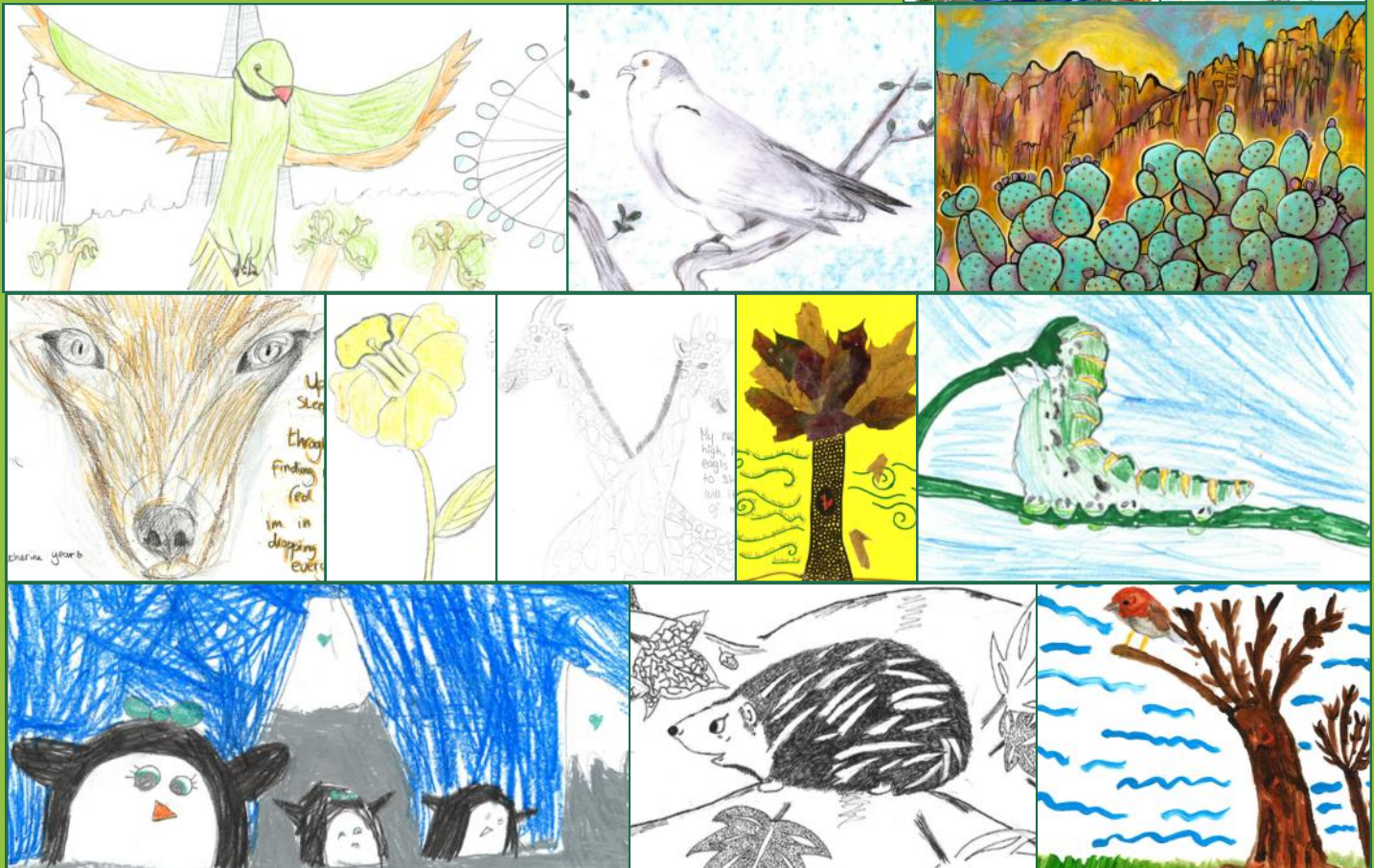
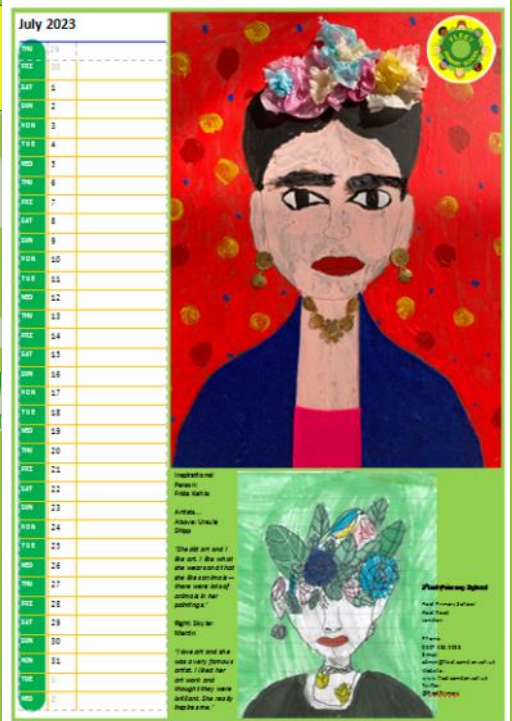
This year's theme... **A Wonderful World!**

This week in assembly we introduced to the children this year's theme for our annual Fleet Calendar Art Competition. The school's Rights Respecting Ambassadors helped to come up with the ideas.

The theme this year is 'A Wonderful World' and is all about the natural world and protecting it. Art can be inspired by nature, animals, plants, insects, birds, ocean life, habitats, protecting the environment or environmentalists—see some of the examples at the bottom of this page.

Children can use any art medium in their entries as long as it is A4 in size and they can enter as many times in a term as they want. It is important that they put their name and class on the reverse side of the picture in pencil (don't write in pen and not on the front). They should also include a 'fun fact' about their subject written on the back too which will be included in the final calendar if their image is selected.

Prizes will be awarded termly, with a selection of entries chosen to go in the calendar for 2024. Entries should be handed in to the school



Easter Egg Decorating Competition



Every year we hold an Easter Egg decorating competition and we are all impressed and amused with the children's eggs -cellent decorated eggs and eggs-tremely funny egg scenes!

They have freedom to decorate their Easter Egg scene in any way they see fit – they **don't need to use real eggs** (they can craft egg shapes from anything they would like) it just has to have an element of a designed 'egg' shape in it.

The countdown is now on for this year's competition. Entries should be brought in on the last day of term, **Friday the 31st March**. They will be judged that morning and then shared in the end of term assembly and prizes given out.

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To submit your entry you need to:

- Decorate you egg/egg scene—special consideration for prizes given for creativity and imagination!
- Bring in your egg/scene on the morning of **Friday 31st March** for judging

We can't wait to see the fantastic entries this year.



Fleet Facts!



Well done to all these children who have passed their Fleet Facts test this week!

Year 3: Angelo, Mason, Humayra, Lir, Ayman, Rocco

Year 4: Shajai, Skylar, Jarod, Saaimah, Lottie, Noah, Lashanty, Ursula, Fatma

Times Tables Rock Stars of the Week—this week!

Well done to these children who earned the most coins in their class on Times Tables Rock Stars this week!

Year 2: Mariam—6,902 coins!

Year 3: Amine—2,730 coins!

Year 4: Okpe—18,875 coins!

Year 5: Ena—54,340 coins!

Year 6: Adil—4,675 coins!

This term's topics...

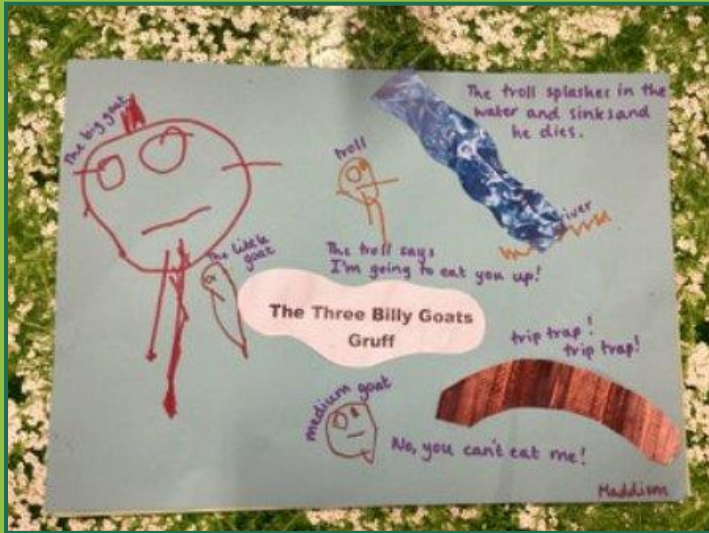


Nursery: Giant Paws and Monster Roars
Reception: Let's Go to the Shops
Year 1: Wild Things
Year 2: Seeds and Thneeds
Year 3: Glorious Greeks
Year 4: We are Heroes
Year 5: Just Beyond the Stars
Year 6: Arabian Nights

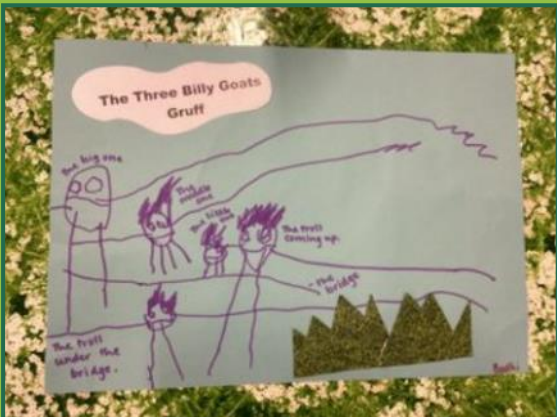


This week at Fleet...

As we approach the end of term the children have been busy showing off their learning from this term with the class teachers carrying out end of term assessments and recapping their key topic learning from the topic snapshots. Despite time spent on assessment there has still been time to fit in trips to the Heath, British Library and Science Museum this week. As well as Royal Albert Hall practice for Year 5 with their trumpets and trombones they also started their 2 week daily swimming course. Year 1 have also been busy getting ready for today's class assembly which was brilliant—huge well done to Beth and all of year 1. Year 6 too have been especially busy with their assessments, trips and a really interesting activity looking testing and investigating Silk Road materials and then making their own perfumes! The infants enjoyed playing with the new playground equipment this week too. One week to go before the Easter break before it all starts again for the summer term with all new topics.



This week at Fleet...



Year 1 Class Assembly



Well done Year 1 for a great performance of the Gruffalo!



S.B.A.D GETS BADLY BEATEN BY IRON HERO

By: Samuel

Yesterday the Iron Man defeated the monster, who was petrifying the earth, in a terrific battle of strength. Read more below.

The space-bat-angle-dragon (S.P.A.D) landed on earth with a thump! It landed on Australia loudly, it demanded for a feast made in less than a week or it would devour earth. "I'm hungry!" the dragon roared.

Hogarth from Ethiopia came to the rescue and had a little plan (whisper, whisper) "O...K" slowly muttered the Iron Man. And so it was done, the plan was set . But a bunch of people shouted "my house, my house! It nearly squished!".

When the Iron Man got to Australia everything was set. He looked quite worried, it was such a gigantic,

monstrous beast! The monster laughed but he did not know what was coming. The Iron Man jumped into the bed of flames. He turned orange, red, yellow and white as the oil burned out on the beach, now he is back to being silver. Next it was the dragons turn...

The S.B.A.D. thumped down from the sun for the second time and weeped "no, no more! I can't take it!" "you win!". The monster was changed and knelt on his knees and cried. Now he has to sing round the earth forever. Strangely, this has had an affect .Now all wars have stopped because it was so beautiful!

The heroic Iron man defeats the sad, mad and bad SBAD.

By Mia

Last night, the world honoured our heroic, fierce, metal machine for fighting and embarrassing the Space-Bat-Angel-Dragon on a mild, Australian night. He did this because of the Space-Bat-Angel-Dragon was frightening life on earth.

This scaly creature came at a quarter to four, his lunch time, scavenging for food. His grumbling stomach could be heard from a mile away. "My stomach needs to be filled at this moment!", he complained.

He had smooth, silky scales, claws like daggers, curly, wavy horns and sharp, sharp fangs. "He flattened my house!", wailed a resident. Unpleasantly he only wanted living things... How were we going to please him without getting something or worse someone killed? Luckily, a young British boy asked his metal friend for a favour. That's where the iron man comes in.

When the Iron man first landed in Australia, he set off to track down the repulsive Space-Bat-Angel-Dragon. At once, the Iron man came across the hideous creature. How would he defeat such a creature? Fortunately, he had a cunning plan. It was impulsive how good his plan was. First he lay in a bed of flaming, raging fire. While the size of

the Space-Bat-Angel-Dragon was too large, he had to lay on the sun.

He lay down on the flaming fire until he glowed as white as a ghost . He sat up covered in ashes . The iron man made it looked like it was easy. Now it's the Space-Bat-Angel-Dragons turn. He soared up and onto the scorching sun. He was stationary until his whole body was scorching white. He flapped down to the surface until he landed. On the second round the dragons wings disintegrated into thin air. He instantly, hurriedly came down. He complained at how hot he felt "Like a fresh cake out of the oven.", he stated.

When the dragon resigned the whole world was discombobulated at how the Iron man succeeded at winning the battle. They agreed that the loser would be a slave forever but that didn't go too well.

Our stoic Iron man was praised for salvaging Australia's population. Our intrepid metal hero has peacefully returned to his beloved scrap yard and has been sent delicious gifts. As for the dragon? He's circling the earth singing sweet, sweet songs for all of eternity.

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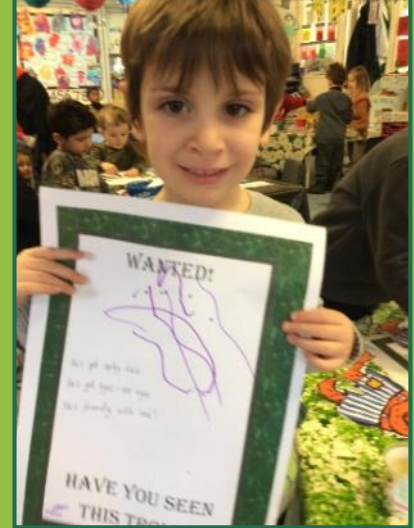
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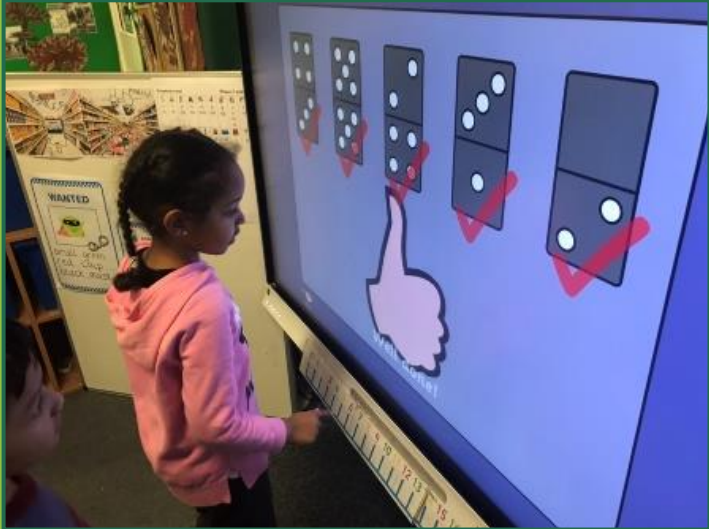
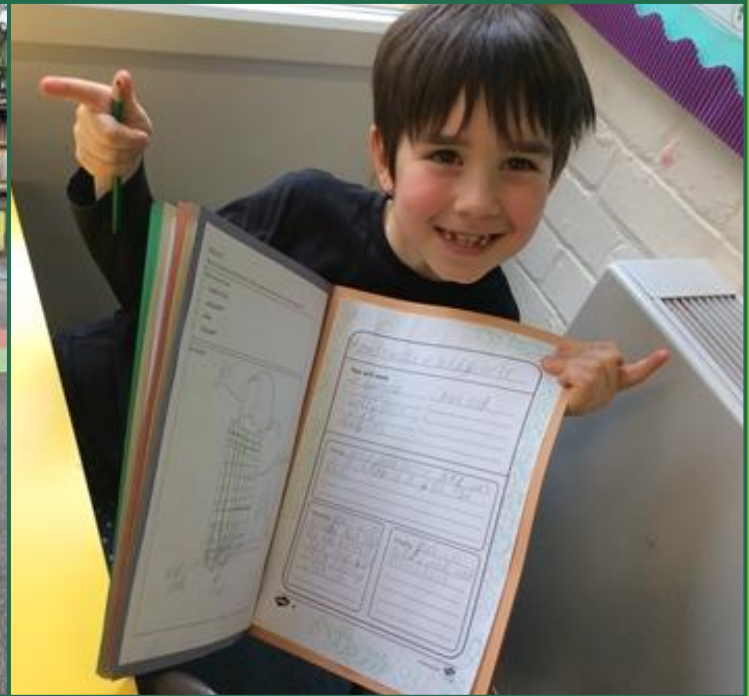
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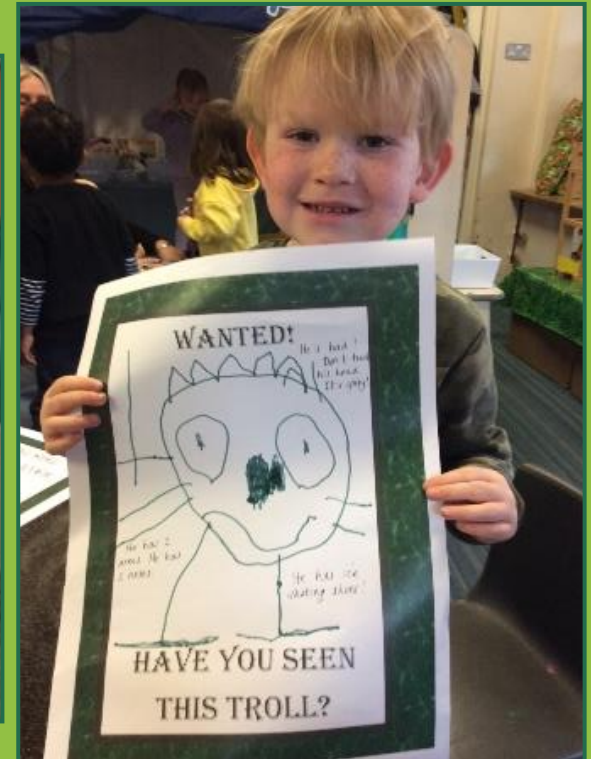
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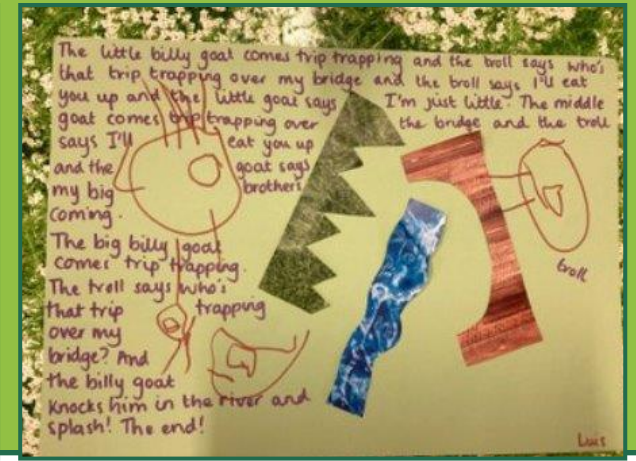
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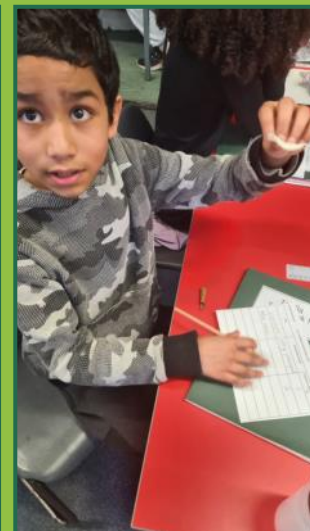
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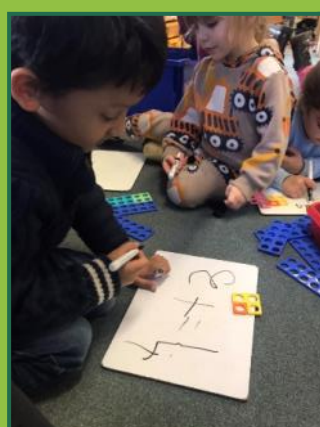
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