What adventures have we been on this week?

Week beginning 2/11/26

Book of the week— The Three Little Pigs

Rhyme of the week— Humpty Dumpty

Maths

This week, we have been exploring the composition of numbers 3, 4 and 5. Through practical activities, we have been learning that numbers can be made in different ways by combining smaller groups. We have been using objects, pictures and hands-on resources to find different number combinations, helping to develop understanding of part-part-whole relationships and build confidence in recognising and working with numbers within 5.

Reminders

Please label all clothing and belongings. If having a school dinner, please order via theTeachers2parents app.

Our Adventures

Welcome back after half term! We have had a busy and exciting week, learning about Diwali, Bonfire Night and Remembrance Day. We enjoyed exploring these special celebrations through stories, discussions and creative activities. We created Diwali lanterns and learnt about the Festival of Lights, and how Diwali is celebrated by families around the world. As part of learning about Remembrance Day, we talked about the meaning of the poppy and why people wear it as a sign of remembrance and respect. We also discussed how to stay safe during Bonfire Night, learning about the importance of watching fireworks from a safe distance and listening carefully to adults. On Friday we were excited to welcome a police officer and PC Panda into school. We learnt about the important role police officers play in keeping us safe and helping people in our community. We had the opportunity to look at some of the equipment they use, learn about their job and ask lots of thoughtful questions. In Forest School, we made Rangoli patterns with rice and natural materials for Diwali. In PE, we learnt about body parts and explored how our bodies move. We developed our balancing skills whilst stationary and on the move, helping to build our coordination and body control.



Literacy

This week, we were introduced to our new book, The Star in the Jar by Sam Hay we enjoyed listening to the adventures of a little boy who discovers a special star and keeps it safe in a jar. We talked about friendship, kindness and how the characters felt throughout the story and discussed things that are important to us and what we treasure. We also took our writing outside to do large scale writing and mark making linked to Bonfire Night and fireworks.

Don't forget our new Book Swap Box outside the classroom!