

This week in Literacy, the children listened to the next chapter of 'The Hodgeheg' by Dick King-Smith. In this part of the story, Max meets a policeman and a lollipop lady. The children have focused on using adjectives to describe the policeman. Some children have used colourful semantics to construct sentences. In addition, they have written a simple letter to the lollipop lady and have included some features of letter writing.

In Storytime, the children have enjoyed listening to 'Tom's Magnificent Machines' by Linda Sarah and Ben Mantle.



Numeracy

This week in Numeracy, the children have continued to learn about place value. They have completed number tracks counting forwards and backwards in tens. Some children have used clues to create a block graph and have focused well to answer questions and interpret data. Other children have worked hard to replicate and build a scene using small world figures.

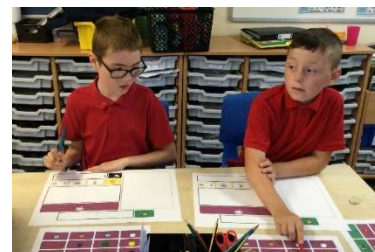


PSHE

In PSHE, the children have continued to explore our Jigsaw puzzle piece: Changing Me. This week, they have been learning about gender roles and stereotypes. The children took part in an activity where they were asked to decide whether jobs such as nurses, builders, chefs and firefighters were better suited to men or woman. Initially, there were a variety of opinions, with some children suggesting that certain roles were more for boys or for girls. However, after discussions, the children began to challenge these ideas and reached the conclusion that both males and females are equally suited to all jobs.

Topic

As part of our topic 'The Magic Toymaker', the children have been learning about forces and how forces can make an object move. They have played with a selection of toys using a push and pull force. The children have also carried out an experiment to see which surface cars will travel the furthest on. They have tried a selection of different surfaces including, wood, sandpaper, foam and carpet. The children enjoyed releasing their cars down the ramps and recording the distance travelled.



French

This week, the children have continued to develop their French vocabulary. They have enjoyed making fruit kebabs and have used a word mat to name the different fruits in French.



Have a lovely weekend!