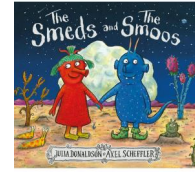


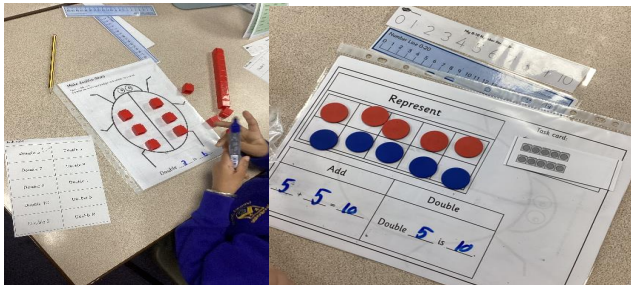
Dear Parent / Carer,

This week in English we have continued retelling the story, 'The Smeds and the Smoos' by Julia Donaldson. We have been very impressed with the children's independence when attempting this.



This week in Phonics, our sounds have been 'a' as in water, 'a' as in wasp, 'ear' as in pear and 'ere' as in there. Our tricky words for the week have been: who, whole, because, eye, thought and through. These are the words the children need to be able to sight read.

This week in Maths, we have been doubling numbers. The children identified doubles in many different representations.



Unfortunately, the children were unable to swim on Wednesday. However, we are hoping the pool will be ready for next Wednesday 😊 Therefore, **1H** will swim on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March and **1N** will swim on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March. From the 26<sup>th</sup> of March onwards, both classes will swim each Wednesday afternoon.

Finally, we would like to invite you to our **Year 1 Spring Open Door**. We would like to invite a maximum of 2 people per child, this can include a younger sibling, however we do ask that there are no prams in the classrooms. **1H's Open Door will be on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March** and **1N will have theirs on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March**. Both sessions will **start at 9.10am and finish at 9:40am**.

Many thanks,

Miss Hepworth and Miss Nicholson