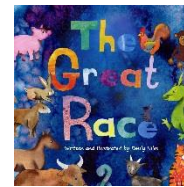
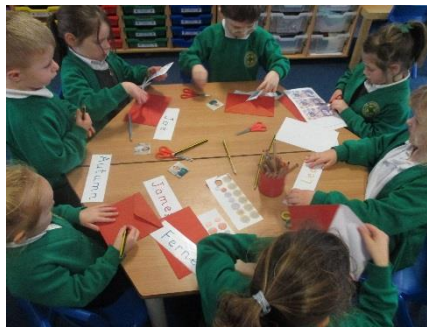


Friday 4th February 2022



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we have been learning about Chinese New Year. We decorated our classroom with lanterns and learnt that it is the year of the Tiger. We read the story "The Great Race" to help us understand about the Chinese New Year calendar and had a go at lion dancing to music. We decorated a red envelope and filled it with pretend money for a friend. We also tried a fortune cookie and enjoyed hearing about our fortunes.



In phonics we have introduced the children to the digraph oi (c-o-i-n) and the consonant letter blend nk (r-i-nk). We explained that nk is not a digraph but a letter blend where there are two sounds very close together when we read words. We have also learned the tricky word: you.

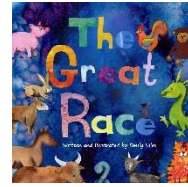


In maths we have been combining two groups e.g 3 and 2 is 5, 4 add 1 equals 5. We have used dominos, counters, a ten frame and the part whole model to support our learning. The children are challenging themselves to verbalise and record their number sentence.

Home Learning Challenge

To copy the letters oi nk and have a go at writing these independently. Please continue to encourage your child to hold their pencil correctly as they do so

The EYFS Ladybirds Team



We value our parents as partners. Please leave a comment or email on any aspect of your child's learning.

Things they are enjoying, new learning that they may have shared with you or things that they may be finding tricky.

My child's name:

Date: