

Year 1 - Jays

Date: 6 th October 2023	This week we have been learning about ...
English	<p>Ruby's Worry, Phonics, reading and handwriting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Exploring how emotions are conveyed in picture books. * Discussing what we can do with worries. * Writing letters of advice to give Ruby some help with her worry. * Making cards for Ruby and our friends to show love and support. * Revisiting the sounds which many children still found tricky to remember from Wrens - or (as in corn) ow (as in growl) ow (as in snow) oi (as in coin) and er (as in winter or fern.) * We practised forming l, i, j and t. As last week, all of these letters should begin with the same basic movement, as shared on Seesaw.
Maths	<p>Place value within 10</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Less than, greater than and equal to. We practised using the correct language and the related symbols < > and =. The children enjoyed watching series 3 episode 2 of Numberblocks where Blockzilla helps to explain this concept. * Comparing groups. * Ordering objects and numbers.
Other curriculum areas	<p>PSHE/ Computing - Exploring how we can stay safe online.</p> <p>Science - Beginning our new topic on materials and their properties by working out the correct language to use when talking about materials (such as wood), objects (such as a window) or properties (such as bendy.)</p> <p>PE - Multi-skills with the PE coaches and salsa dancing with our visitors.</p> <p>RE - How is love between shown me and my parent? How do Christians show love for God? The children completed some amazing writing on this topic!</p> <p>History - What do I remember about my life so far? What do homes in Barham look like?</p> <p>Art - Finding the extraordinary in the ordinary in the world around us and representing this with our developing techniques.</p>
Other information and reminders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * The children had a lovely time celebrating European languages on Wednesday, dancing, making art, hearing stories and making and drinking jus de citroen. Thanks go to the wonderful students from Folkestone School for Girls. * Please do come into the class at 3.15 on Wednesday to see your child's work. Please not that, for the safety of the children, we will send them out through the class door as usual. They will then be able to bring you into the class via the route they take in the morning to ensure that everybody has a grown up. If the narrow corridor is likely to be a problem, you are welcome to wait outside until all children have been collected before coming back in the more direct way. * Please do also join us for celebration worship on Friday!