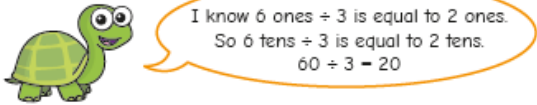


# Robins class (y3)

	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> January 2024: This week we have been...
English	<p>Continuing with our two new texts we used the book 'Escape from Pompeii' and a thesaurus to write some performance poetry about the earthquake. We also wrote a descriptive paragraph about what happened during the volcano eruption. We focused on using powerful verbs and conjunctions. On Thursday and Friday we used our other book to write some poetry about the moon. We took inspirations from other moon poetry which included an acrostic poem and a shape poem and used the poetry devices of: rhyme, metaphors, repetition and alliteration.</p> <p>Our spellings this week have all included the digraph 'ai' or the tetragraph 'aigh': straight, strainer, fainted, claimed, waist, snail, painter, chained, failure, waiter.</p>
Maths	<p><b>Multiplication and division:</b></p> <p>We have done a lot of work this week on multiplying and dividing using our times tables knowledge from the 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 8s and 10s. We used this knowledge to reason and solve equations which were 10 times bigger.</p> <p>Tiny is working out <math>60 \div 3</math></p>  <p>Use Tiny's method to work out the divisions.</p> <div> <div><math>80 \div 4</math></div> <div><math>90 \div 3</math></div> <div><math>60 \div 2</math></div> <div><math>70 \div 7</math></div> </div>
Other Curriculum Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Music</b> - We revised all of the notes we have so far learnt on the recorder (B, A, G and E) and practiced the song "E B G Bs"</li> <li>• <b>Science</b> - we moved onto our new topic and discussed the question: how are rocks the same and different?</li> <li>• <b>RE</b> - This week we learnt about Guru Nanak as we discussed the question: who started the Sikhi religion?</li> <li>• <b>PE</b> - dance - we worked as a group on routines to show how the Fisherman's daughter (from our book) feels about the moon and we then put together a routine in unison to show the different phases of the moon.</li> <li>• <b>Topic</b> - we started our new topic and discussed who were the Romans?</li> <li>• <b>Art</b> - we began a Roman inspired collage of Mount Vesuvius.</li> <li>• <b>Spanish</b> - we started to learn how to ask how old someone is and to give our answer.</li> <li>• <b>Computing</b> - we learnt how to programme a sprite in Scratch.</li> </ul>
News & reminders	<p>This term we will continue to have PE on Mondays and Fridays so please wear PE kit suitable for both inside and outside on these days.</p>