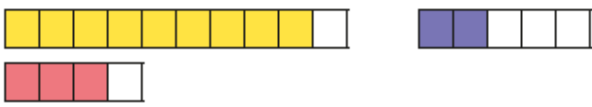


# Robins class (y3)

	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2024: This week we have been...
English	<p>With Mrs Bruce we looked at nouns and pronouns as part of our grammar learning. We then looked at the imagery in poetry, we drew a pebble and then wrote our own version of the poem Seven Pebbles. With Mrs Gurney we started to look at the book 'The Butterfly Lion' by Michael Morpurgo. We initially looked at one paragraph from the 2<sup>nd</sup> chapter which was a conversation and then we wrote our own continuation of this conversation focusing on using inverted commas and other punctuation. We then read the first 2 chapters.</p> <p>Our spellings this week have all been challenge words: build, describe, imagine, library, natural, ordinary, promise, recent, suppose, weight.</p>
Maths	<p><b>Fractions:</b></p> <p>We finished our work on length and perimeter and then started a new topic of fractions. This week we have looked at the numerator, denominator, unit fractions and non-unit fractions.</p> <p>What fraction of each bar model is shaded?</p>  <p>How do you know?</p>
Other Curriculum Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Music</b> - We practised all of the notes we have learnt so far and the pieces we will perform at the Spring music evening.</li> <li>• <b>RE</b> - This term we are looking at lots of different faiths and learning about the signs and symbols that are important to those faiths. This week we used the story of Noah's Ark to learn about the Christian symbols for peace (dove and olive branch) and promise (a rainbow).</li> <li>• <b>PE</b> - Golf - we learnt to accurately roll and putt the ball with a partner. Badminton we started to become familiar with the badminton racket using balloons.</li> <li>• <b>Topic</b> - we learnt where Italy is.</li> <li>• <b>Science</b> - we discussed what soil is.</li> <li>• <b>Computing</b> - this term we are going to be using computers to create a branching database. To help with this we investigated yes/no questions.</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> <p>Some upcoming events over the next few weeks:</p> <p><b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March: World Book Day.</b> Children can come dressed as a favourite book character or bring a prop from a book or just bring the book in if they'd prefer. We have an exciting webinar arranged with Michael Morpurgo and Born Free to look forward to on that day.</p> <p><b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March: Interhouse music.</b> All of key stage 2 take part in this. Children will work with all years from their house to compose a sound track to a film clip. The winning house will then perform their composition at the Spring Music Evening.</p> <p><b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March: Spring Music Evening.</b> All key stage children are invited attend. Children who have instrument lessons can perform if they like and Robins class will be performing on our recorders too. If you haven't received the letter sent out on Monday, please let us know. <a href="mailto:Victoria.bruce@barham.kent.sch.uk">Victoria.bruce@barham.kent.sch.uk</a>  <a href="mailto:sally.gurney@barham.kent.sch.uk">sally.gurney@barham.kent.sch.uk</a></p>