Robins class (y3)

	Friday 8 th March 2024: This week we have been
English	At the start of the week we learnt about using the past tense in our writing and then using the book 'A Gift from Winklesea' by Helen Cresswell we planned and wrote a descriptive paragraph about the animal that we imagined might hatch from the egg. On World Book Day we participated in a webinar with Born Free and Michael Morpergo where we learnt about endangered animals and lions in particular. We then worked as groups to design posters to promote saving lions. Our spellings this week have all has the ending 'le': battle, settle, article, humble, struggle, terrible, impossible, example, capable, adjustable.
Maths	Fractions: We completed lots of work on equivalent fractions using both number lines and bar models. Draw number lines to complete the equivalent fractions. $\frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{8}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{8}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{10} = \frac{6}{8}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{4}{4} = \frac{1}{10} = 1$ On World Book Day we completed a maths investigation to solve a code to help some book characters find their way out of the woods.
Other Curriculum Areas	 Music - All of KS2 took part in the Interhouse music competition which is expertly led by the year 6s of each house. We had to compose a soundtrack to a Tom and Jerry film clip and the winning house will perform theirs at the Spring Music Evening on Tuesday. PE - Golf - we worked on using the chipper focusing technique. Badminton - we learnt how to serve a shuttlecock using a low backhand. Topic - we took part in a Now Press Play experience to learn about the tectonic plates and ring of fire. Science - we completed a mini quiz on our Rocks topic.
News & reminders	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. WORLD BOOK DAY We had such a great day on Thursday celebrating. We started with an assembly from Adam (Mrs Taylor's husband) where we got to choose a free book. Everyone also has their book day token so can choose another free book from a book shop. We then did lots of storybook based learning (detailed above) before finishing the day with a teacher swap for story time. Tuesday 12th March: Spring Music Evening. Thank you to everyone who is coming along to perform for our class recorders. It's not too late if anyone else would like to perform too - they really do sound amazing!