

## Literacy

This week the children were listening to poems that convey imagery. They first listened to Wide Open by Rachel Rooney and then The Magic Box by Kit Wright. The children thought of what they might like to keep in their magic box and used adjectives and noun phrases to create imagery. The children will construct their poems next week.

## Phonics

L1 – we have started to identify the initial, middle and end sound in CVC words and have practised oral segmenting

L3 - children have been revising previously learnt L3 sounds and practised reading and writing words and captions

L4 – children continued to learn to read and write words starting with adjacent consonants anywhere in the word

L5 – children learnt the new grapheme a-e saying /ai/ reading and writing words containing this sound as well as reading new tricky words 'love' and 'your'

L6 – children have learnt how to use an apostrophe to make contractions



# Spring 2

## 28/03/25



Children have received their log ins for Twinkl Learn, they are stuck in the back of their homework book. Here children can access activities and games linking to their learning. You can access the applications from <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/learn/>

Find Mrs Tanner's bulletin here:

<https://www.queenswoodmorley.co.uk/news-and-events>

Find this half term's curriculum overviews here:

<https://www.queenswoodschool.co.uk/reception-infants>

## Reminders & Notices

- Please check book bags this weekend as there is something special in there for Sunday!
- Please note that there will be no swimming for the next two weeks as the leisure centre is closed for school holidays.
- We have been welcoming visitors to see school this week and next!

## Next Week

Monday: Homework due

Tuesday: PE pm

Wednesday: Homework goes out, no swimming but

## Maths

Rec: Children have been finding the total of two groups by combining them. They have used counters and spots on two dice when playing snakes and ladders.

Y1: Children revised doubles to 5 and made doubles to 10 practically.

Children have also been learning about the relationship between doubles and halves.

Y2: Children have been finding halves and quarters of numbers, including odd numbers! The used practical resources to find  $\frac{1}{4}$  of numbers.

## Topic

In DT, children made their fruit smoothies, they demonstrated skill and care when chopping their fruit. In Geography, we learnt about different jobs in the community and what buildings these jobs might take place in. Children talked about their parents jobs and shared what jobs they had an interest in. In PSHE, children learnt about the PANTS rules with the help of Pantosaurus, please find the video and more information about keeping children safe here:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule/> In RE, children learnt about how Muslims celebrate Eid Al-Fitr, we wish all our families celebrating Eid Mubarak!