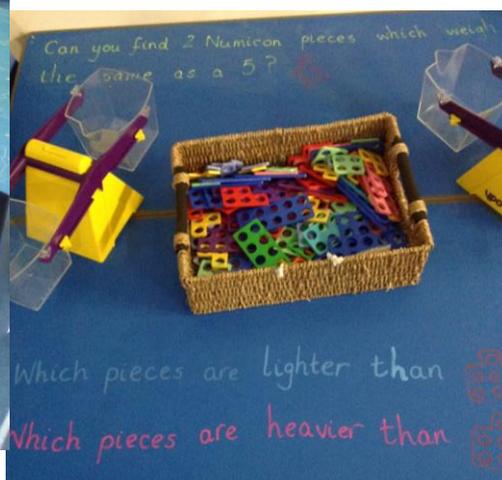


This week in Reception...

We've been reading and enjoying the story 'Snow White' this week. We've done some fantastic role play and small world play connected to the story. We did some 'hot-seating' where some of the children pretended to be Snow White or the wicked queen and were asked questions by the other children. We have some fantastic actors in Reception class!



In maths this week we've been measuring weight and capacity. We have used the balance to compare objects using the language of heavier/ lighter/ equal to. One of our challenges this week was using the Numicon shapes in the balance and trying to find combinations of pieces which were equal to the '5' piece.



In phonics we have focused on 'v' and 'w'. We've carried on with lots and lots of blending and spelling practice. Please look in your child's phonics folder for the sheets we've completed this week and practise blending and spelling some of the words on them. If your child isn't yet getting the hang of blending please don't worry. It's a skill which takes lots of practice and repetition. A good thing to do on a daily basis is lots of oral blending. Tell your child to get their h-a-t. Do they hear that you want them to get their hat? Do they want j-a-m on their toast? Can they pass you the empty c-u-p? Keep on practising as much as possible.

The children have been having great fun in PE working on their ball handling skills. Mr Morris has been teaching the children some basketball skills and we have some super little dribblers!



Please remember to send in your empty glass jars, clear plastic bottles and kitchen roll tubes. We need them for next week.

Have a lovely weekend and as always, don't forget that we're always around if you have any questions or concerns.