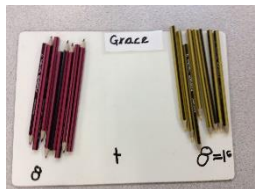
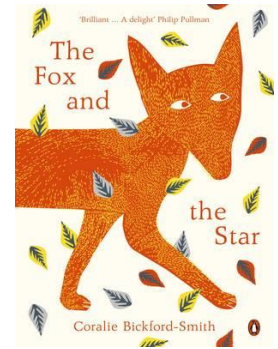
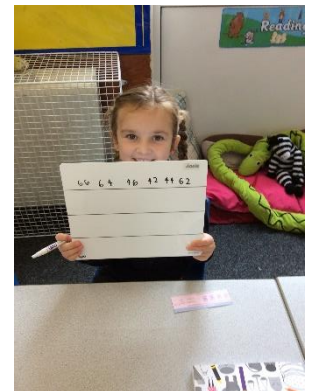


We have had a super start to the Autumn term. We have been very busy in our Literacy lessons. We have carried out fiction work linked to the book *The Fox and The Star* by Coralie Bickford-Smith. We used this story to then create our own stories about a fox and a friend. Some titles included: *The Fox and The Lovebird*, *The Fox and The Peacock* and *The Fox and The Flamingo*. We worked hard to remember the correct punctuation when writing our stories and tried really hard to include adjectives.



In Maths the year 1's have been learning about place value and have started their Maths No Problem Workbooks. We have been using lots of manipulatives to add and subtract. We have also started to learn our 2 timestable.

The year 2's have started to learn their 3 times table in Maths lessons. We have been really enjoying our ttrackstars – both online and the paper version where we work hard to beat our score each time – it has caused great internal competition. We have also become more secure with the place value of 2 digit numbers and then used this understanding to reason about addition and subtraction – including renaming!



Our class story this half term has been *James and The Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl, we have enjoyed listening to this story and we have linked our PE lessons to the story, thinking about movement and levels when performing a short dance routine.

In RE we have been thinking about how we know that god loves us. We have had some super discussions and shared our ideas on a large cut outs of Dottie and Freddie! It was great fun!



In theme we have been learning about the planets in the solar system. We have worked really hard in 3's to gather facts and create our own powerpoint presentations to share the facts we have learnt. We have also used Modroc to create our own 3D models of the planets – it was very messy, but great fun! We then thought carefully about mixing colours to paint our models.



Thank you to all the parents from Ash class that attended our reading morning.