

English

This week, we have been busy writing narrative sentences inspired by our class book, *The Friendship Bench*. The children have done a fantastic job showcasing their knowledge of adjectives and "-ed" verbs, as well as experimenting with similes and alliteration. Their understanding of social interaction and how to build meaningful friendships has truly shone through in their writing.

Maths

We have kicked off our new topic: **Fractions**. So far, we have been learning how to recognise and find a half, a quarter, and a third of various shapes and amounts.

Art

Our new Art topic, "Street View," is off to an impressive start. The children have blown me away with their thumbprint sketches and their vibrant Pop Art drawings, created in the distinct style of James Rizzi.

History

In History, we are exploring the heritage of our school, tracing its journey from its very beginnings to the present day. If any families have memories of what it was like to attend our school in the past (perhaps from grandparents or local relatives), we would love for you to share those experiences! We are working hard to build an understanding of how teaching and school life have evolved over time.

A Final Note

Thank you all for supporting your children through the various transitions and changes they are currently encountering. As a reminder, please continue to encourage your child to read every day at home. It is vital that they come to school prepared each day with their reading record and a book appropriate for their level.