

Welcome to the Reception Newsletter

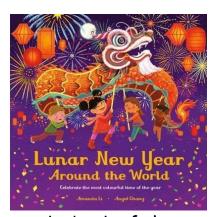
20th January 2023

It has been a week full of exploration and new experiences. With Lunar New Year being celebrated by thousands across the world this week, we have been delving into some traditions shared by East and Southern Asian communities.

The EYFS Team

Round Hill Primary School

Book of the Week



This weeks book of the week is a fiction text with a non-fiction twist as it is jam packed with interesting facts and information about the beliefs behind the traditions followed during Lunar New Year by different communities.

Maths

This week we have been continuing to explore the composition of number and have spoken about how we see a number (4 is a 2 and a 2 or a 3 and a 1). We have moved onto ordering number and looking at numerical patterns when counting forwards and backwards.

Please complete <u>Week 2 of Journal 2</u> which is a new Red Maths No Problem book and bring back on <u>Friday 27th</u>

January 2023.

Next Week

Next week we will be continuing to talk about persevering and what we can do to help us achieve something we want to do.

Literacy

Using our book of the week, Lunar New Year Around the World, we have been learning about some common traditions that people do to celebrate the special time of year.

We have then been using pictures to create sentences and create books to inform others. The children have wowed us with their engagement and interest in the topic.

Tricky words
he
she
we

<u>Understanding the World, Expressive Arts</u> <u>and Design and Physical Development</u>

Lunar New Year has captured us in so many ways from visits in school showing children some common traditions that they do and the beliefs behind them to make lanterns, Chinese dragons and having a go at our very own dragon dancing. Children have also been very interested in the traditional scribing on Lai See (red envelop gifts) and had a go at creating their own.

Daring Persevering Dreaming Together Reflecting