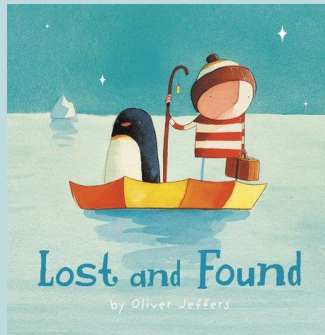


Our topic for this half term is **Transport**

Book of the Week



We have been:

- Talking about the theme of friendships
- Imagining what we would take in our bags if we went to the South Pole
- Playing with boats in a seaside small world
- Making boats and testing out waterproof materials
- Making paper stick puppets of the characters to use in role play
- Writing speech bubbles for the pictures to show what the characters were saying
- Ordering pictures from the story

Words we learnt this week:

Float
sink
ignore



This week we also:

- Talking about what a challenge is, and how we can try to overcome challenges.
- Talking about how we feel when we make a mistake and how we can keep trying.
- Had a great visit from the artist Korky Paul, who illustrated Winnie the Witch
- Discovering the concept of floating and sinking
- [Float or Sink Video](#)

In maths this week we:

- Developed our understanding of number bonds to 10
- Wrote numbers to 10 and 20
- Wrote down different pairs of numbers that make 10
- Explored making 10 using different amounts of objects on a 10 frame



What you can do at home this week:

- Talk about floating and sinking and notice how different materials have different properties, for example when an object is light it may be more likely to float than a heavy object. Investigate to test your theories!

Science Investigation of the week: Floating and Sinking

Make a prediction: which object will float or sink? Why do you think that?

Reasoning: What tells you that this object will float? How can we test it?

Experiment: using a bath of water, test out different objects for their floating properties and record them on a table