

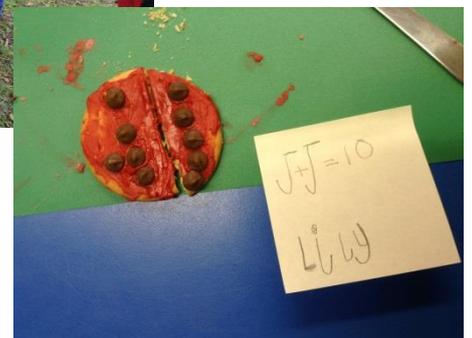
Learning Journal 27.2.16

This week....we have been learning about spring and the sunshine cheered us all up. We made maths ladybirds and flowers and planned what we wanted to plant in our garden. At woodland workshop we had a Spring treasure hunt where we worked hard to follow our map and find some clues using our reading and number skills.



Mathematics

Maths this week was all about numbers which add up to 10. We also practised finding one more than and one less than a number to 10. We aim to give the children quick recall of all these maths facts to help them perform quick and accurate calculations. Some of our maths was even edible!



Literacy and Phonics

We are working hard to improve our writing skills with a special challenge over the next few weeks. Every time the children write they receive a sticker on our special chart. We have a prize for getting ten stickers, which some children achieved in under a week. The writing is tailored to the ability of the child, so the younger children have to write their name or a label, whereas the reception children write a message or a story for someone. They are really enjoying this challenge and have produced some excellent pieces of writing.



We also painted and drew pictures of daffodils whilst learning about signs of Spring.



Help at Home.....A huge well done to all the children who completed their holiday diaries. These were brilliant and we enjoyed reading them with the authors. All the Splash children have an activity to do at home finding signs of Spring and writing where they were found. If your child is not confident, please model the writing for them.