



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Reception Newsletter

Friday 28th March 2025

Go, shine
in the
world



What have we been learning this week?

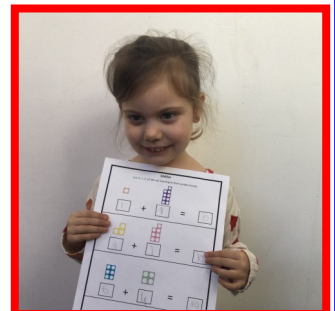
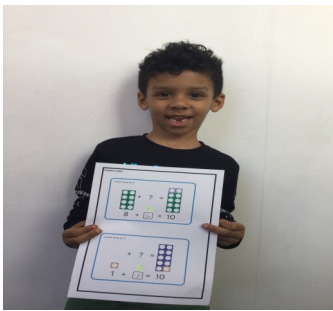
Phonics : Diagraphs and Trigraphs

This week we have been continuing to learn our new diagraphs and trigraphs , we looked at 'or', 'air' and 'ir'. Then we practiced using these new diagraphs in our writing.



Maths: Number bonds to 10

Number bonds to 10 has been our maths focus this week. Reception used numicon to practise making number bonds to 10 and then the children wrote these calculations as number sentences using the 'addition' and 'equals' maths symbols. For example : $1+9=10$, $2+8=10$.



Knowledge and Understanding of the world: Growing Vegetables

We have been learning all about vegetables in our topic learning this week. We explored and named different vegetables, looking at how some are similar and how some are different. We then discussed what vegetables we liked and the children made their own salads! We made sure to wash our hands before touching the vegetables and used our cooking utensils safely.



How can you help your child with their learning?

Talk to your child with regards to what they see growing around them.

Encourage your child to look and describe new signs of life. For example: buds opening on a flowering plant, frogs spawn in a pond.