

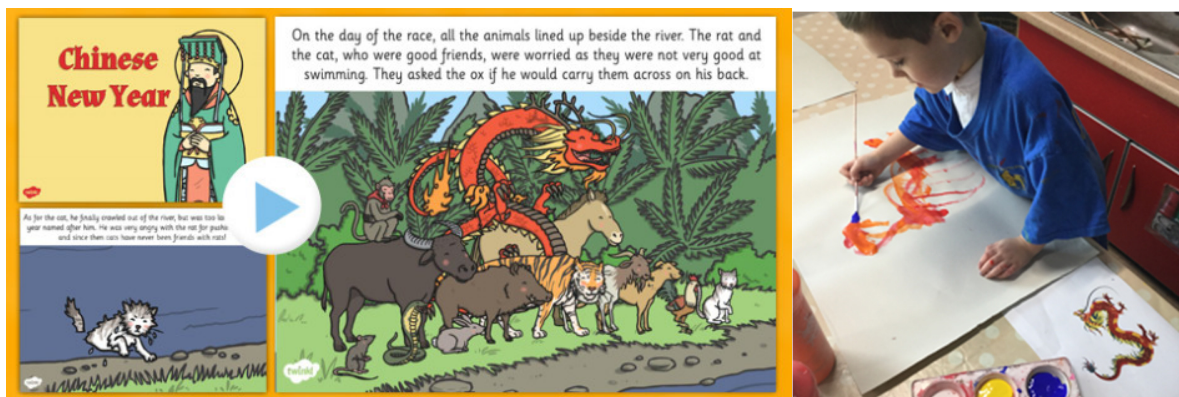


Topaz News

Learning

We have been very excited to see that we are attracting different sorts of birds to the bird feeders that we have outside the classroom. We are using our sentence skills to write what the birds look like so that we can identify them.

Our story telling continued this week. The big story of the week was the story of the Great Animal Race for Chinese New Year. At home, see if your child can tell you what happened to the cat and the other animals.



As part of our whole school trip to Berkeley Castle, we all need to make a 3D dragon so we have started to draw Chinese dragons to get this going. **Please send paper towel tubes and egg boxes, as we might want to make some with these recycled items.**

In maths, we have continued developing our knowledge of one more, one less and number bonds. At home, use the keyring to develop fluency with this.

Reading

Please try to engage with a reading activity. Telling stories in sequence is one of the elements of reading that we need to develop so keep going with this at home. Making puppets to go along with our stories has been very popular too. This is also very good for developing our fingers! If you need more ideas for books, there are 50 good reads on this site:

<https://www.booksfortopics.com/reception>

Kind regards,

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