



Zestful Zebras' News!

Maths

This week we have been practising place value. We know that 2-digit numbers consist of a tens and a ones digit. We have played lots of 'Guess my Number' where it's important to use the correct language. For example, "My number has 2 tens and 5 ones. What is it?" (25). We have also been using lots of different apparatus to make numbers such as base ten, ten frames, straws and rekenreks.

English

We have begun our new text called 'The Papaya That Spoke'. To get us started, we looked at a papaya and found out where it comes from. Most of us even tasted one! We have used some beautiful handwriting to write sentences about the papaya and had fun sharing ideas for what the papaya might say in different settings!

History

Our new history unit is called '**Pioneers**'. This unit explores significant historical figures who have made important discoveries or inventions. This week, we learnt a little about the first moon landing and the astronauts who were part of the mission; Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins. The children were able to order the main events of the famous journey.

★ Our star pupils this week are: **EVERYONE!** You have all settled in brilliantly to Year 2. What a class!

Have a great weekend!

Mrs Hickman 😊

