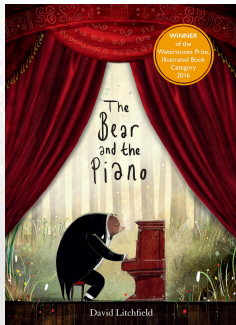


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Reception Owls

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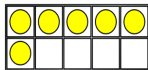
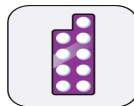


We have been looking at all sorts of books this half term! We've read *Lion Inside*, *Lost and Found* and *The Bear and the Piano*! We even brought the bear to life and the children were able to watch a bear play piano in our hall - what an experience!

Match the picture to the numeral.

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1 less than 6 is 5

This term in Maths, pupils have developed strong fluency in subitising numbers 1–5, building confidence in recognising quantities instantly without counting. They have also been introduced to the numbers 6, 7 and 8, exploring how these numbers are composed and represented in different ways with a wide range of pictorial representations. We also focused on splitting the numbers in two groups using part-whole models. Besides this pupils have been exploring and comparing length, using practical objects within the classroom setting to explore concepts such as longer, shorter, taller and shorter.



During our Asia Day, the children in Reception embarked on an exciting journey to explore the vibrant cultures of Pakistan, China, Japan and Sri Lanka. They learned to greet people in the native languages-saying "Assalamu Alaikum" in Urdu, "Ni hai" in Chinese, "Konnichiwa" in Japanese and Ayubowan in Sinhala. Enthusiastic little artists dabbled in Asia-style arts and crafts, creating beautiful paper lanterns and origami cats. We truly celebrated the diversity and richness of Asian cultures and even tried some of their traditional foods.

