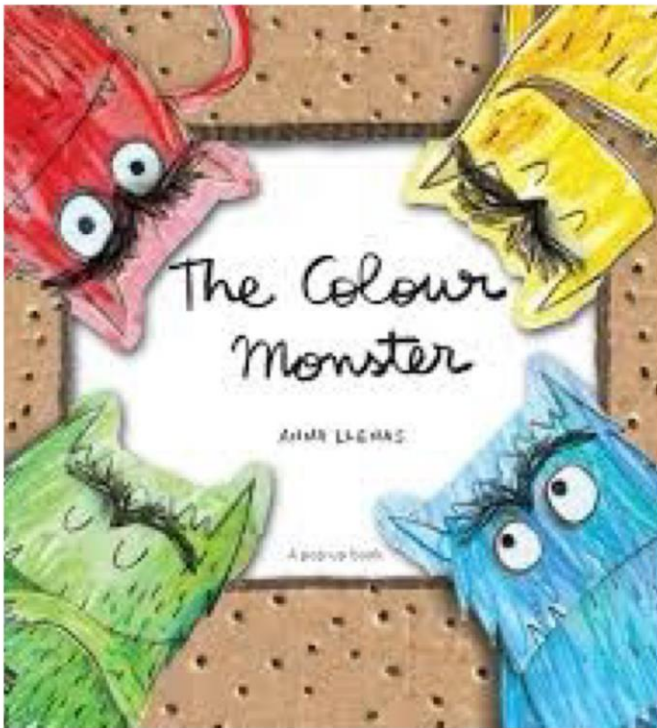




Dear Parents and Carers

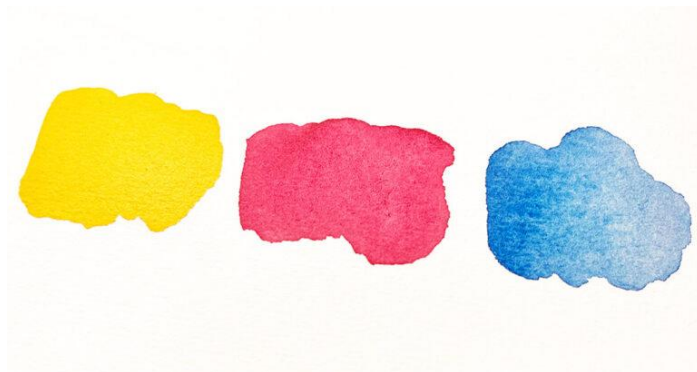
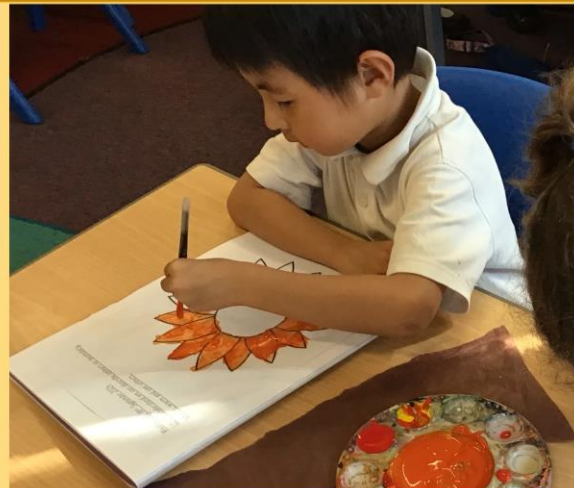
The autumn term is now in full swing and the children have been busy with lots of fun activities. The photographs that follow will give you a snapshot of what the children have been learning.

Reception

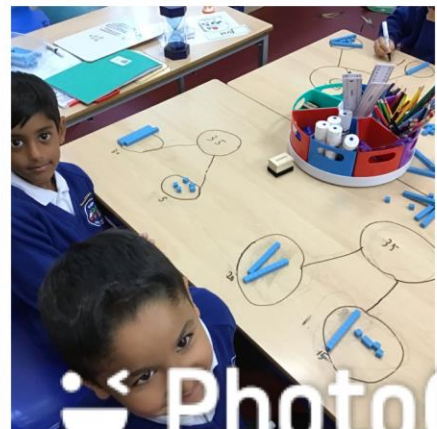
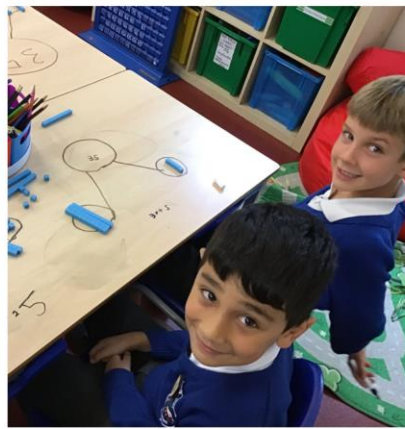
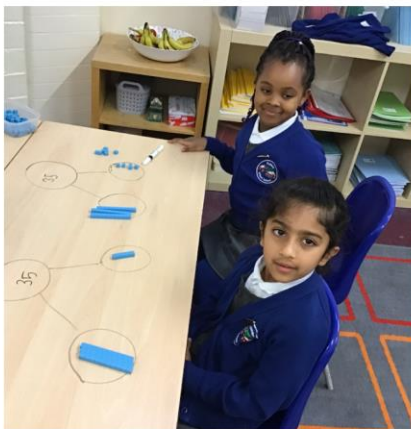
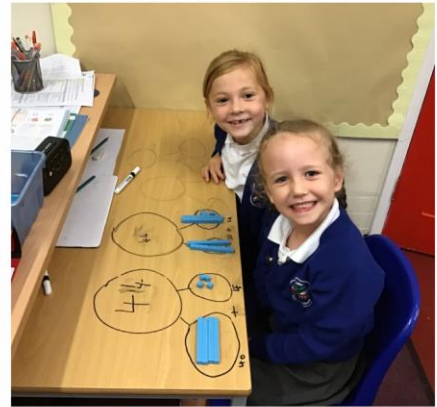
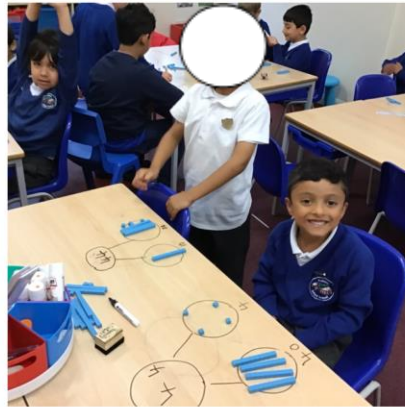
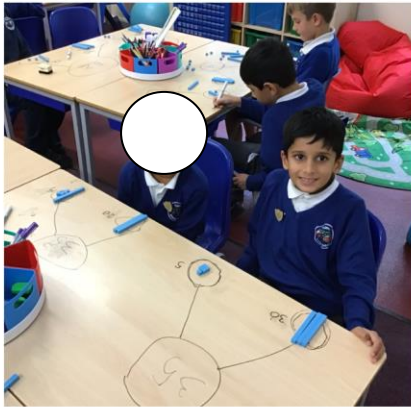
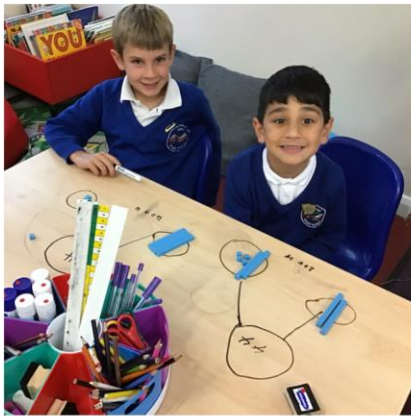




In art year I have enjoyed mixing primary colours to paint their sunflowers.



Year 2



PhotoG

Year 2 enjoyed practising flexible partitioning using dienes equipment and part-whole models.

Harvest Festival Friday 4th October 2024 at 9:15am

Please join us for our Harvest Assembly on Friday 4th October at 9:15am. The Friends of Fulmer will be providing tea and coffee before the assembly.

We will be collecting food donations for the Harvest Assembly from Monday 30th September to Friday 4th October. Please send food donations into school and they will be passed on to the Trussell Trust. Food donations should be long life food items and requested items include tinned meat pies, tinned cold meat, tinned rice pudding, chocolate and crisps



School Champions

At the end of every week staff review the effort and performance of children in each class and make two special awards: the 'Star of the Week' award and the 'Best Listener' award. Certificates are then presented in our Friday assembly and children congratulated. The award-winning champions this week are: -

Friday 20th September 2024

Best Listeners:-

Year R – L R

Year 1 – O M

Year 2 – S B

Stars of the Week:-

Year R – A E

Year 1 – F B

Year 2 – A A

Friday 27th September 2024

Best Listeners:-

Year R – A S

Year 1 – A S

Year 2 – P R

Stars of the Week:-

Year R – R A

Year 1 – J E

Year 2 – S M

Achievements Outside of School

We love to hear about the children's achievements outside of school and to celebrate these in our Friday Celebration Assembly. If your child receives a certificate or award for something they do outside of school, please do send it into school and we will celebrate it during our Friday Celebration Assembly. This week we have celebrated A in Year 1 who was Player of the Week at his football club and O who completed the DoodleMaths Summer Challenge. Well done A and O!

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club is open every day from 7:45am. There is no need to book, you can just turn up on the day. Each session costs £7.00 and you can pay by cash or card although card is preferred.

When dropping your child off at breakfast club, please remember to walk them to the hall and wait with them until they are marked in by an adult.

Attendance at School

We all know how important it is for children to attend school regularly. To help with this, please avoid booking any holidays in term time because we need children learning in school every day. We have a school target of 96% and ask you to help us achieve it. 90% attendance may sound quite good, but it actually means your child is missing the equivalent of: -

- One half day each week
- Nearly four weeks every school year
- Over one year in a school career

Best classes for attendance are:

Week ending 20.09.2024: Reception with 97%

Week ending 20.09.2024: Year 2 with 98%

Well done Reception and Year 2!

If your child is absent from school, please advise the school office by telephone or email by 9:30am on each day they are absent. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Parking

We have been advised by The Black Horse that due to changes in their opening hours, parents will no longer be able to use the rear car park to park when dropping or collecting children from school. Parents are able to use the spaces at the front of the car park, **except for the first 5**. The Black Horse have also requested that parents are patient while deliveries are received on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

We remain very grateful to The Back Horse for the support they showed to the school by previously allowing us to use the rear car park and in continuing to allow us to use the front car park.

This change to our available parking will obviously impact the traffic using Alderbourne Lane. If you do need to drive past the school, please ensure you are cautious and considerate. Please also continue to respect our neighbours by ensuring driveways are left clear and roads are not blocked.

Thank you for your support in helping to make the journey to school safe for everyone.

thank you

Reminder about wearing earrings in school

If children have their ears pierced they should only wear a small plain stud to school. Hoop or larger earrings must not be worn for health and safety reasons. On days where your child has P.E. or is taking part in an after school sports club, earrings should be removed at home before they come to school. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

School Start and Finish Times

The school gate will be open at 8:45am. Parents must remain with their children on the playground until the class teachers collect the class. School begins at 8:55am. When the bell rings, children in Year 1 and Year 2 should line up on the spots in the playground. The Reception classroom door is opened at 8:50am and children will be welcomed into the classroom from this time.

The school day finishes at 3:00pm. Children will wait on the playground for their adults to collect them. Reception class are collected from the classroom door until further notice.

After school clubs finish at 4:00pm and children can be collected from the pedestrian gate.

Diary Dates



Date	Event
Friday 4 th Oct 9.15am	Harvest Festival
Tuesday 8 th Oct	Happy Bag Collection
Wednesday 9 th Oct	Flu Immunisation (see emails)
Thursday 10 th Oct 9am	Yr 2 Parents visit from Mrs Alburg, CSP Academy
Monday 21 st Oct 3.10pm-5.30pm	Parent Consultations (details to follow)
Tuesday 22 nd Oct	Year 1 trip to Iver Environment Ctr (see emails)
Wednesday 23 rd Oct 4pm	Parent Consultations (details to follow)
Friday 25 th Oct	School closes for half term holiday at 3pm
Monday 4 th Nov	School open
Friday 15 th Nov	Tempest Individual Photographs
Thursday 28 th Nov	Year 2 trip to Ufton Court (details to follow)
Tuesday 17 th Dec 10am	Nativity (details to follow)
Wednesday 18 th Dec 1.45pm	Nativity (details to follow)
Friday 20 th Dec	School closes for Christmas Holidays at 1pm
Monday 6 th Jan	School open

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Mrs Julie Matton
Headteacher

