

Week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> November

## Maths

The focus this week has been on 2D shapes and their properties. We have explored how many sides and vertices a 2D shape has, before moving on to learn about lines of symmetry.



## English

Over the next few weeks we will be focusing on the story of 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. This week we listened to the story, then role played it before drawing a story map and changing some key features of the story. We also identified what a verb is, and the verbs used in the story,

## Science

We have begun to learn about materials and their properties; first we explored our school looking at various objects and completing a table to explain what materials we found on each object.

## PE

On Wednesday we began to learn about tag rugby and on Thursday we focused on Dance.



## Topic

This week we learnt about Nelson Mandela and his role in South Africa. We watched a PowerPoint and then completed a writing activity about him.

## Reading Roundabout

We watched the clip of Michael Rosen talk about 'Chocolate Cake', which we all thoroughly enjoyed. This was followed by activities based on poems. In groups, with our class teacher, we discussed various poems in greater depth.

## Reward

The reward this week was to use the parachute outside, playing 'fruit salad' and 'popcorn'.