

Snapshots of the Week

This week, the children explored **microhabitats** in science, focusing on **log piles and rock pools**. They learnt what a microhabitat is, discovered the living things that can be found there, and enjoyed creating their own microhabitats. In Art, the children explored **repeating patterns**, using paint, ink and everyday objects to create a range of colourful and creative prints.

Maths

This week in Maths, the children have been comparing numbers using the language **greater than (>)**, **less than (<)**, and **equal to (=)**. They have also been learning to **partition numbers into tens and ones** using a **part-whole model**, helping them to understand place value and see how numbers can be broken down into smaller parts.

Little Wandle Handwriting



We are focusing on letter formation and handwriting in Year 2. This week, Magpies have practiced writing the letters:

j u y m n r

We have then applied writing words and challenged ourselves to also write a sentence.

Looking Ahead to Next Week

Next week, the children will be learning about **India**, exploring different traditions and finding out about the foods people eat, the homes they live in, and the transport they use. In Art, the children will be using **polystyrene** to create and print their own repeating patterns inspired by their learning.



How you can help your child at home

Reading at home is a great way to support your child's learning and confidence. Just a few minutes each day sharing a book, practising phonics or talking about a story can help develop their reading skills, vocabulary and understanding. Most importantly, it can be a fun and enjoyable time to learn together.



Notices

We now have our lunch ordering system up and running!

Please ensure you order your child's lunch on the MCAS app and let them know in the morning what they are having, this will help reduce any worry at lunch time.