

Our book focus this week is:

Dragon Post (week 2)

# This week in Reception Class...

## 27<sup>th</sup> April 2026

In maths the children have continued to consolidate their understanding of what makes numbers 11 to 20 e.g. 10 and 1 makes 11. We have been printing Numicon numbers to help support this.

During COOL Time the children have been making number cities, by carefully counting cubes.

During painting the children helped each other to put on their overalls and do them up. Great teamwork! In we continued with athletics and focused on underarm and overarm throwing for accuracy.

In RE this week, we were learning that a special place for Christians is a church. We have a church in Blakedown St James the Great, which we visit frequently for worship. We looked at some of the things we might find in a church like a lectern, pews, an altar and a font. Not all churches look the same some are very modern but some are very old like our church. We thought about how Christians pray, sing hymns and read the Bible in church.



The children have enjoyed making adaptations to their dragon masks from last week or even making a new one, sharing the ideas of others.

After using Numicon to make numbers 11-20, the children explored other images and pictures they could make by using Numicon.

This week the children have been enjoying playing Snakes and Ladders. The children have been working hard to show resilience, share and think about the views of others.

The children have also enjoyed sharing their understanding of hygiene from their experiences on the farm.

The children have been telling Mrs. Nash about their trip to Churchfields Farm and describing the lovely activities that took place.

During COOL Time, they have been using codes to help them record then sound talk and blend words.

In Literacy the children have been making postcards to send to friends and family members. They have been writing about their visit to Churchfields Farm. We used photographs from the trip to help them to make simple sentences. The most popular activity at the farm was feeding the lambs and tasting ice cream!

C of EL This week we have observed the class...

From their trip to the farm, making link in their experiences .