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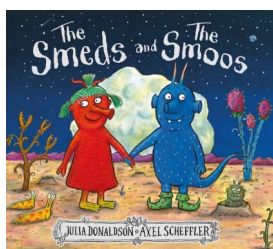
Welcome to the Moss Bury News. In this week's edition, we will be finding out about the learning happening in Nursery and Reception.



## What we've been up to...

This half term in Nursery we are learning all about the author Julia Donaldson, each week we will be learning about a new story. This week is the story of 'The Smeds and The Smoos' which is set on a far-off planet. In the story there are a selection of rockets, so we thought we would have a go at creating our own using some junk modelling! We wrapped our boxes in special space foil and then used other recycled materials to decorate them making sure we added the windows for the passengers. Our rockets are going to be hung in our 'Space Station' role play so that the astronauts can study them.

Nursery are always in need of junk modelling resources, so if you have any at home, please bring them in.





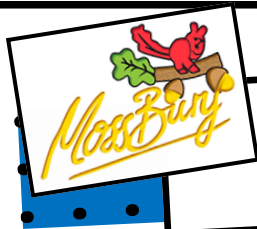
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Reception have been learning about animals this term, and this week they have been focusing on the story "Night Monkey, Day Monkey" by Julia Donaldson. They have learned all about different types of creatures and have been doing lots of sorting of nocturnal and diurnal animals. The children have been working really hard to find out information about some nocturnal animals and have written fact files about foxes, badgers, owls and bats in Literacy. They also found out about some of the hottest places in the world and looked in particular at Africa and compared it to life in England.





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Yesterday, Year 4 in Cedar and Maple took part in their Multiplication Tables Check. We will hear of the results in the coming weeks but we are incredibly proud of the way that they conducted themselves in the run-up to and during the check. They were so calm and collected! Well done to all of Year 4 - you are all amazing!

On Friday, we held a Family Support coffee morning; thank you to those parents who attended.

We would like to run some more of these and thought that it might be a good chance to give them a focus about something that you feel you would need support with. If you have an idea of something that you would like some more information on, can you email [emma.skinner@mossbury.herts.sch.uk](mailto:emma.skinner@mossbury.herts.sch.uk) with your suggestions. These could be topics such as anxiety, transition, behaviour and mental health.

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