## Mrs Madden's Class News Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2025

This week we finished our Lunar New Year work. The children made more lovely lanterns using a collage technique. They practised their counting skills with Chinese themed pictures.

In PE this week, we've been practising our dance skills and had our third 'Bikeability' session. The children practised pushing and gliding with both feet off the ground and tried to glide confidently for several bike lengths. They then played 'Grandmother's Footsteps' on their bikes, they had to apply their brakes when Miss Donaldson and Mrs Hampshire turned around. Mrs Hampshire brought her bike in and took her pedals off to make it easier to demonstrate balancing skills – that's dedication for you!

The children have been very creative with the ramps, cars and balls both inside and outside. They even made horse jumps so we got hobby horses out for them!

We have emersed ourselves in number play this week, we had fun with numbers in water play and were lucky enough to have some huge helium numbers to enhance our provision.

Next week we have are having a week of LOVE activities to celebrate St Valentine's Day!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend! Mrs Madden ☺