

Foundation

The children have been thinking about how houses were different in the past compared to now. On the 5th of May the children enjoyed celebrating Japan's Children's Day (こどもの日) by making koi carp, enjoying origami, playing some outside games and doing some baking.

In Maths this week, the children have been learning that to subtract means to take some away and have been creating and recording subtraction calculations in their books. In order to continue this learning at home, take 20 small objects (counters, small world figures, pasta shells etc). Cover them up with a cloth and then ask your child to take some away. Then invite your child to work out how many there are left. Encourage them to try to tell you how they found out the answer. Repeat taking away a different amount.

Next week, the children will be learning about things that happened a very long time ago by finding out about dinosaurs. To support this learning, please help your child learn a fact about a dinosaur to share with their class. Our words of the week will be omnivore, carnivore and herbivore. We look forward to welcoming the parents of FCSH to their child's class assembly on Wednesday.

Best wishes,

The Foundation Team