

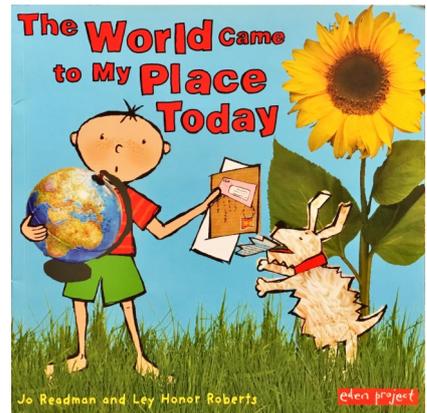


FS & KS1 School Year 2 Newsletter Week 12 ~ 22nd November 2018



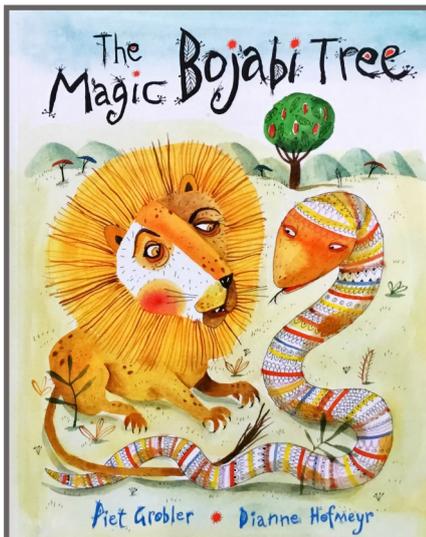
Theme: *It's a Wild World: Africa!* **Science Topic:** *Animals including Humans and Plants*
Term 1.2 Learning Challenge: *Super Foods for Super Species! Which superfoods do we grow in Egypt and Africa?*

Which plants from Egypt can we add to the book 'The World Came to my Place Today'? We learned the basics of globalization by finding out where the plants used to make food and goods come from using the text 'The World Came to my Place Today'. We saw that foods in our house come from all over the world! We used our geography skills to locate countries and continents where foods and goods come from. Our Learning Challenge now is to use our research skills to add a page to the book showcasing foods and goods which are made from plants in Egypt and are exported around the world!



How you can help us with our Learning Challenge at home: Do a 'stocktake' of your kitchen. Read labels carefully to find out where things were made. **Homework:** 'Did the world come to my place today?' Record the findings of your kitchen stocktake showing foods and goods you have at home which are made in other countries, and those made in Egypt. Draw pictures or take photos to include or to show to your class!

English ~ Stories from other cultures ~ The Magic Bojabi Tree



We continued reading this text, working up to writing our own retelling of the tale. Our writing focus was on types of sentences and how the grammatical patterns in a sentence indicate its function. We know a sentence can be a simple statement, a command, an exclamation, or a question.

Homework: CGP Grammar Book **page 8**
Types of Sentences and **page 27** *The Soft g sound.*

Maths ~ Place Value

We have been revising key points from Maths this term. These include ordinal numbers and place value - knowing how to break 2-digit numbers down into tens and ones.

Homework: Race Positions, Tens and Ones, Coin Challenge!

*Keep working on
Mathletics for
revision also.*

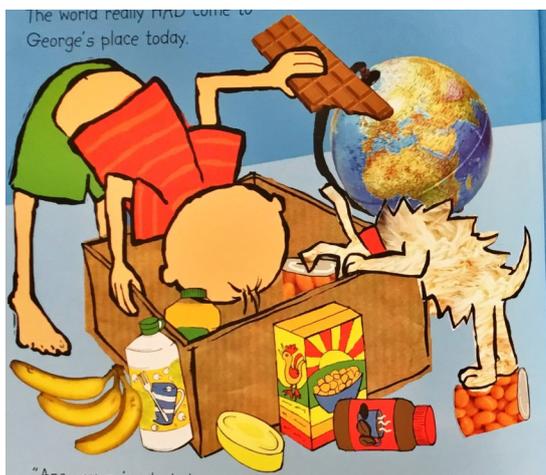


Spelling Project ~ Writing to a Hundred Practice!

We continue this week writing number words from *eighty-one* to *ninety*.

Did the World Come to My Place Today?

With an adult take a look at some of the food items in your kitchen, ideally those that come from **plants**. These can be fresh but you might also find them in tins, jars and bottles. Can you tell where these things are made? Try and find food from Egypt and from other countries around the world and report your findings on the table below. Can you find any other household goods which are derived from plants? Have fun!

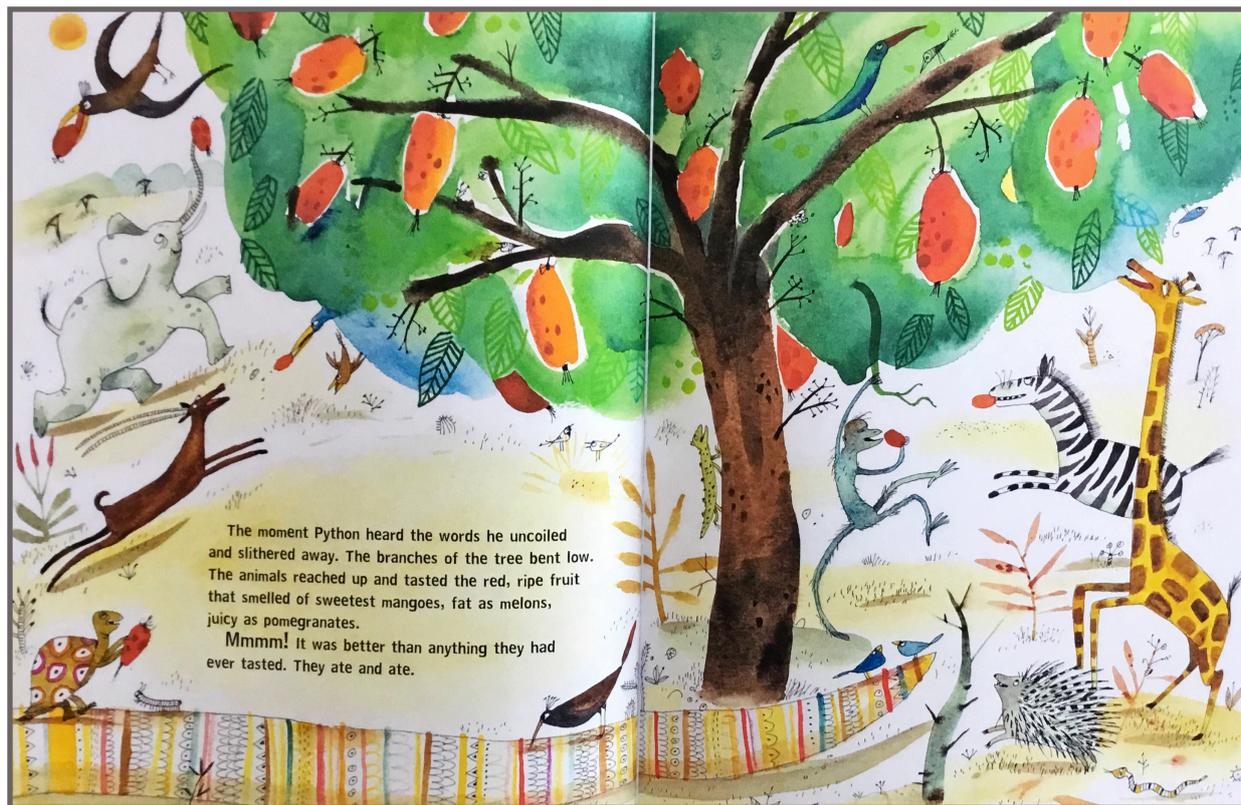


Examples from the text, *The World Came to My Place Today*.

Item Name	Country it Comes From (name the plant if you know it too)

You are welcome to list more on another sheet of paper from home! ☺

Reading the Magic Bojabi Tree has definitely got us thinking about fruit! So much so that we would like to make a fruit dish at school next week.....



The moment Python heard the words he uncoiled and slithered away. The branches of the tree bent low. The animals reached up and tasted the red, ripe fruit that smelled of sweetest mangoes, fat as melons, juicy as pomegranates.
Mmmm! It was better than anything they had ever tasted. They ate and ate.

Request from home:

We are planning on enjoying a fruit dish at school next week to celebrate The Magic Bojabi Tree. We need each child to bring some fruit to school. Your child's class teacher will discuss the type of fruit they may like to bring, and children will note their choices here:

I would like to bring:

I need to bring my fruit on (day):

Do I need to cut or peel my fruit before I bring it to school?

Race positions

1 Have a race with five people. Complete the table by writing each name and their position word.

Position	Word	Name
	first	
		
		
		
		

Tens and ones

2 Write and draw coins to show the 10ps and 1ps in each amount.

	10ps	1ps	Drawing
13p	1	3	
48p			
90p			
87p			
6p			

Coin challenge!

3 Draw coins to make 68p.



Can you make 68p in another way?
Think of a few different ways.

Use 50p, 20p, 10p, 5p, 2p and 1p coins.



I found this:

Easy
 Challenging
 I needed help

Writing to a Hundred Practice

 Look and say 	 Look, say and write 	 Cover and write
eighty-one		
eighty-two		
eighty-three		
eighty-four		
eighty-five		
eighty-six		
eighty-seven		
eighty-eight		
eighty-nine		
ninety		