

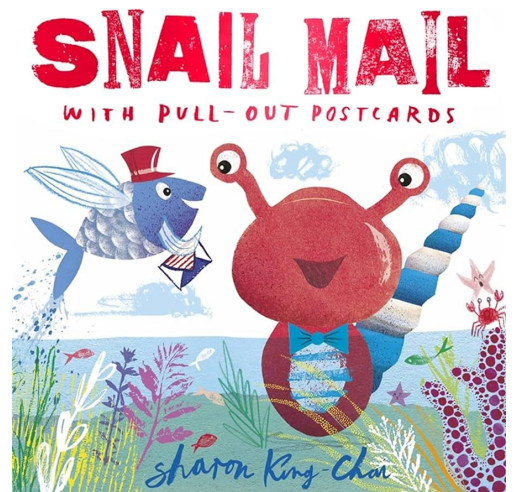
# Peek at the Week



## Snail Mail

We have been around the world this week. We have been to a few countries and learned some facts about them, such as major sports or landmarks. We were even taught some yoga by a yoga instructor. We have made flags from the different countries, which took a lot of concentration. We read the book *Snail Mail* by Sharon King Chai. Big snail brother Tiger visits different countries and always remembers to send his little snail brother, Sam, a postcard with some fun facts about where he has been. He travelled to Brazil, The US, India, Japan and France. They have danced the samba and made pom poms to shake in the air. They have enjoyed learning some facts about the different countries.

In Maths we have continued to practise adding numbers together to make a total as well as lots of other maths that we have learned this year, in our Maths Meetings.





## Yoga



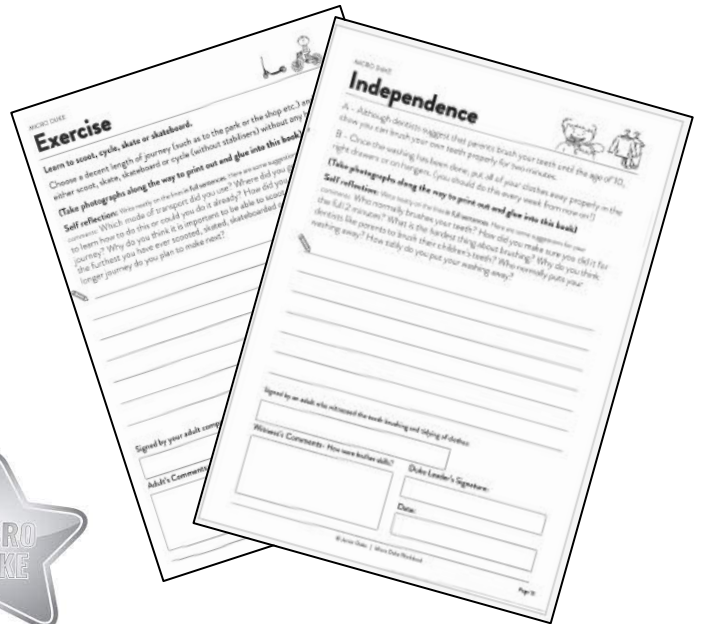
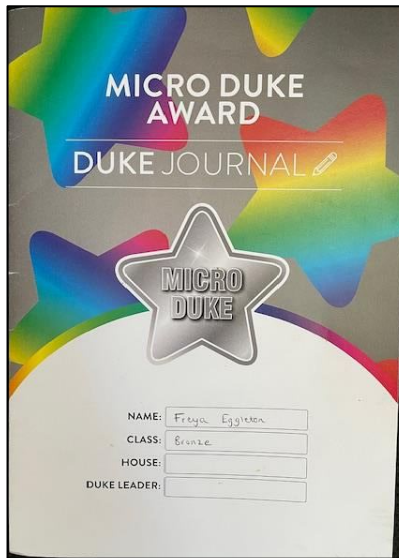
We were very lucky to have Yoga sessions with Martina this week! The children really enjoyed taking part and learning some nice breathing techniques.

Martina runs Yoga Club sessions here at Dorchester. She offers both a morning and after school session. If you would be interested in signing your child up for Yoga for Year 1, please use the link below:

<https://www.martinahriesikyoga.com/>



# Micro Duke Award



Each week, we will send two challenges from the Micro Duke book, for the children to complete at home. If you would like to complete more than 2 a week, please let your class teacher know and we will email you more challenges.

The Micro Duke is an award aimed at helping children become more independent and confident in dealing with new situations.

If you complete the award, you will receive a badge and a certificate and will be able to attend the **Micro Duke Celebration Party on Wednesday 17th July at 2:45 pm!**

We will send the challenges on School Comms. If anyone would like the challenges or your child's photos printed out at school, please let your class teacher know.

We are aware that some children are completing the challenges using the booklet but we are also aware that some families cannot locate their booklets so we are going to help.

This week we are sending **Presentation** and **Speed Dressing**

**7 challenges are needed to complete the award.**

**Closing date for this year is 8th July.**

**Please consider taking part - the children who are doing it are so proud of their achievements.**

## Mystery Reader

If you would like to volunteer as mystery reader before the school year finishes please talk to or email your class teacher.

**Remember to not tell your child so it is a nice surprise!**



## Early Birds - Summer Home Learning Ideas

Tuesday 2 July - 8:30am - 9:15am

Come with your child in the morning and join them in different activities. This may give you some ideas of things to do with them in the Summer Holidays.

## Important Dates

**FODS Summer Fair:** Saturday 29th June 12pm-3pm

**Trip to Bocketts Farm Park:** Tuesday 9th July

**Micro Duke Celebration Party:** Wednesday 17th July  
2:45pm

**Last day of term:** Tuesday 23rd July - 1:30pm finish

## Water play and Spare Clothes

The children are having so much fun playing with water in the sunny weather, which has finally arrived. However, we only have a small amount of school spare clothes. Please make sure your child has spare clothes in school - including pants and socks. Sometimes they have so much fun, they get wet again, so if you need to send two sets, please do :-).



## Contacts

If you would like to contact any of us by email. We will reply as soon as possible within school working hours.

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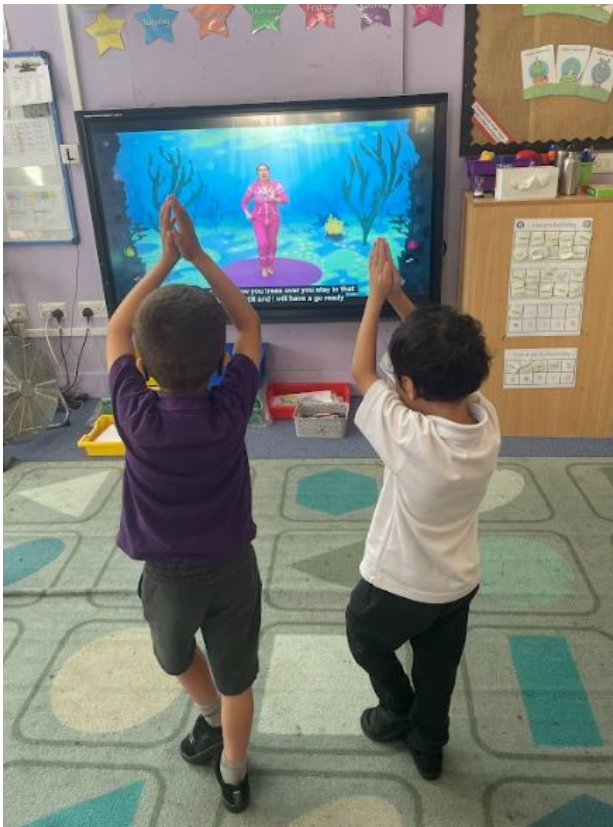
Please share these photographs with your children and encourage them to tell you what they have learnt this week.



The children took their yoga moves very seriously! Can you remember what they are called?



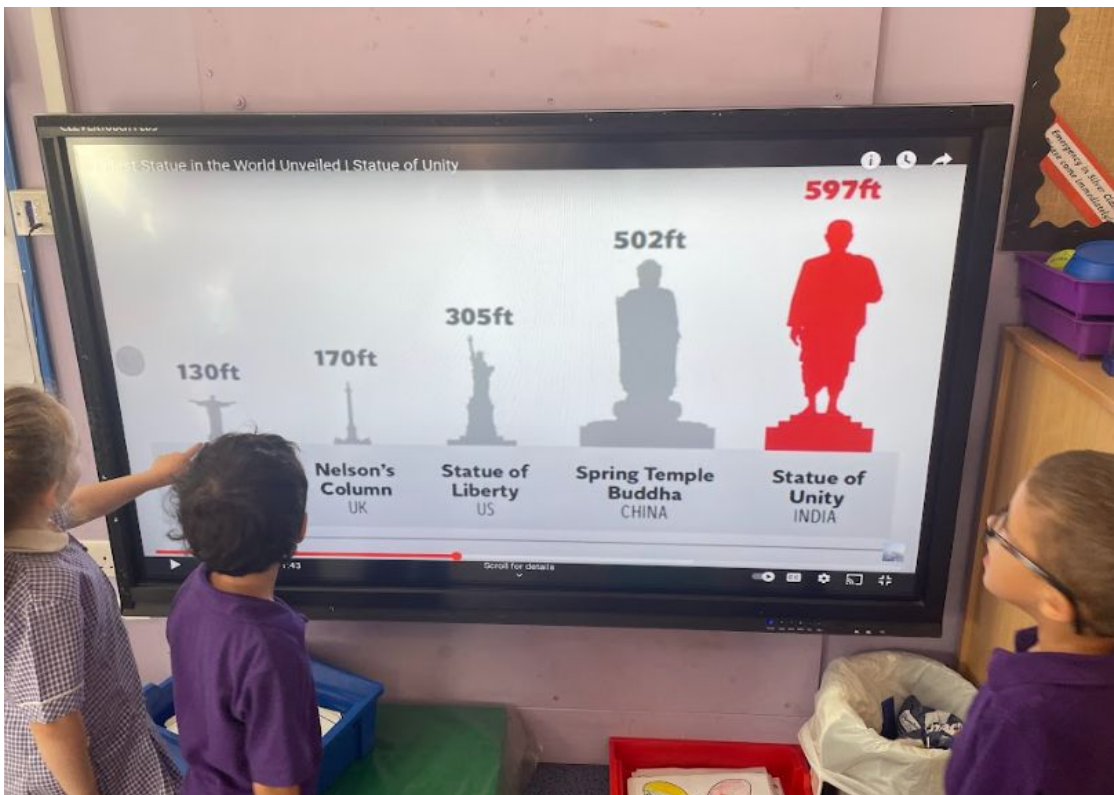
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What Yoga positions did you like doing this week?



What did we feed the butterflies?



Can you remember the name of the statue that is found in New York?

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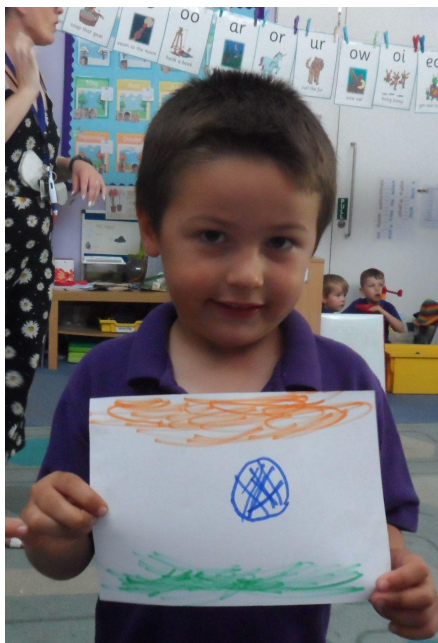
**What was your favourite country to learn about and why?**



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Did you make pompoms for our Samba dancing? How did you make them? Which flags have the children made?



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What have you made this week? Did you make something on your own or with your friends?

