

Week beginning 26<sup>th</sup> January 2026

### Some Beech Class Updates

**Maths:** On Wednesday morning, our task was to gather the maths equipment for the lesson. The children had 5 minutes to explore the equipment and show their understanding of some things they have been learning. That was all the guidance... what a joy! Here's a snippet of the magic that unfolded. What wonderful connection makers and mathematicians:



**Phonics and spelling:** We continue to focus on a sound/ spelling pattern within each year group, every week. As part of this, the children also have dictation and grammar lessons. We have been impressed with everyone's work ethic this week.



**Geography:** This week, we learned about Jamaica. The children in Beech love looking at the world map and recalling locations and place names. We often here about some of the wonderful places they have visited or where their parents have lived. Please do continue to share this with them, it supports them making connections in their learning.



**PE:** Mrs. Benjamin led our PE sessions this week and noted the progress being made in gymnastics. She was super impressed!

#### Updates and reminders:

- Homework will continue to go out every Friday and should be returned by the following Thursday.
- Please read at home as often as possible and keep a record in your child's reading journal.
- PE takes place on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs. Oliveira