



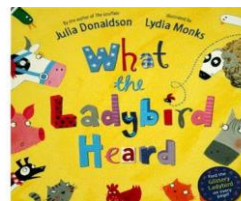
# Reading Gives You Wings

## Kingfisher Class - Term 1

It has been a joy to welcome back all the children in Kingfisher Class! We have been busy learning and having fun all at the same time. We have been Flying HIGH in "My Learning Time" completing Rainbow Challenges across the curriculum.



Our theme for this term has been "Reading Gives You Wings" and we have focussed our learning this term around the author Julia Donaldson, in particular the stories of The Snail and the Whale, What the Ladybird Heard and The Scarecrows' Wedding. We have gone on a story trail to find many of the books she has written and learned all about her life on our WOW Day to end the term.



We have used the books to learn about prediction, retelling stories using rhyme and actions, using adjectives in our writing and sequencing instructions.



We have also been revising and using our Phonics and reading daily.





In Maths we have been learning our Number Bonds



to 10 and using Part Part Whole Models to partition numbers and add them together.

In Science we have been tracking weather patterns, learning about day and night and the seasons. We even made our own shadow puppets and investigated making shadows using torches.



On Thursday's we have loved getting outside and enjoying Forest School, building dens, examining signs of Autumn and making collages with natural things we have found.



In Art we have made our own clay snails or ladybugs and paper collages in the style of Henri Matisse.



Ask us about our learning! ☺