## Tarka Class - Home learning week ending 30th April

**Topic:** In art, we will be focussing on the Pop Artwork of Roy Lichtenstein. The children enjoyed talking about their favourite pieces from Lichtenstein's Pop Art collection. They were very good at commenting on the colours and patterns in his paintings. We experimented with the dotty technique using felt tip pens. The children loved making mini aeroplanes out of pegs and lolly sticks this week. ©

**English:** We recapped what nouns are and looked closely at the noun phrases in Mrs Armitage and The Big Wave. We had a go at building our own noun phrases using words on different coloured cards and then wrote our own noun phrases – giving extra information about the noun.

**Maths:** The children have impressed us with their counting in 10s and 2s this week and their ability to solve problems involving multiplication and division. We are now working on counting in 5s. We also started to look at arrays this week and make our own arrays with counters. The children were good at identifying the columns and rows and talking about the difference between them.

Home learning: Our focus author for this half term is Emily Gravett. Take a look on her <u>website</u> and talk to your child about which of her books we have read at school this week. Have you got any Emily Gravett books at home?