Barum 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 verbs are and using coloured cards for nouns, verbs and adverbial phrases we discovered that sentences must have a verb and a noun in order to make sense. We have practised writing adverbial phrases similar to the ones in our story 'The Dragon Machine' and have started to write a new version of the story together.

Maths: This week we started to look at arrays, making our own arrays with counters and drawing them to help solve multiplication problems. 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?