



### Tarka Class - Home learning week ending 17<sup>th</sup> March

On Tuesday afternoon, we were very lucky to have a taster session with some instructors from Tarka Tennis. The children had lots of fun playing games and attempting challenges with a tennis racket. There is information about another free taster session at the Tarka Tennis Centre at the end of the homework.

Tarka class have loved being authors this week! They had a go at writing instructions on *How to Wash a Hairy Chimpanzee*. They read their writing back and thought about what they could improve.

We listened to a classical piece of music, ['Mars' for 'The Planets' by Gustav Holst](#). The children drew how the music made them feel and considered how the dynamics (volume) and tempo (speed) changes throughout the music. They also thought about the instruments they could see and hear in the video and enjoyed drawing and labelling them.

The children worked hard on special cards and writing for Mother's Day.

**Home learning:** In preparation to make their moving toys next week, the children have bought home a list of materials they need to collect. Please rummage in recycling/craft boxes and send in as much as you can to support your child's design. **Please send in a named carrier bag.** School is providing the wheels, axels and chassis for each child. The materials you send in will help your child to make the top part of their toy design.

**Reading:** Please try to keep up your reading five times a week! Remember, it can be as little as 5 minutes a day 😊

Have a restful weekend and enjoy Mothering Sunday 😊

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