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### **Tarka class learning**

This week the children all practised their writing skills in our shared write. They wrote about their lives in the style of This is How We Do It. Year 1 focussed on using capital letters for names of people and places, as well as at the start of their sentences. They also used appropriate adjectives to describe nouns in their sentences. Year 2 used expanded noun phrases and commas in a list to separate names of people they live with or items they wear to school.

In maths, we have been measuring mass. Year 2 weighed objects using grams, year 1 measured using non-standard units (cubes) and explained how many cubes an object weighed. The pupils also had a go at estimating which container has the greatest capacity and tested their predictions.

Year 1 planned a science experiment, predicting and explaining the best materials to protect an egg. They're excited to test this out next week! In geography, the year 2 pupils taught the year 1 children about the equator, North and South Pole. They explained the closer a place is to the equator, the hotter it is. We looked at daily weather patterns in the UK and started to compare this to the weather pattern in Uganda.

### **Home Learning Task:**

Ask your grown up to help you click on this link and practise ordering the coconuts.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/coconut-ordering>

Yr1: Choose 'Numbers' and click up to 20 (or up to 100)

Yr2s: Choose 'Mass' and click up to 100g (for a challenge order up to 1000g)

We have noticed that a few yr2 children are reading the 13 Story Treehouse series of books. If you enjoy these books, you might also be interested in these suggestions:

[Best children's books - Branching Out: Books for Fans of the Treehouse Series](#)



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