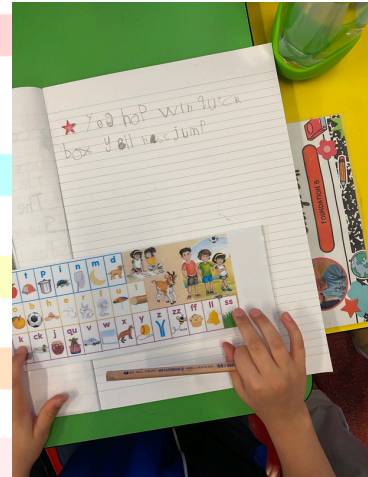


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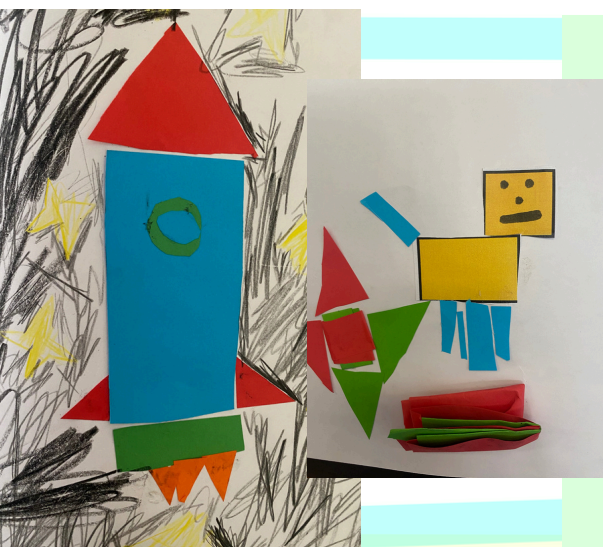
Literacy Update

In literacy, we continue to power on with learning new phonemes and are practicing reading these in words. Students have shown increased confidence during dictation session where they practice spelling words using these new phonemes such as /w/, /x/, /y/, /z/. Introducing a basic sound chart to students has assisted them to make correct grapheme choices.



Numeracy Update

Students continued their shape work and were able to sort shapes into groups based on their characteristics. We also identified that objects can be made of many shapes and made shape animals and rockets!



Skill in Focus

Heart Words- High-Frequency Words that are irregularly spelled are called "Heart Words". Students have been exposed to many new "Heart Words" and are becoming increasingly better at reading these with confidence. They may not make sense if a student was to try and decode them which is why we need to know them by heart. Some examples are *the*, *she*, *too*.

