



6th October 2017

AMAZING MAIZE



Mrs Middleton brought us a huge maize plant and lots of cobs from her farm. The children were fascinated with them and had great fun taking the cobs apart to see what was inside. They then used the cobs like rolling pins, dipping them in paint and printing lots of bright autumn colours. To finish off their amazing maize time, the children helped to make (and eat!) popcorn. It was very exciting waiting for the pops!



FARMER FRED'S PUMPKINS



On Wednesday morning we had a big parcel waiting for us. After much shaking and guessing, it turned out to be two pumpkins from Farmer Fred! We explored whether or not the pumpkins would float and the children were all surprised when they did because they were so heavy. The children had great squishy fun scooping out the pumpkins and then they chopped up lots of vegetables to make soup. It was lovely having so many friends and family in to taste it with us.



I'm a little pumpkin,
Orange and round.
Here's my stem,
I grew in the ground.
When I get all cut up,
Don't you shout!
Just open me up,
And scoop me out!



Have a good weekend.
The Early Years Team