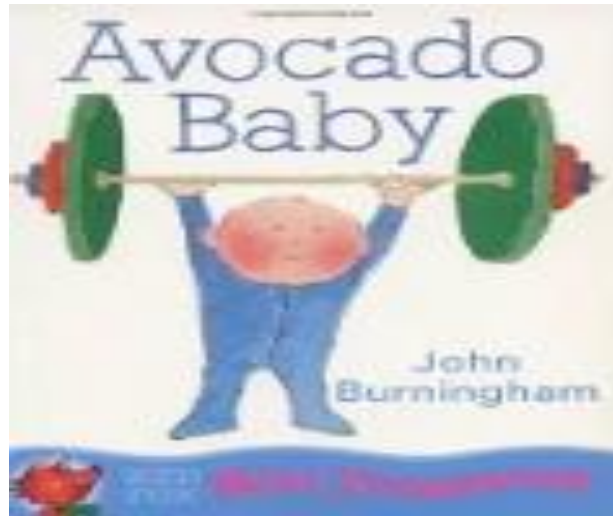


## **Eaglets Book Blog 14.10.22**



Welcome to Eaglets' Class Book Blog. We have been reading Avocado Baby by John Burningham during our English sessions on a Friday.

"Avocado Baby" is an entertaining and funny story about a hero, but not an ordinary one but a special hero because it is just a baby. A baby that can stand up against the bullies; a baby who would help with shopping and helps with much heavier and more dangerous jobs such as moving furniture and frightening away the burglars. The most interesting is the fact that this baby's strength is caused by eating avocado pears. At the beginning of the story, the baby is an extremely fussy eater and does not want to try anything until one day a mysterious avocado appears in the fruit bowl and the baby gets an opportunity to taste an avocado pear which then becomes its

main meal and suddenly the baby gains super strength.

This book is a perfect resource for a story time. The fabulous pictures and interesting adventures of the baby make it an engaging read. It can also be used as an introduction to the lesson on various fruits and vegetables and leads to a discussion on healthy eating.

Eaglets thoroughly enjoyed listening to the story and found it very funny, a book full of humour which made them laugh throughout the whole of the story. The pictures are clear and very well drawn which captivates the reader's imagination, helping the story to come alive.

We talked about our favourite part of the story, this is what some of the children said -

Leo said, "I liked the bit where the baby threw the bullies into the duck pond."

Hattie said, "It was funny when the baby chased the burglar with the broom."

Nolan said, "I like the story because it was so funny."

Rory said, "I liked it because the baby wanted to help his family." We talked about the word protect and how the baby wanted to protect the family.

Lucas E said, "I love this story because it is so funny. I want to get it for my house. I will ask my mum."

We hope that you have enjoyed our blog, Eaglets highly recommend this book for the younger reader and give it 10/10.