Monday Maths 2 and 3 Star

Draw a table like the one below, using a ruler to complete your Maths today.

Item	Estimate	Actual Amount	Difference
4 Pints of Milk			
Punnet of Strawberries			
32" Television			
Bunk Bed			

Write in your estimates and then look at the attached sheet for the Actual Amounts.

Now you have filled in the actual amounts have a go at working out the difference between your estimate and the actual cost.

To do this find the largest number of the 2 amounts and subtract it from the smaller one.
For example: If I thought a dozen eggs cost £3.50 and the actual amount was £2.40 the calculation I would do is:
£3.50 - £2.40
I could convert this into p as I know 100p is in a £ - so
350p -240p = 110p or £1.10

Which amount was cheaper the estimate or the actual amount?

NEXT CHALLENGE:
Pick 3 of your favourite toys/games, like above estimate how much you think they cost. Find out the actual amount by asking a parent or maybe searching on the internet.

3***- Work out the difference for these amounts and use a + to indicate if the actual amount was more expensive than your estimate and a - if the actual amount was less than your estimate.

Now go and say a great big Thank You to your parents/carers for providing you with such fab toys/games!