

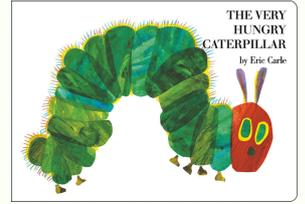
CLASS LK



We hope that you all enjoyed a lovely Easter break and made the most of the sunshine!

Our topic for this half term is:

MARVELLOUS MINIBEASTS



Communication/ Language

We will share our Easter holiday news and work on talking in full sentences and in the correct tense. e.g. the use of past tense words such as 'I went' or 'I saw'. The children will learn new vocabulary linked to our topic, e.g. names of minibeasts, life cycle, chrysalis, symmetrical, insect.

Mathematics

This term we will develop subitising skills, knowing when to subitise (smaller amounts) & when to count (larger amounts).

We will also practise verbal counting from different numbers and also practical counting of up to 20 objects. We will explore numbers 9 and 10 and the composition of 10 (finding different ways of making 10).

PSED

Our Jigsaw lessons this half term will focus on 'Relationships' and how to build positive relationships with family and friends. We will reflect on our values of kindness and respect.

Homework

Please could you encourage your child to practise reading their Read Write Inc. books regularly? We will also continue to send a library book to share each week (for you to read and enjoy with your child). Please make sure book bags are brought in every Friday for book changing day.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Literacy

Our focus story will be 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle. We will also use non-fiction books to learn more about minibeasts. We will develop writing skills by writing lists, drawing and labelling minibeasts, and making simple non-fiction books about them. We will encourage children to write in super sentences with capital letters and full stops.

Understanding the World

The children will learn the names of different minibeasts. They will compare their similarities and differences, thinking about what they look like, how they move, and where they live.

R.E.

We will continue to share well known Bible stories including 'The Good Samaritan'.

We will also begin to learn The Lord's Prayer.

Expressive Arts

The children will look carefully at minibeasts and draw them. Then we will use paint/ crayons to add colour to our pictures. We will also use pastels to create pictures of flowers/ fruits.

Physical development

P.E. lessons will focus on the unit: 'Physical Skills'. Children will work on moving confidently in different ways, developing coordination and improving ball skills.

Thank you!

Thank you for your voluntary contributions in our money box.

This helped us to provide Easter craft activities and baking ingredients to make chocolate nests and gingerbread men.