



Cornerstones

Summer Term 1 Curriculum Information

Foundation Stage

Classroom provision:

Role play area-Campsite

Reading corner- Our favourite characters

Outdoor area- Mini beast hotels

Investigation area- Mini beast and magnifiers

Wow Moment:

Caterpillar keeping

Our topic is: Why do ladybirds have spots?

Key class information:

PE Day: PE is now on Weds and Friday (outdoor kit now needed please)

Homework: Sent out Friday, due in Tuesday

Please remember to put your child's book and reading record in the tray for it to be changed.

ENGAGE PHASE:

During this phase the children will:

- Take part in a bug hunt around school
- Learn out different mini beasts and their habitats
- Learn lots of new vocabulary such as the names of different mini beasts

DEVELOP PHASE:

During this phase the children will:

- Look after our own pet caterpillars
- Learn about life cycles
- Re-plant our garden
- Explore different textures
- Practice ball skills in P.E.
- Make clay mini beasts

INNOVATE PHASE:

During this phase the children will:

- Take care of class caterpillars
- Create new habitats in our outdoor area
- Develop a fact file about their favourite mini beast
- Go pond dipping

EXPRESS PHASE:

During this phase the children will:

- Make their own mini beasts hotel.
- Go on an exciting trip to Rutland Water and take part in a habitat day.

English skills

Reading simple sentences
 Writing own captions and labels
 Linking sounds to letters of the alphabet
 Forming letters correctly
 Showing an understanding of what they have read.

Maths skills

Number bonds to ten
 Addition
 Subtraction
 Doubling and halving

Homework Tasks

Home reading books.
 Phonics homework will be sent out on Thursdays and due in on Tuesdays.

Celebration Event:

School trip