



This term our topic is Minibeasts

Topic - We will be learning about insects and bugs! We will be using lots of books to aid our learning. We will also use the iPads and laptops to help discover our information. We will read the story books 'The Very Lazy Ladybird' 'The Bad Tempered Ladybird' 'Spinderella' 'Slug Needs a Hug' and many more! If children have any minibeast related books/photos etc to share with the class please bring them in.

Maths - In Mathematics we will continue to cover the Early Learning Goal Objectives: To count reliably with numbers from one to 20, place them in order and say which number is one more or one less than a given number. Use quantities and objects to add and subtract two single-digit numbers and count on or back to find the answer. Solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.

Phonics - In Phonics and Literacy we will be using all the sounds we know to read lots of stories and begin to write our own. Please remember to read your school reading book as often as you can to earn stickers for your sticker chart. Please make sure reading books and the record book are in school each day.

Home learning packs - Please can these be returned to school on Friday 28th June. Please ensure everything is put back in the pack on this date ready to be checked at school.

Every Tuesday morning, we will have Mrs Wilson teach us Religious Education and Music.

Collective Worship - This term the theme of Collective Worship is 'Responsibility' children who are seen to be showing this value will be nominated to receive the Tully Cup on a Friday.

TOPIC HOMEWORK - This term our topic is Minibeasts. For your project this term research different insects, you might find out information, make a poster, draw a picture, write a sentence about it or make a 3D model. The choice is yours! Please bring in your finished projects before **Friday 12th July**. Homework projects are shown to the whole school in Friday assemblies. They will also be placed on display in our classroom!

Don't Forget...

- Our PE day is **Friday** this term, please ensure kits are in school on this day. This term we will be learning to ride balance bikes. PE kit should include - t-shirt, shorts, plimsolls, socks, joggers, jacket/jumper and trainers. Earrings must be removed or covered and long hair tied back.
- You can come in your own clothes on your Birthday! If your Birthday falls at a weekend or in the holidays, choose the day closest to your birthday.
- Please label **all** uniform and PE kit - including shoes and coats.
- Children can bring a named water bottle in each day to access throughout the day - **only water in these please.**

Wow Cards

Attached to this letter are 2 WOW cards please keep these safe. These cards are for you to fill in special moments you have observed your child achieve out of school. This could be learning to play a sport, achieving an award, writing independently or learning something new in Maths! Fill in the form and it will be placed on our WOW Wall in the classroom, please feel free to attach a photograph or the evidence of writing etc to accompany the WOW moment! When you run out, let us know and more can be sent home.

Reminders

Remember to bring a raincoat every day, we go outside **whatever the weather!!**

As the weather begins to get warmer please send your child with a named sun hat and sun cream.

Follow us on Twitter! - Our class has a Twitter page which is updated regularly with photos and information about what we have been learning. Our Twitter name is @YearRLea

Please do not hesitate to come and ask if you have any other queries or questions.

Many thanks

Miss Ward and the Reception Team

