

TOPIC

For our literacy we are focusing on stories related to the new topic "It's a bugs life!". This includes stories such as 'The very hungry caterpillar', 'Mad about Minibeasts', 'The very greedy bee', and many more exciting tales that grasp the children's interest. We will be using different writing formats such as writing frames, posters, labels, signing in forms and various other mark making resources. As an addition we shall continue with building upon pupils knowledge of simple sentence writing. This then continues with the mark making and reading opportunities allowing the children to use the learned sounds in Rocket Phonics. Our start six story this half term is "Duck in a Truck".

PSED

During the half term children will focus on an in-depth understanding of how to communicate with others and build the independent skills required in social situations. This will be linked with the Jig-Saw strategies we introduce to the pupils. This half term we shall be informing pupils of how to be a 'Healthy Me'.

ENGLISH

This half term we are learning how to letters as well as writing phrases and simple sentences independently.

MATHEMATICS

We shall continue learning about our numbers this term and begin familiarising ourselves with vocabulary in regards to subtraction, as well as number problems. There will be a continuous focus on counting; using the correct methods and resources to express reasoning; identifying teen numbers; and focus on identifying counting in groups of two, fives, tens and threes!

Homework

Please read the book given to your child on the weekend and return on a Monday for pupils to change once completed.



Reading.

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home and sign their reading record. Reading books and other school resources should be brought back into school every day.

