



# Reception Curriculum News

## Summer 1 2024



Our topic is 'Minibeasts'. We will be learning about all the different insects and bugs, such as worms, centipedes, caterpillars and bees.

### Personal Social Emotional Development

This term we are focusing on relationships.

We will be discussing all our different families and where we live. We will also be looking at how we can be a good friend and take care of others. We aim to be the best friends we can be.

### Communication, Language and Literacy

This term we will be sharing all our knowledge on minibeasts and sharing all the interesting facts that we know.

During this term we will encourage children to write short sentences and facts about all the insects they have learnt about. We are encouraging children to say the sentence out loud and write the sounds that they can hear.

### Mathematics

In maths we are exploring and describing 3D shapes. We will be identifying cubes, cuboids, spheres, cones, prisms and pyramids.

We will also be looking at counting and building number to 20 and beyond.

### Understanding the World

This term we will be exploring the natural world around us and observing and drawing pictures of animals.

We will also be discussing life cycles and changes in the natural world.

### Expressive Arts and Design

This term we safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour design, texture, form and function.

### Reminders

- If you have any familiar reads or DI books at home could they please be returned?
- Please make sure your child's jumpers/cardigans have their name so they do not get misplaced.