Nursery Summer Half Term 1 Overview

Welcome

This half term Nursery will be learning about Minibeasts and Transport!

Mathematics

As mathematicians we will be counting and comparing minibeasts, legs, wings, wheels, transport etc and will be grouping and comparing numbers in different contexts. We will be learning the formation of numerals and will be writing or representing numbers. We will also continue to explore shapes, measures and the position of objects.

Communication and Language

Reading and Writing

As readers, we will be looking at fiction and non-fiction information about minibeasts and different types of transport. We will begin to learn the sounds that letters make. As speakers and listeners, we will be talking about what we observe and will be talking about our favourite things. As writers, we will be drawing, making marks and will be learning the formation of letters and writing our names.

Understanding the World and Exploring Art and Design

As Scientists, we will be learning about the life cycle of butterflies and will be asking questions about our natural world.
As Geographers, we will be learning about the insects in our natural environment. We will be exploring different modes of transport and where we might see them.
As Historians, we will explore how transport has changed over the years.
As Artists, we will be learning about how to mix colours and talk about the texture of things. We will be learning songs, making up dances and playing instruments.
As Designers, we will be learning about making transport and minibeasts with different materials.

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As sports people, we will be learning to use our bodies to move like insects as we climb, balance and run. We will also be thinking about the right balance of foods to eat and the importance of healthy eating, exercise, playing and sleeping.

PSED

As citizens, we will be learning about how to take care of living things in our environment. We will learn how to speak to others about our interests and about how our actions or words can hurt others' feelings.

Home Learning

As parents/carers you can support your child this term by talking, reading and playing regularly with your child, helping them practise their numbers and letter sounds. Encourage your child to write their name and other words significant to them. Go on bug hunts in your garden, the park or just on your way home. Walk to school if possible and promote the importance of healthy eating, exercise and sleep to keep our bodies healthy. Look at or even experience a range of transport such as cars, trains, buses, boats, planes etc and talk about their similarities and differences.