

Peek into next week Year 2

Things to know for next week:

- ★ Buttercup's class assembly will be on Friday 21st March. Parents of Buttercup Class are invited to stay for our Friday morning celebration assembly at 9am to watch. Your child will come home next week with a line to learn. Please encourage your child to practise their line at home, speaking loudly and clearly, in preparation for our assembly. Thank you.
- ★ Friday 21st March is also a non-uniform day, in return for Mother's Day shop donations. If your child is coming in with non-uniform, please donate something that would be suitable for our Mother's Day shop, where the children will then later be able to buy a gift for Mother's Day.
- ★ You should have received information via School Gateway about booking a Parents' Evening appointment on Wednesday 26th or Thursday 27th March. Please contact the office if you have not received any booking information. Please contact either Miss Bromley or Miss Flint as soon as possible if you are unable to make either of the dates, and we will do our best to fit you in at another time.
- ★ On Wednesday 26th March, we would like to invite you to the children's drumming performance. Since the start of the year, we have been lucky to have a teacher from Sutton Music Service, who has been teaching djembe drums to both classes. The performance will be 2:00-2:30pm to accommodate for us to set up for parents evening afterwards.

Enquiry Question of the week

How do you make a jam sandwich?

In English, we have been practising instruction writing. In order to better understand how to write instructions clearly, we wrote and then followed instructions on how to make a jam sandwich.

The children were able to clearly describe the steps in time order by using adverbs (first, then, next, after) and came up with a range of verbs that could be used to write commands (get, put, take, place, spread, smear, cut, eat, enjoy etc.).

A summary of next week:

Spellings: Words where 'il' and 'al' makes /l/ sound

Reading: Retrieval, Inference and Vocabulary Skills - nonfiction/ instruction texts

Writing: Instruction writing - how to make bug hotels

Maths: Measurements - volume, capacity, temperature

History: What were toys made of during the 1950s? How are they different to now?

Science: Design a bug hotel - what features will your habitat need?

PSHE: Job roles in our local community

DT: Testing and evaluating the sturdiness of different shapes.

A weekly overview (subject to change)

Monday	PE kit needed
Tuesday	-
Wednesday	Forest school.
Thursday	Reading Records will be checked, stickers given and new Little Wandle/ Big Cat books given out.
Friday	PE (outdoor). Home learning shared with the class - please make sure any completed work is returned by the following Friday.

Reading folders should be in school every day and taken home every evening.

Year 2 Home Learning - "Dip and Do" Spring Term



You **must**:

- Read daily at home for at least 20 minutes and record this in the Reading Record. Records are checked on a Thursday but please make sure the folder is in everyday.
- Learn the weekly spelling words which are sent home and assigned on Spelling Shed. These will be tested every Friday morning.
- Practise addition and subtraction skills on Numbots at least 3 times a week.

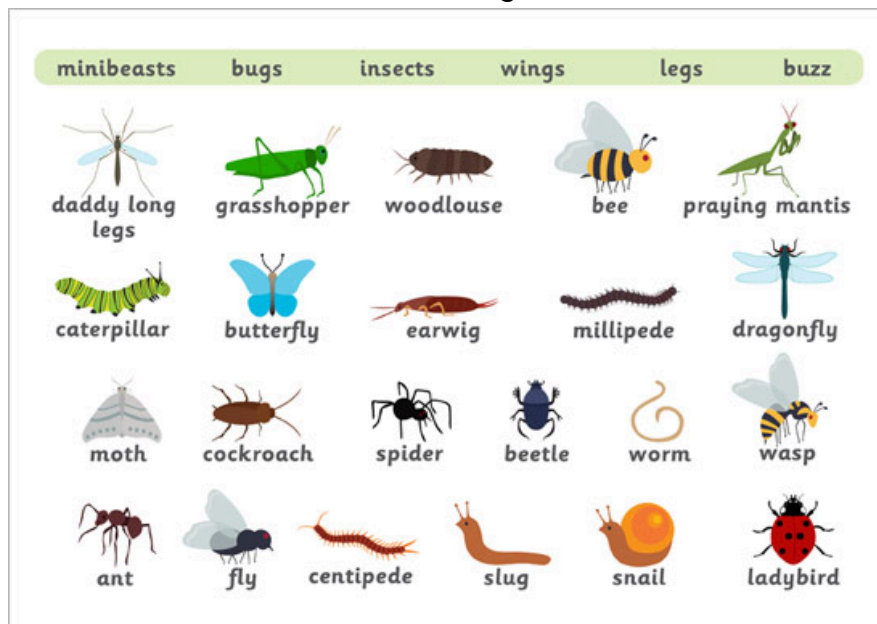
"Dip" into these tasks:

Gold

This week, we learned that Ruth Handler invented Barbie, and made a big impact on toy making. We would like to know, if you could invent a doll/ toy/ action figure, what would it be? Write a paragraph describing your toy to us.

Silver

This week, we also went on a bug hunt to look for microhabitats.



Which of these minibeasts would you find in our gardens and where would we look for them?

Bronze

In PSHE we have been talking about rules and what important rules might we need for school and home.

Which rule is most important to you? It can be a rule you follow at school, home, or in the wider world. Tell us why you think it's the most important.

Spelling words to learn: bottle, little, middle, bubble, uncle, tunnel, jewel, travel, angel, towel