

Summer 1 2023

# Nursery News



Welcome back!

We hope you have had a lovely holiday.

## This term our topic is Minibeasts.



In English we will be focusing on the story 'The Hungry Caterpillar'. We will be sequencing the story and using story maps to support children to retell the story.

We will also continue encouraging children to write their first and develop their pencil grip.

In Maths we will be exploring shape, pattern and symmetry. The children will be using 2D shapes to create their very own symmetrical butterfly wings.

We will also be using our topic book to help us count out specific groups of fruits that are included within the story.

## Songs that we will be learning in Nursery this half term:

Wiggly Woo

There's a Tiny Caterpillar

Incy Wincy Spider

5 Little Butterflies

Ladybird, Ladybird

Big Bugs, Small bugs



## CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT

To enhance the children's learning we will be having a visit from the Zoo Lab. They will bring in animals and insects for us to learn about.

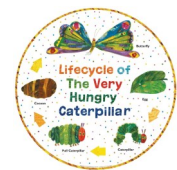
### Stay and Play Session



Parents get ready! As we will be inviting you to enjoy lots of fun-filled activities with your child on Wednesday 17th May 2023 for our Mini Beast Workshop. We will be showing you how to make learning fun and interactive! Workshop times are: AM session: 10.15—11.15am, PM session: 2.15—3.15pm. We will be reading 'The very hungry caterpillar', sequencing the story and lots more! Please attend and get involved in what your child is learning!

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To put the children's learning and their understanding into context, we will be ordering live caterpillars! We will be watching them change from caterpillars to chrysalis and then watch how they transform to beautiful butterflies.



## REMINDERS

Our PE day is **Monday & Fridays**. Please ensure your child attends Nursery in suitable footwear. PE lessons take place in the main hall and the children will be given the opportunity to use lots of different apparatus. Please bring in extra clothing in a back pack with your child's name written on them clearly. Please toilet train your child as this will enhance your child's progress and learning. Please don't forget to change your child's library book every **Thursday**.



## Wow Moment!!!

We want to celebrate your child's achievements both in and out of Nursery. Therefore if your child has done anything special at home, please log on to tapestry and upload a picture along with some notes of what it is your child has done. This will support us to boost your child's self esteem and self confidence! Thank you for your support.



Mrs Ahmed, Mrs Rasib, Miss Summers,  
Miss Shehzadi, Mrs Samplay.