

<u>Reception Newsletter</u> <u>Friday 5th June</u>

Dear Parents/Guardians

We have had a very busy week this week in Reception. We are enjoying our new topic minibeasts and we have had lots of fun exploring our new role play areas! RM has a garden and RD have a garden centre. We received a special delivery today of 10 very hungry caterpillars and we are so excited to watch them grow into butterflies.

During our number work this week we have been getting better at doubling practically and we used butterflies and ladybirds to help us. We learnt a song all about doubling so ask me to sing it at home.

We have been exploring books by Eric Carle this week and we read 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' and 'The Bad Tempered Ladybird'. We have sequenced and written the stories ourselves.

We have been enjoying our outdoor area this week and have had lots of fun being gardeners. We have weeded our flower beds and planted some new flowers, we even planted new sunflower seeds and we can't wait to watch them grow.

Class RM enjoyed their first gymnastic session with Craig our coach; we had lots of fun moving and balancing.

Thank you for all the magical moments, we loved hearing about them and the children were so proud sharing them. Keep them coming in! Have a wonderful half term! The Reception Team

Don't forget: On Monday afternoon we are going to be hunting for minibeasts with Richie Ranger in our Nursery garden so I need to wear a coat and sensible shoes.

This week's star writers are: RM – Adam Evans RD – Kiera Hesketh

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