English

We will be reading The Big Book of Bugs

Our class reader will be Harry the Poisonous Centipede

In our writing we will be learning to:

Write a recount of an event, create a leaflet and write a book review.

Maths

In maths we will learn about picture graphs.

Spelling/Phonics/Grammar.

- ➤ Adding –es to nouns and verbs ending in –y
- ➤ Possessive apostrophe for singular nouns
- ➤ Homophones- their, there and they're
- ➤ Adding suffixes for –less -ly

Grab your coat and pooter – we're going out and about on a minibeast hunt. Sweep your nets in ponds and lift up logs to see who's home. Then set up a minibeast laboratory and observe their every move. Add notes and labels and ask research questions, just like a real entomologist. Learn about bees, worms and butterflies too. Can you make a food chain to show who eats who? Carry out investigations to find out more, like how far a snail travels in a day and how a spider catches its prey. Then animate to show how your favourite bug transforms from one form to another, perhaps a caterpillar to a butterfly or a maggot to a fly. On your belly, legs at the ready, it's time to wriggle and crawl.

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Science

In science, we will be learning about living things and their habitats. We will also be learning about life cycles, food and survival.

Art/DT

In art, we will be making sculptures.

Geography

In geography, we will be drawing sketch maps including symbols and a key.

Computing

In computing, we will be creating and debugging simple programmes as well as creating our own stop-motion animations.

D&T

In D&T, we will be using knowledge of camouflage and warning colours to design and make a 3-D model of a minibeast.

PE

'Fitness and Fun'. We want to continue developing a love for physical activity as well as specifically focusing on the skills of jumping and balancing. We will do this through a range of fun games and activities.