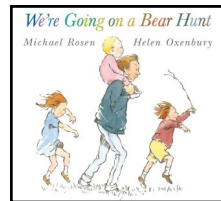




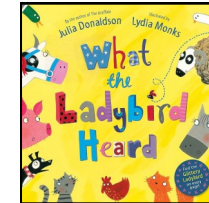
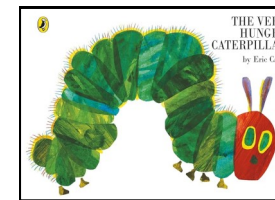
NURSERY — SUMMER 1 — Exploring our World

This half term we will be learning about the festivals of St. George's Day (the patron saint of England) and May Day in which we dance around a maypole.
With the good weather we will be making trips to play and look for minibeasts.

Environments



Minibeasts



Key Words

**grass, river, mud,
forest, snowstorm**

How do these different places feel under your feet?

caterpillar

Have you seen a caterpillar this year? What do they like to eat?

cave

Have you ever been into a cave? What was it like? Why do you think the bear lives in a cave?

cocoon

When did the caterpillar build its cocoon? Why did the caterpillar build a cocoon?

Cultural Capital | Key Experiences

Trips to the field

Minibeast hunt

NURSERY

CURRICULUM LEAFLET

Summer 1

Miss Caldecott

Mrs McGurk

Mrs Butcher

Mrs Davenport

Physical Development

We will have a focus on ball skills this term. Children will be playing with footballs and bats and balls and practising the different skills.



How to help your child at home:
Blow up a balloon and give your child a wooden spoon to practise hitting it up in the air.

Personal, Social &

Emotional Development

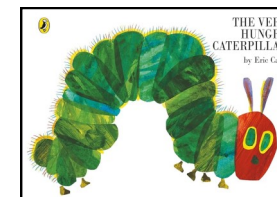
Our focus this term is 'building relationships' and 'friends and family'.



How to help your child at home:
Ask your child who their friends are and why they like them?

Communication & Language

We will be asking children to retell stories they know well.



How to help your child at home:
Read stories with them and give them opportunities to talk about the story.

Literacy

We will be teaching synthetic phonics during the summer term. The scheme we use is called Read Write Inc. Children will be taught a different letter each day.



How to help your child at home:
Play 'I spy with my little eye something beginning with...' using the phonetic sound rather than the name of the letter.

Mathematics

We will be looking at sharing, doubling numbers and simple addition and subtraction in songs.



How to help your child at home:
Sing some numbers songs and use fingers to count how many.

Understanding the World

We learning about different environments such as, grass, river, mud, snow and beach and feeling the different textures involved. We will also be learning about minibeasts and exploring the field looking for them.



How to help your child at home:
Spot minibeasts while you are out and about and talk about them.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be learning new songs and using instruments as well as mixing colours and exploring paint.



How to help your child at home:
Sing songs.