

# EYFS – Spring 2 Curriculum Overview

This is an overview of the learning that will be taking place in EYFS this half term.  
Our topic this term is “Minibeasts & Special Weeks”

## English

We will be reading:

- The Teeny Weeny Tadpole
- Superworm
- Wiggling Worms at Work
- Ada Twist, Scientist
- The Bee Book
- The Easter Story



We will be learning:

- To engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.
- To use 'Fred Fingers' to write words.
- To continue to blend sounds to read words and simple sentences.
- To form ascending and descending letters correctly.
- To begin to use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.
- To write captions, labels and simple sentences.
- To use adjectives in writing.

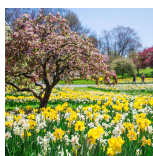
## Understand the World

Our topic is:

“Minibeasts & Special Weeks”

We will be learning:

- To recognise some of the features of different types of minibeasts.
- To understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them, exploring Spring.
- To learn about frogs, worms, bees and pollination.
- To explore minibeast habitats.
- To build homes for minibeasts and bug hotels.
- To complete a variety of experiments during Science week and describe observations and changes.



## Maths

We will be learning:

- To apply the counting principles when counting to 9 and 10 (forwards and backwards)
- To represent 9 and 10 in different ways. Arranging 9 or 10 items into small groups will support the children to conceptually subitise these larger numbers and explore their composition.
- To notice that a 10 frame is full when there is 10. Children can use 10 frames, fingers and bead strings to subitise groups of 9 and 10.
- To make comparisons by lining items up with 1-1 correspondence
- To begin to compare 2 quantities and progress to ordering 3 or more quantities.
- To explore number bonds to 10 using real objects in different contexts.
- To explore, investigate and to construct 3-D shapes in different ways.
- To explore more complex repeating patterns.

## Expressive Arts and Design

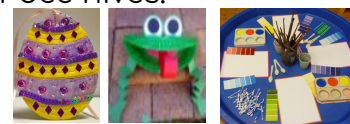
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We will be learning:

- To explore colour and colour mixing.
- To remember and sing entire songs.
- To create minibeast collages and puppets.
- To make minibeast homes and bug hotels.
- To explore shape and patterns through the hexagonal shapes of bee hives.
- Easter creations



## PE

- To explore fundamental movements with a focus on skipping.

## PSHE

Our topic is “Healthy Me”

We will be learning:

- What happens to our bodies when we exercise.
- Healthy food
- Why sleep is important
- Importance of washing clothes, hands and bodies and brushing hair and teeth.
- Stranger danger

## RE

Our topic is “Easter”

We will be learning about:

- Signs of Spring
- Spring life cycles
- Easter (A Christian Celebration)
- Experiences of Easter
- Symbols of Easter