CLLD-Communication, Language and Literacy Development.

We will be continuing to work with children to support them in developing their ability to correctly form letters in order to write labels, captions, lists and full sentences. Children will use their phonic knowledge to help them spell and read words, including recognising and writing tricky words. Children will be encouraged to talk about what they have read or written.

PSED-Personal, Social and Emotional Development.

We will be continuing to work with children to develop their ability to take turns, share and think of others feelings.

We will encourage children to communicate with others about their own interests and opinions. We promote good listening to others as well as speaking confidently with peers.

We encourage children to talk positively about themselves and their abilities. Children will be supported to play fairly as part of a group and to take on the responsibility of helping in the classroom.

uTW-understanding the World.

We will be exploring the natural world, habitats and features of mini-beasts in our topic, as well as the growth and changes that occur.

We will talk about the different plants and animals that we have observed, as well as encouraging children to look closely at similarities and differences. Children will have the opportunity to use ICT equipment to interact with age appropriate programs and games.

Creepy Critters! Class 1 and 2

During our topic of MINIBEASTS Class 1 & 2 will explore and investigate the local environment and begin to be aware of the similarities and differences between mini-beasts. We will provide lots of opportunity for independent learning through provision of topic related books, ICT, small world and exciting role play dens! If you have any books or artefacts on mini-beasts we would love for you to share them with us.

In celebration of our summer topics we will also be going on a visit to the RSPB Wetlands in June. This term we also look forward to joining the rest of the school every Friday morning in whole school assembly!



Mathematics.

We will be doing lots of addition and subtraction in practical activities, as well as solving problems such as doubling, halving and sharing. Children will use everyday language to talk about shape, time, money, position and distance. Children will record their maths learning in ways they can explain.

As ever we appreciate your continued support at home.

Here are some simple ways you can support your child's learning and development:

Read regularly with your child and practise recognising/writing tricky words. Support your child with their handwriting at home.

Encourage children to ask questions and to speak in full sentences.

Physical Development.

We will be experimenting with different ways of moving, changing speed as well as direction. We will be supporting children to climb and balance on equipment safely and with confidence. We encourage and discuss healthy eating, exercise, as well as the importance of hygiene and a good nights' sleep. Children will be developing their fine motor skills in order to help them form recognisable letters when writing.

EAD-Expressive Arts and Design.

We will be experimenting with different colour, tools and techniques when designing and making. We will be using our topic to experiment with different ways of moving and travelling during P.E. Children will be encouraged to select appropriate colours and tools when creating representations of the world and people around them.