



Reception - Going on a Journey

Summer 3A



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Key books with key vocabulary

The Very Hungry Caterpillar Days of the week	Seed to Sunflower Life cycle Seed Flower Roots Stems	Mad About Minibeasts Names of the minibeasts	Growing Frogs Life cycle Frog spawn Tadpoles Froglets Frogs	Bog Baby Habitat Lives Pond	Superworm Habitat Wormery Rescue Captured Spider Toad

Key Vocabulary

I need to know what these words mean.

Sunflower	A tall North American plant from the daisy family.
Seed	A small, round or oval object produced by a plant and from which a new plant grows.
Mini beast	A minibeast is simply a small animal such as spiders, snails, slugs, beetles, centipedes, worms, earwigs and caterpillars.
Habitat	Natural home or environment of an animal or plant.
Chrysalis	The hardened protective case made by caterpillar to transform into a butterfly or moth.
Life cycle	A life cycle is a series of changes that happens to all living things.
Wormery	A container into which you put worms and waste food so that the worms will make the waste become compost.
Vibrations	A rapid motion back and forth

Sticky knowledge:

- A sunflower is a type of plant.
- Most plants have roots, stems and leaves.
- A sunflower has three stages in its life cycle.
- When you pick up a minibeast, remember to be careful and respectful, they are living creatures.
- Once a caterpillar has hatched, it creates a chrysalis to transform into a butterfly.
- Spiders make webs to live in and can catch their own food.
- Worms like living in damp soil and build tunnels.
- Worms come out after it has rained.
- Worms don't have eyes, they feel vibrations instead. They move by using their bristles and muscles.
- You must wash your hands after handling minibeast because they may have germs.



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Maths

Mastering Number

We will continue to develop their counting skills, counting larger sets as well as counting actions and sounds. We will explore a range of representations of numbers, including the 10-frame, and see how doubles can be arranged in a 10-frames. We will compare quantities and numbers, including sets of objects which have different attributes.

Key Vocab

Subitise
Represent
More
Less
Altogether
Tens frame

Expressive art and Design



Charanga Music—

Big Bear Funk.

Listening and responding to different styles of music. Learning to sing or sing along with nursery rhymes, action songs, & assembly songs. Children will learn how to prepare songs and music to share and perform the learning that has taken place.

Key Vocab

Music
Pulse
Song
Chorus
Verse

Physical Development

Athletics and Dance

This term we will learn a dance for our Class assembly with Mrs Marsden.

The children will also be introduced to Athletics and will cover running, balancing, hopping, jumping, throwing and co-ordination.

Key Vocab

Run
Hop
Balance
Jump
Throw

Literacy—Reading



Read, Write Inc

We will be consolidating Set 1 Speed sounds and continuing to introducing Set 2 and Set 3 Special Friends.

We will focus on letter formation, word time and 'Red' words.

Key Vocab

Phonics
Letter
Letter sound
Fred talk
Special friend

PSHE



Relationships

Lessons will focus on:

- what a family is,
- that different people in a family have different responsibilities (jobs)
- that friends sometimes fall out and some ways to mend a friendship

Key Vocab

Family, Jobs, Relationship, Friend, Lonely, Argue, Fall-out, Words, Feelings, Angry, Upset, Calm me, Breathing.

Literacy—Writing

Drawing Club

We will continue to develop our story telling skills, writing skills and mathematics skills.

We will also focus on:

Instructions
Simple sentences
Recording sounds in the correct order
'Red' words

Key Vocab

Character
Setting
Adventure
Red word
Capital Letter
Finger space
Full stop