



19th June 2020

Van Gogh Artwork



The Y1 keyworker children created some lovely artwork this week inspired by Van Gogh's 'Sunflowers'.

Teddy Bears' Picnic

We had an enjoyable socially distanced teddy bears' picnic on the KS1 yard yesterday. Although the children were not able to bring in their teddies because of infection risk, they all made teddy hats and wore them whilst eating their picnic. We were pleased to receive photographs of the fun being had at home on individual picnics.

Sports Day

Our three classes have all been taking part in their mini sports day events this week. The children have enjoyed this experience and also developed some athletic skills. We have all enjoyed seeing photographs and videos from children at home, joining us in a safe and socially distanced way.

Summer Reading Challenge

The new all-digital Summer Reading Challenge was launched on Friday June 5 by Northumberland Libraries. This is open to all children aged 4-11 years old and you can sign up

on the Silly Squad website

(<https://northumberland.spydus.co.uk/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/MSGTRNGEN/WPAC/SRC>) and set your reading challenge for the summer. Children record their reading to release rewards for books, read and enjoy lots of fun activities.

Children can choose their own books or pick from a list of specially chosen ebooks and audio books, free to download from BorrowBox, the digital library.

Music

More resources from Music Partnership North will be posted on the website on Monday.

New Starters

Miss Bough sent out a letter to parents of the new September intake this week. She is working on a video to go out shortly giving more information for children starting school. She will also be available to parents to answer any questions they may have.

National Insect Week

Next week will be National Insect Week and the Royal Entomological Society have put together some ideas and resources for everyone to try at home. Learn about the 'little things that run the world', details on their web pages <https://www.nationalinsectweek.co.uk/>.

Next Week

We are forecast better weather next week so children attending school should remember to bring in hats and suncream for when they are outside. If you are at home you should also remember to protect yourself from the sun whilst playing in your gardens, or whilst walking or bike riding.