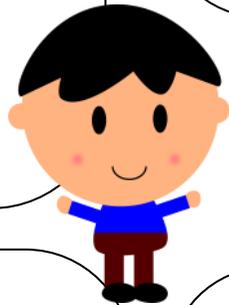


Literacy

Caterpillars– we are going to be starting letters and sounds working on initial sounds in phase 2. We will practise writing the letters that match the sounds and also we will learn to write our names. We will listen and respond to lots of stories including ones from the reading scheme. We will all have our own reading book very soon.

Butterflies– we will be really developing our confidence for reading and writing in lots of different contexts. We will begin spellings and continue our handwriting formation. In phonics we will be learning new ways of making sounds that we already know.



Maths

Caterpillars– we will be getting to know numbers up to 5. We will be, counting and comparing numbers and quantities and using a new resource called Numicon. We will play lots of number games and sing number songs.

Butterflies– We will be beginning our new maths scheme. The first half term focuses on numbers to 30, adding, subtracting and sequencing, 2D and 3D shapes and money.



Reception children



Year 1 children

All about me

Physical Development

Caterpillars– we will be moving around in P.E. using a range of equipment this half term. We will also be using smaller objects and resources to develop our fine motor control to get ready for writing. We will also be doing our 'Friday mile' to keep us fit this year!

Butterflies will have P.E. with Year 2 and also be going swimming on Wednesday mornings.



PLEASE NOTE SHOW AND TELL WILL BE-

CATERPILLARS- MONDAYS
BUTTERFLIES- FRIDAYS

Understanding the world

In topic we will covering the following areas– ourselves, our families, our homes, growing up, our favourite foods and our favourite things.

Butterflies will be covering Geography aspects by looking at the British Isles.

There will be times where the children are asked to bring photos and objects to enhance their topic so please look out for the messages.

Butterflies will join Year 2 for Science on Thursdays.

Expressive art and design

In art we will be exploring colour and shapes. We will collage pictures of ourselves paying attention to details such as hair and eye colour. We will link our art to harvest time.

In role play we will be creating a doctors surgery in the home corner. We will also take part in music activities.

Personal and Social / R.E.

This half term will be all about getting used to rules and routines for both Caterpillar and Butterfly groups. We will think about our different roles in the class and how we should behave with each other. We will be learning about Harvest and saying thank you to God.

Butterflies will do R.E with year 2 on Wednesdays.