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Coming up next week...25/04/2022

URGENT REQUESTS:

We are very short on spare uniform. If we provide your child with spare clean clothes please can you wash and return the clothes as soon as you can. If you have any spare boys or girls clothes you can donate we will happily receive: underwear, socks, trousers, shorts, dresses and skirts. Thank you.

Learning in school:

Topic: Minibeasts and Growth

This next half term we will be learning about the different stages of plant and animal growth. We will be finding out about a variety of minibeasts and looking at similarities and differences between them and where we find them.

This week our minibeast focus will be caterpillars and learning about the life cycle of a butterfly. We will be reading 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle, retelling the story and making adaptations to create our own versions of the story.

Phonics:

This week we will continue to focus on words with short vowel sounds. We will be reading and writing CVCC words, for example went, help, thump, tenth. Our new tricky words will be: some, come, love, do.

Maths:

In Maths we will be learning about adding and counting on. We will be making up addition stories and using the vocabulary: first, then and now.

Home Learning:

For children that are self-isolating, we have resources on the school website for you to access. Visit the school website and select the Covid 19 tab then home learning or follow this link.

Additional notes and reminders

Homework

This half term, we will be focusing on writing. We will be sending home a different picture each week to stimulate writing. This will be sent home on a Tuesday. We have included a colour version of the picture below for children to have a closer look at.



Please can we have any junk modelling resources such as small boxes, tubes, plastic punnets, yogurts, plastic lids etc. Thank you.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.