



Class 2 newsletter

8th May 2015

Year 1

English

We will be looking at explanation texts, discussing what they are and the features of them. We will write an introduction for our own text and begin to plan an explanation about the life cycle of a sunflower. We will also look at how a caterpillar grows into a butterfly.

Maths

In maths we will be looking at all the different things we can measure and some of the units we use. For example we will measure our sunflowers length using millimetres and centimetres.

Topic

Our mini topic books are looking great! We have included instructions, diagrams and measurements of our sunflowers. We have chosen a great spot to plant them in the garden with lots of sun and close to the chickens so they can keep an eye on our sunflowers.

Reception

The children have produced a lovely mini book on sunflowers and we have thoroughly enjoyed watering them and watching our seeds grow. We have been learning how to tell the time and sequenced pictures to the correct time on the clock. We read *The Bad Tempered Ladybird* to see how grumpy he was at certain times of the day. We have also been really enjoying playing beanbag rounders in PE.

Coming up

In maths we will be looking at different things to measure and the units to use In English we will be thinking about information texts and exploring where a butterfly comes from.



Other Notes

WOW slips

We are coming up to the time of year when we make our final assessments of the children. As always your observations play a valuable part in this. Please let us know anything new the children are doing, any accomplishments or anything that has really impressed you by completing a WOW slip. The children really love sharing these with each other.

Next Week

- Monday: Library books returned please.
- Tuesday: Forest schools for Reception.
- Wednesday: PE kit needed. Show and Tell.
- Thursday: Homework books handed in by today please.
- Friday: Stay and Play. PE Kit needed