

Personal, Social and Emotional  
Development

During circle time we will be talking about why it is important to wash our hands and know it is important to do this before I eat and after I go to the toilet.

Communication and Language

We will be learning about different minibeasts such as woodlice, beetles, spiders, ants, earwigs, snails etc. We will be focusing on vocabulary to describe them - wings, antennae, shell, shiny, hard, wiggly, slimy, hairy, tiny etc. We also will talk about how they move.

Physical Development

The children will be making minibeasts out of junk modelling and decorating them.

Mathematics

We will be focusing on counting the different features on the minibeasts, and asking questions such as how many legs does it have, how many wings, etc.

Nursery Learning

Minibeasts

7th-10th May



Expressive Arts and Design

As well as making the junk modelling minibeasts, the children will also be able to draw minibeasts on giant paper. We will also be learning a new song - '5 Little Woodlice' (to the tune of 5 Little Ducks) which you can find attached if you would like to sing it at home.

Understanding the World

We will be going on a minibeast hunt and learning about different types of minibeasts and their habitats. We will learn about the natural habitat of the minibeasts when exploring in the woodland area, the grass banks and in the trees around our school. We will learn to show care and concern for living things and the environment.

Literacy

We will enjoy a range of fiction books about minibeasts. We will also read some non-fiction books to find information about any minibeasts we discover in the woodland and areas around the school.