

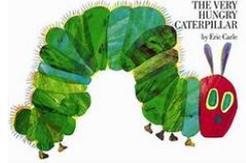


Elmsleigh Infant and Nursery School

Topic-Mini Beasts

Book for the next few weeks – The Hungry Caterpillar

Nursery – Week 2 Activities



Please use these activities to support your child's learning at home throughout the week.

We will also post specific activities on class dojo on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

We understand you are not teachers and the wellbeing of you and your child is the main priority. Please just do your best and don't hesitate to contact us through the class email system or class dojo if you have any questions.

Health and well being

Exercise

You tube- George Ezra- Riding Shotgun

You tube- Super Simple Pointy Finger

You tube- Shake your sillies out

Yoga

You tube- Yoga time on the farm

You tube- Premier Formulas Toddler Yoga

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Purple mash- mini mash- click on the little boy and you can complete the friends and family jigsaw.

You talk about your family and why you love them.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tYa6OLQHRc> – A lovely little video you can watch about a little Caterpillar who shares his shoes with his friends before he turns into a beautiful butterfly. We always remember 'sharing is caring' in the Busy Bees



Well Being

Relax with some snacks and watch a DVD 😊

PLAY – Lots and lots of play!

Learning projects throughout the week

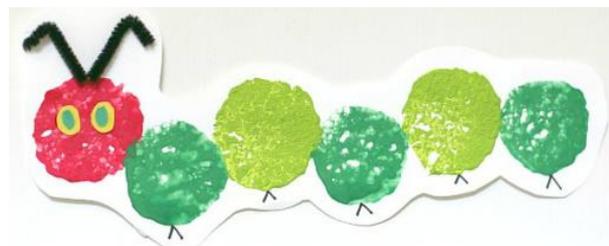
Fact Finding – Exploring the world

Can you go on a colour hunt? Each day you could pick a colour and look for items in your house or on your walk that are your chosen colour. Like a natural colour hunt.

Creative fun

Can you paint me a picture of a caterpillar or the Hungry Caterpillar from our story?

If you use balloons to print with, they make perfect circles 😊



| Phonics activities | Reading Activities |
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| <p>Song for the week – https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EjY-M1m5PIO Aunt Polly had a dolly</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V5Bs9xydba0 Here is the Bee hive number song</p> <p>What can you hear? Can you make a musical instrument at home? Using bottles and pringles tubes. You can use the instruments when you sing your songs.</p>  <p>If you made a bottle of pasta and pom poms which would make the most noise?</p> <p>Sing, Sing and Sing Singing nursery rhymes is great for language development and also tuning into the sounds we use for writing.</p> <p>Letter recognition- Using the s,a,t,p,i,n sounds as explained on the Dojo app. Can children write them in the air with ribbons and magic wands made last week. Sing the Jolly phonic song with actions. (These can be found on Youtube)</p> <p>(Noah from the Busy Bees sent in an activity and his family had hidden sounds around the garden and he had to go and find them, nice and active and fun)</p> | <p>Share a story with your child as often as possible You can use your own books.</p> <p>The Bees Firm Favourites-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We're going on a Bear Hunt. • Goldilocks and the Three Bears • The Hungry Caterpillar • The Little Red Hen • The Three little pigs |
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| Early writing activities | Maths activities |
| <p>Main activity: Watch the video story of The Hungry Caterpillar https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQG-Sm1YY</p> <p>Can you draw a caterpillar outside with water and a paint brush?</p> | <p>Main activity: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/ladybird-spots Can you give the ladybird the correct amount of spots?</p> <p>https://www.topmarks.co.uk/early-years/shape-monsters Can you feed the shape monsters the correct shape?</p> <p>Additional activities Play a game of hide and seek. Counting to 10 before you go and find someone.</p> <p>How many jumps can you do in 10 seconds?</p> |



Can you draw your name in shaving foam or in the mud?

I have set a couple of activities that will come through on purple mash next week too 😊

Additional activities

Using water and a paint brush. Go outside and make zigzag patterns and circles on the floor or wall.

Practise writing your name.

Make some playdough and work those fingers. Can you make a zig zag pattern?

Just a little note:

Firstly **THANKYOU!** Thankyou for your wonderful messages, pictures and updates. Honestly I am so proud to see all of the smiles and to see you all making lovely memories. The activities you have been doing have blown me away! Thank you from the bottom of my heart!

I hope you have enjoyed some Hungry Caterpillar activities and as I said last week, please message if you need any help with anything. I will ensure I get back to you as soon as possible!

Take care and stay safe,
Miss Redhead x