

## Week beginning 21<sup>st</sup> March

### Ladybird Class Weekly Update

I have said it before, but is spring finally on its way...?

We are revisiting the set 2 sounds again. We will focus on: ir, ou, oy. Please revisit the videos from last term.

These red words are tricky for us, we will continue to practise the ones already learnt, please do continue to look at them.

It is Mother's Day next week so we will be making Mother's Day cards and writing the inserts to them. We will also continue to focus on whole class writing in order to develop our independence when writing.

In Numeracy, we will be focussing on the number 6 and 7. We will be looking at number compositions of these numbers, one more and one less from these numbers and using a 10 frame to show these numbers etc. In Early Years, the emphasis is looking at individual numbers to ensure we know everything about them, ready for place value in Year 1

### Butterfly Class Weekly Update

Spring looks like it is finally on its way. We have had a great week and it was lovely to end the week today with Red Nose Day.

Next week:

In Maths we are learning about capacity.

In English we continue to write grammatically accurate sentences and are looking at joining words.

In History we are looking at who Samuel Pepys was and how we learn things about the Great Fire from different sources.

In Science we are identifying and comparing a variety of different fish and amphibians.

In RE we are starting to think about the Easter story.

In Art we are designing and making some cards for some very special people!

Thank you for continuing to read at home, it really does make the world of difference.

**We will be making Tudor houses on Tuesday this week. Please could you send in small cardboard boxes, eg tissue boxes or cereal boxes for the children to use on Tuesday. Thank you very much.**

### Dragonfly Class Weekly Update

In English this week, we will begin by writing Mother's Day poetry. Later on in the week, we will begin to look at the Easter story. We will sequence the events leading up to the crucifixion and create a word bank of adjectives and sentence starters to use in our rewrite of the story, the following week.

In Maths this week, we will move on to learning about 2D shapes. We will explore the properties of these shapes and learn about lines of symmetry, leading up to some 2D shape problem solving later in the week.

In Science we will be exploring micro-habitats and their features. We will be going into the forest for this.

In History we will be continuing to write and illustrate our Great Fire of London non-fiction books.

In RE we will be discussing the parables we have read and then painting pictures of a parable which is special to us.

In Art we will be making some special surprises for a special day coming up!

#### **Whole Class Guided Reading**

We will be exploring the book *Amazing Grace* by Mary Hoffman and Caroline Binch.

**We will be building our very own Pudding Lane during the final week of term. For this your child will need some junk modelling. They have designed their houses and listed the resources they need. Please talk to your child about the resources they need for this and bring them in (in a labelled carrier bag) by Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March. Thank you!**