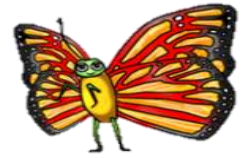




Year R Learning Journey

Week beginning 18th May



This week we will be going on a trip!



It is very exciting as this week we will be going to **Hillier's Gardens** to learn more about different plants and what they need to grow. We also will be discovering the wonderful world of minibeasts such as ladybirds, slugs, worms, ants, etc and learning how these creatures help plants to grow. Then we will be writing a recount all about it!

In maths we will be looking at 2D shapes and using them to create pictures.

Please remember:

* Please remember to check your child's book bag and take out all their lovely pictures, work, and the important letters that we send home.

* We will be going on a school trip to Hillier's Gardens on Monday 18th May. Please remember to return the completed permission slip to the office if you have not already done so.

Children are not required to wear full school uniform on this day but should wear their school jumper along with appropriate outdoor clothing, including a waterproof coat and sensible shoes.

Home challenge:

- This website provides some fun ideas to support your child in developing their fine motor skills.

<http://www.learning4kids.net/list-of-fine-motor-play-activities/>

- Read every day with your child for at least 15 min. Reading at home regularly does make a difference!
- In your child's bookbag should be some flashcards to help them with learning to read their words with digraphs (2 letters that make 1 sound/special friends) fluently. If your child is stuck, just say - special friends, fred talk, read the word. How many words they can read in 5 min? Can they write these words? Can they think of a sentence with the word and write it?
- Watch this video about sharing equally. Can you role play sharing apples, Lego, buttons, pasta... anything you can find around your house between your teddies?
[Sharing Equally - YouTube](#)
- Go on a nature walk and help your child to observe natural world. What can you see? Smell? Find? Get creative and make some pebble people or minibeasts?

