

Term 2

Topic Mini Beasts

What I am learning this term
Key Skills



HOLLINGTON
PRIMARY
ACADEMY

Subject	I can....	Where can you find it?
Maths	Count legs, doubles/halving/symmetry/patterns/number/fractions/measure	Measure worms
English	Aaarrggghhh Spider!/Yucky worms Explanation - If you would like to make a spider/web and explain why Discussion - Rewrite the story Report - Where we found spiders Mini Beast leaflet Letter to Bug Life	i.e. Recount, Discussion, Instructions, Explanation, persuasion, report
Science	Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock. • Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials. • Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties. 	Look at how spider webs are formed Investigate different materials Make spider webs choosing from different materials Evaluate to see which one was best
What is the investigation?	Evaluate to see which webs were the best and why?	Investigation into different materials.Prediction.
Computing		
Geography	Devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key. Use simple grid references (A1, B1). (Maths and PE)	Spider hunt

		Draw a map of where spiders were found Add key
DT	Explore objects and designs to identify likes and dislikes of the designs. Suggest improvements to existing designs. Explore how products have been created.	Design and make spiders Say how it could be improved Look at designs and explain how they were made
Art		
History		
PE		
Music	Take part in singing, accurately following the melody. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow instructions on how and when to sing or play an instrument. • Make and control long and short sounds, using voice and instruments. 	Learn and sing Incy Wincy Spider, Spider's Invitation Make a soundtrack with voices and instruments to go with the story
RE		
Community	Ask parents if they have any unusual spiders/ mini beasts at home - could they come in and show	Ch to write who came in and what they saw - unaided writing
Knowledge of the World	Explore spiders from around the world and compare	Homework
SEAL	Looking after mini beasts and other animals Friendships/inclusion/differences	Explanation text on how to include people (poster)
Aspiration	Research Gerald Durrell and explore what he did	ICT link - look on internet and research - design a poster to say

		what he did
British Values	Respect for what people do (see above)	

Homework Ideas

Investigate spiders around the world

Draw a spider and label

Investigate what spiders eat