

Reception Summer 1

Reception have had another wonderful half term and learnt so many new things in such a short space of time. Our favourite stories are 'Spinderella' by Julia Donaldson and the traditional tale Jack and the Beanstalk. The children are eager to learn new things in phonics and we are very impressed with the progress they are making. They are working incredibly hard to write sentences using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

The children have been very interested in minibeasts and we have loved observing them in their habitat and finding out facts. It was great fun to take part in a minibeast hunt and extend our bug hotel. We are looking forward to finding out what happens to our tadpoles and caterpillars next half term!



In maths we have investigated numbers up to 20 using a range of equipment. We have enjoyed playing games such as 'Race to 20' and the cheeky kangaroo has made our maths lessons fun by playing lots of tricks on us.



The children enjoyed taking part in VE day celebrations. We made our own United Kingdom flags and talked about the significance of the colours. The children followed instructions to bake cupcakes which tasted delicious! The highlight of our day was the VE Day tea party where we danced to World War Two music.



We hope you have a fantastic half term break, and we look forward to our final exciting term in Reception.