

<p>This week's theme is....</p>	<p>...mini beasts</p>		
<p>9.00</p>  <p>PE</p>	<p>Make sure you have some water ready for a high energy session with Joe: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ or do some relaxing cosmic yoga: https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga</p>		
<p>9.30</p>  <p>Drink and snack</p>	<p>It's important to drink lots of water to keep us healthy, especially after exercise. Have a glass of water and if you're hungry why not try a piece of fruit.</p>		
<p>30 minutes</p>  <p>Daily Reading</p>	<p>Read the following out loud (or ask a grown up to read it with you)</p>		

The very quiet cricket by Eric Carle

One warm day from a tiny egg, a little cricket was born. "Welcome," chirped a big cricket rubbing his wings together. The little cricket wanted to answer and so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

"Good morning," whizzed a locust spinning through the air. The little cricket wanted to answer, so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

"Hello," whispered a praying mantis, scraping his huge front legs together. The little cricket wanted to answer, so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

"Good day," crunched a worm, munching it's way out of an apple. The little cricket wanted to answer, so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

"Hi," bubbled a spittlebug, slurping in a sea of froth. The little cricket wanted to answer, so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

"Good afternoon," screeched a cicada, clinging to a branch of a tree. The little cricket wanted to answer, so he rubbed his wings together. But nothing happened. Not a sound.

You can watch the rest of this story here if you would like to :
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YdiGEjz5b00>

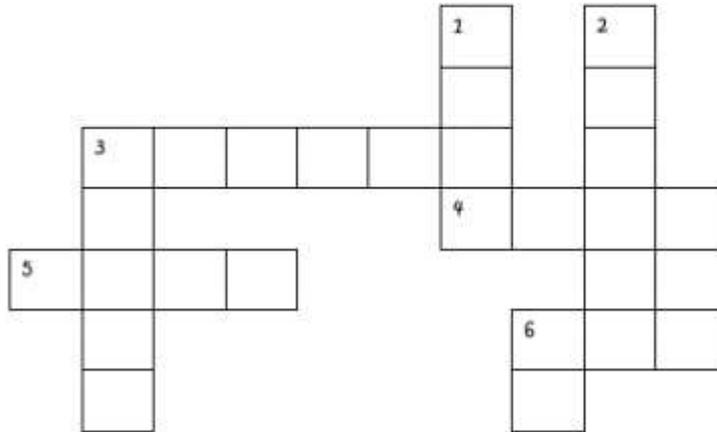
Comprehension: Now answer the following questions

1. What was the weather like on the day the cricket was born?
2. Who did the little cricket meet first?
3. How did the big cricket make a sound?
4. How did the locust move through the air?
5. How did the praying mantis speak to the little cricket?
6. What was the worm doing when the little cricket met him?
7. Why do you think the little cricket cannot make a sound?
8. How do you think he is feeling and why?

Answers: 1. Warm, 2. A larger cricket, 3. By rubbing his wings together, 4. Whizzed and spun through the air, 5. He whispered, 6. Eating an apple, 7. Maybe he's too small, he might not have big enough wings yet, 8. Sad or frustrated because he can't reply to the other animals.

<p>5 mins</p>  <p>Brain Break</p>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 2px solid blue; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Zoom like a fly!</p>  </div> <div style="border: 2px solid blue; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Creep like a beetle!</p>  </div> </div>
<p>20 minutes</p>  <p>Daily Writing</p>	<p>Today we have some puzzles to solve. The first is a crossword puzzle, you need to read the clues and put the answer in the correct place on the crossword. (If you can't print it draw it out on a piece of paper, you could ask an adult to help you).</p>

Minibeast Crossword



ACROSS

3. I have eight legs and spin a web
4. I look a bit like a butterfly only not as colourful and I like to make holes in clothes
5. I fly around, am yellow and black and sting, but I am not a bee
6. I make honey and live in a hive

DOWN

1. I live in the soil and wriggle.
2. If you mix these letters up "ELETBE" you get my name and also the name of a car
3. I carry my home on my back
6. I turn from a Caterpillar into this



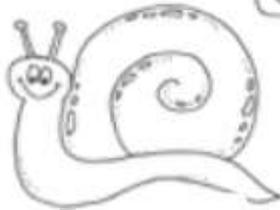
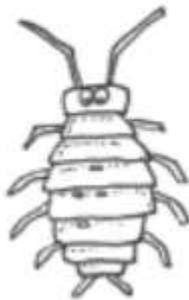
Word Bank

moth snail worm beetle butterfly
spider wasp bee

The next puzzle is a word scramble, the names of different minibeasts are all muddled up and it is your task to unscramble the letters to write the correct minibeast name.

Minibeast Word Scramble

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Challenge:

Your challenge today is to create your own word scramble or crossword for a family member to solve.

Here is a minibeast word mat to help you.

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<p>5 mins</p> <p>Brain Break</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Dance Routine</p> <p>Choreograph your own dance routine. Pick one action or movement for each part of the body and then, the random selector will decide on the style you must dance in, for example, clap, bend and slide in the style of street dance.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>You can do this all together as a class, in groups, pairs or individually.</i></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="background-color: #f4a460;">Upper Body</th> <th style="background-color: #f4a460;">Whole Body</th> <th style="background-color: #f4a460;">Lower Body</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #f4a460;">robotic</td> <td style="background-color: #f4a460;">ballet</td> <td style="background-color: #f4a460;">street dance</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3" style="background-color: #f4a460; text-align: center;">freestyle</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Upper Body	Whole Body	Lower Body				robotic	ballet	street dance	freestyle		
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<p>30 minutes</p> <p>Daily Maths</p>	<p>Today we are going to using our problem solving and reasoning skills to solve measurement problems and explain how you know.</p>												

	<p>4a. Which is the odd one out?</p> <p>A. </p> <p>B. </p> <p>C. </p> <p>Explain your answer.</p> <p>☆</p>	<p>4b. Which is the odd one out?</p> <p>A. </p> <p>B. </p> <p>C. </p> <p>Explain your answer.</p> <p>☆</p>
	<p>5a. Zoe and Mike are measuring the length of a pencil.</p> <p></p> <p>Zoe says,</p> <p></p> <p>Mike says,</p> <p></p> <p>Who is correct? Explain your answer.</p> <p>☆</p>	<p>5b. Niall and Sarah are measuring the length of a shape.</p> <p></p> <p>Niall says,</p> <p></p> <p>Sarah says,</p> <p></p> <p>Who is correct? Explain your answer.</p> <p>☆</p>
<p>Challenge:</p>		
	<p>6a. Abdul's toy bottle measures between 10cm and 15cm.</p> <p>What are the possible measurements his bottle of drink could be?</p> <p></p> <p>☆</p>	<p>6b. Pippa's colouring pencils measure between 9cm and 14cm.</p> <p>What are the possible measurements her colouring pencils could be?</p> <p></p> <p>☆</p>
<p>Answers: 4a. B because it is 5cm whereas the others are 8cm long, 4b. A because it is 7cm whereas the others are 6cm, 5a. Mike because he took into account that the object was measured from 2cm not 0cm, 5b. Niall because he took into account that the object is measured from 3cm not 0cm. Challenge: a. any measurement between 10 and 15cm, b. any measurement between 9 and 14cm.</p>		
<p>Lunch</p>	<p>Check out some of these mini beast themed snacks and food recipes</p>	

	<p>https://www.pinterest.com.au/TravelbugsIdeas/mini-beasts-themed-cakes-snacks-and-party-foods/</p>
 <p>Story Time with School</p>	<p>At school, the children have at least one daily story. We want to keep this going so please share today's story with your child or children.</p> <p>Today's story is 'A Butterfly is Patient' by Dianna Hutts Aston https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9eSHRY6l4vc</p>
 <p>Weekly Challenges</p>	<p>Completed the daily home learning? Why not try some of these additional activities below. You can do them on your own, with your siblings or other members of your family.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Create a mini beast parade, like this one  <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hUbYq93cYdE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Go on a mini beast hunt. 3. Can you learn this dance? <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NqK-Sm1YY</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Watch the 'Hungry Caterpillar' story written by Eric Carle. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NqK-Sm1YY 5. Make a bug hotel. https://www.rspb.org.uk/fun-and-learning/for-families/family-wild-challenge/activities/build-a-mini-beast-hotel/?channel=paidsearch&gclid=EAIaIQobChMI6pPvr6Of6gIVTbD+Ch2wUAUHEAAYASAAEgJRkVd_BwE 6. Have a yummy mini beast sandwich. 7. Mix up this recipe to make some delicious mini beast cupcakes.  <p>https://www.eatsamazing.co.uk/family-friendly-recipes/party-food-ideas-recipes/garden-bug-themed-chocolate-cupcakes-recipe</p>  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Wow, can you design your own mini beast like this one? 9. Can you make up a mini beast song? 10. Why not have a go at making a rock mini beast.

	
 	<p>We'd love to see your work and the things you're getting up to at home so don't forget to email or tweet us photos. Remember to only include a photo of your child if you're happy for their image to be shared.</p> <p>You can email your photos to LCR-Year2.Support@oasislongcross.org</p>