







Weekly Update for Class 1

Week beginning – Monday 15th May

What we are learning this week in...

	<p><u>Topic Mini beasts</u></p> <p>This week we are looking closely at spiders. We will look for spiders and sketch spiders using a range of pencil colours. We will look closely at spider's webs and create our own webs using wool and sticks.</p> <p>We will begin to talk about the new Harrold Primary School that will be formed in September. We will design a new logo and new uniform and make a list of special things we think the new school should have. We will also take advantage of the good weather and sketch the school buildings using a range of different pencils.</p>
	<p><u>English</u></p> <p>We will watch parts of 'It's a bug's life' and think about the problems bugs face in the real world. We will list mini beasts and how they protect themselves from danger.</p> <p>We will make our own cartoon strip about a bug and his adventures. Will use just pictures to show the story and then use speech bubbles to think about speech and speech marks. We will focus on punctuation, connectives and descriptive words.</p> <p>We will write our poems we wrote last week into our best handwriting with attention to correct letter formation. We will begin to join letters together.</p>
<p>Phonics ee ur ow wh y au</p>	<p>Phonics / Spellings</p> <p>Phonics and Spellings this week are based on the sound / d /</p> <p>Read aloud books that are consistent with their developing knowledge. Word building, blending and segmenting words. We will also complete some dictation. Spellings based upon the sounds covered this week.</p>
	<p><u>Maths</u></p> <p>We will think about the number (8 Spiders legs) and make many different calculations that involve the number 8 such as addition subtraction multiplication and division.</p> <p>We will use mirrors to find the mirror lines on mini beasts to make them symmetrical.</p> <p>We will revisit 3d shapes and sort shapes according to their number of faces sides and corners.</p> <p>We will also solve real problems that involve money and coins applying our knowledge.</p>
	<p>Fraction flags (halves and quarters) http://www.primarygames.co.uk/fflags/fractionflagsr.html Eggs on legs (subtraction) http://www.primarygames.co.uk/PG5/Eggs/sub/eggssub.swf</p>



Information - *dates, reminders, etc...*

Home work should be returned on Monday 8th May. Thank you.

PE days will be Tuesday mornings and Thursday afternoons.

Please can all children have a named water bottle in school every day.

Thank you.