

Below are 4 homework challenges linked to our theme; **Minibeasts**. You can complete them at any time before **Monday 21st May**. Please bring any completed work in to show us or simply return this sheet with comments when finished. (Print outs available from class teachers). Don't forget, you could send images via email to any member of staff (see email addresses on weekly newsletters)

The World Challenge



Find out facts about different minibeasts and compare; for example, how many legs they have, where they live, what they eat. Encourage your child(ren) to think about where they could find the information i.e. from books and technology. Perhaps they could even create a fact file about their favourite minibeast(s).

Parent/carer comment:

Writing Challenge



As we are learning about minibeast habitats, why not try digging up some soil and seeing what minibeasts you can find... then use the soil to make mud paint! Try writing with the mud, making shapes and practising handwriting. Write messages in the mud for the minibeasts in your garden or paint them a picture using mud.

Parent/carer comment:

Reading Challenge



We will be reading 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' and 'The Very Busy Spider' by Eric Carle during this half term's theme. Can you find any other books by this author? Perhaps you could visit the library to find some additional titles or ask some friends and family members? Why not try reading outside with the minibeasts or even read a story to them!

Parent/carer comment:

Maths Challenge



Minibeast Tally Chart

slug	woodlouse	spider	centipede	fly	beetle	worm

Go on a minibeast hunt and see how many different types you can find. Whilst on your hunt, encourage your child to keep a record of the minibeasts you find and present the data. It could be a block diagram, tally chart, pie chart, bar chart or any other interpretation of their findings.

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