

YR - Arbory Home Learning Week beginning 15.06.2020

Reading

Listen to or watch the story of 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar'. Re-tell the story to one of your grown-ups.
Look at a range of stories and read and talk about the blurb on the book cover.

Practical Activities

Have a go at butterfly symmetry using your fingerprints.
(see below)

Practical Activities

Go on a Scavenger hunt with your family and find an item that represents each colour of the rainbow - so something red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet.

Practical Activities

Collect natural materials whilst on a walk or from your garden and see if you can make a symmetrical picture using them. Remember your line of symmetry or mirror line.

Writing Task

Each day the very hungry caterpillar ate something different. Keep a diary for a week and write down something that you eat each day.

Writing Task

Having looked at and read blurbs on the back covers of some of the books from your book shelf have a go at writing a blurb for The Very Hungry Caterpillar.

Numeracy Focus

Addition: Using the amounts from The Very Hungry Caterpillar work out the following:
How many pieces of food did he eat on Saturday? How many pieces of fruit did he eat altogether on Monday and Friday? How many pieces of fruit did he eat altogether on Wednesday and Tuesday? How many pieces of fruit did he eat altogether on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday? How can you show your workings out? What can you use to help you? Try recording your answers using + and =

Topic: Creatures Big and Small

This week we will be focussing on caterpillars and butterflies. See if you can find out the following:
How many legs do caterpillars have? Most caterpillars are herbivores. What is a herbivore? Can butterflies hear? What is a chrysalis? Are all caterpillars the same colour? A caterpillar is made up of three parts - head, thorax and abdomen. See if you can find out what these words mean.

Ongoing ideas to support your Year R child:

Please keep going over the high frequency words in their book bag and the tricky words from previous weeks.

'ng' Challenge

Try to think of as many words as you can with the sound 'ng' in.

Rhyming words

How many words can you think of that rhyme with the word 'cat'?

Remember they can be real and nonsense words.

Activities/links to support your child's learning:

Writing

My diary

Monday 15th June
Tuesday 16th June
Wednesday 17th June
Thursday 18th June
Friday 19th June
Saturday 20th June
Sunday 21st June

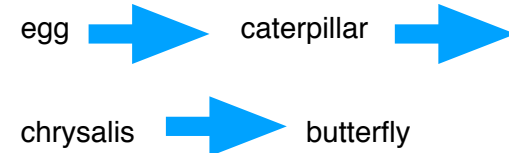
Mathematics

The Very Hungry Caterpillar ate the following:

On Monday 1 apple
On Tuesday 2 pears
On Wednesday 3 plums
On Thursday 4 strawberries
On Friday 5 oranges
On Saturday 1 chocolate cake, 1 ice cream cone, 1 pickle, 1 slice of swiss cheese, 1 slice of salami, 1 lollipop, 1 piece of cherry pie, 1 sausage, 1 cupcake, 1 watermelon
On Sunday 1 green leaf

Topic

Find out about the life cycle of a butterfly. Try and make the stages out of a range of materials.



Practical Activities:

Something is **symmetrical** when it is the same on both sides. A shape has **symmetry** if a central dividing line (a mirror line) can be drawn on it, to show that both sides of the shape are exactly the same.

Butterfly symmetry: Fold a piece of paper in half and draw the shape of a butterfly making sure that the body of the butterfly is on the fold of the paper. Cut out the shape. When you open up the paper the line down the middle is called the line of symmetry and each side will be identical. Now, dip your finger into paint and dab it on just one side of your butterfly. Fold the paper again and press down. Open up your paper and your fingerprint should now be on the other side making it symmetrical. Repeat with different colours.

Try using a mirror down the middle of your butterfly. What do you notice?