



# Dormice Class Weekly Newsletter

## Summer 1 Term 5 Week 4



### Key information

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| <b>Monday</b>    | BANK HOLIDAY  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Little Wandle books to be handed back please                            |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 3-5pm- After School Fund raising event - Woodland and Sports activities |
| <b>Thursday</b>  |   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Little Wandle books going out today<br>PE kits today please             |

### Phonics

Reception- Phase 4 longer words eg blanket, blossom, children. Compound words eg windmill, sandpit

Tricky words- we he she me be says there when what one

Year 1-Grow the code u eg some, se eg mouse, eye g donkey

Tricky words- people your their thought through friend work

### Notes

The weather is ever changeable, please ensure your child has everything they need in terms of cold and hot weather. A full water bottle every morning and sun cream if needed. A named sun hat that can be stored in their bookbag is very useful as we may have some very sunny days.

Miss Payne, Mrs Panesar, Miss Atkins and Mrs Watson

### THIS WEEK'S LEARNING:

| <u>Subject</u>                             | <u>Overview</u>   |
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| Personal, Social and Emotional Development | We will be continuing our unit on Building Relationships- My friends and family. Lesson 4 Being a good friend.<br><br>Looking after bees and finding out why they are important.  |
| Communication and Language                 | Poetry basket-Pitter Patter<br><br>We will be exploring non-fiction books and finding out information about bees.<br><br>We will be listening and responding to 'The Flight of the Bumblebee'<br><br>We will be tasting and describing honey and how bees make honey.                                     |
| Physical Development                       | We will be continuing our unit on Movement Development. This week we will be continuing our work on Exploring movements.<br><br>We will be using a knife to make jam sandwiches and making playdough bees.  |
| Literacy                                   | Drawing club- The Giant Jam Sandwich<br><br>New vocabulary- Insect family, Pollinators, Sting, Paper nests, Colony, Antennae<br><br>We will be writing instructions for making a jam sandwich and writing fact files about bees.  |
| Maths                                      | This week we will be continuing learning about 3D shapes matching and making models. We will be following instructions to replicate a shape and learning about Tangrams.  |
| Understanding the world                    | RE- What can we learn about Muslim faith and belief from the story of the Thirsty Camel?<br><br>We will be tasting honey and talking about how it's made and where it comes from. We will be looking at the anatomy of a bee and labelling it. We will also be participating in a Pollination experiment! |
| Expressive Arts and Design                 | We will be continuing with our unit on transport in Music. We will be creating a bee collage. Exploring paint using potatoes to print bees and finger print bees  |

### Week 3 Attendance

**We came 1<sup>st</sup> in the school with 100% OUTSTANDING!**