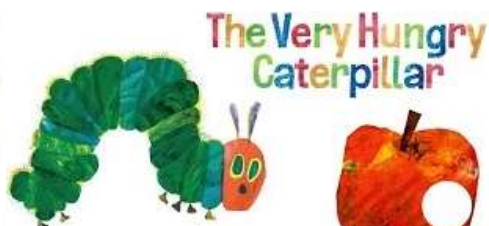


FS2 ECAT Term 5 | Week 3 | Minibeasts



For our topic, 'In The Garden', we are finding out about the different types of minibeasts that we might find there. This week we will be reading **'The Very Hungry Caterpillar'** by Eric Carle. Please click [here](#).

Our song of the week

'There's a Tiny Caterpillar on a Leaf'

You child can listen to this song by following this [link](#).

There's a tiny caterpillar on a leaf, wriggle, wriggle

There's a tiny caterpillar on leaf, wriggle, wriggle

There's a tiny caterpillar, a tiny caterpillar,

A tiny caterpillar on leaf on a leaf, wriggle, wriggle.



He will eat the leaf around him till he's full, munch, munch.

He will eat the leaf around him till he's full, munch, munch.

He will eat the leaf around him, eat the leaf around him,

He will eat the leaf around him till he's full, munch, munch.



He will spin a warm cocoon for his home, spin, spin.

He will spin a warm cocoon for his home, spin, spin.

He will spin a warm cocoon, spin a warm cocoon.

He will spin a warm cocoon for his home, spin, spin.



Then he'll be a butterfly and flap away, flap, flap.

Then he'll be a butterfly and flap away, flap, flap.

Then he'll be a butterfly, be a butterfly,

Then he'll be a butterfly and flap away, flap,



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Ideas to try at home

- Look at pictures of real butterflies and make your own butterfly picture
 - Look at the wings (we will be learning that they are **symmetrical**)
- Make your own button caterpillars
 - How many buttons did you use?
 - Did you make a pattern with the types and colours of buttons used?
 - Can you send a picture or bring your button caterpillars in to show everyone?
- Think about where there may be caterpillars in your garden at the moment and see if you can find them.
- Have you seen any butterflies this year?



Makaton

This week we will learn the Makaton actions for...



Caterpillar



Butterfly



Leaf



Cocoon (Chrysalis/ Pupa)



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