

## **Home Learning in Reception Week beginning 21<sup>st</sup> September**

Hello Reception,

Here are the things we have planned to learn in school for this week. If you are at home please work on these activities.

### **Literacy**

We are finding out about a character who could wear a really tiny cape because he is like a superhero, rescuing all his friends. Who could it be? It is Superworm.

Listen to the story of Superworm on You Tube

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SAu\\_LsBrQTY](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SAu_LsBrQTY)

Talk about the minibeasts in the story. What are the first sounds of them?

Superworm begins with s s s s s s s

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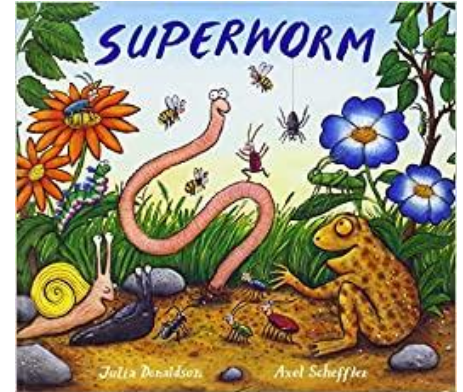
Slug begins with s s s s s s

Bees begin with b b b b b b

Butterflies begin with b b b b b b

Do any of them have the same first sound?

Look at a picture of Superworm. Can you talk about him? Use the words long, bumpy, happy, sad, kind, helpful.



### **For phonics**

Watch the Start the word Video on Espresso (See your log in details given by school), Foundation – Literacy – Word Machine – Videos – Start the word

Can you find some things in your home that begin with the same letters? i.e. spoon, sock, and scissors or a bed, book and bin.

Practise oral blending – Ask your child to touch their h-e-a-d, n-e-ck etc or get the c-u-p, b-a-g, etc

### **Mathematics**

Look at number books.

Look around for a circle, a semi-circle, a triangle and a square or oblong and count the number of squares on it.

Get 3 objects. Say 'I have 3 objects' Get one more. Say 'I have 3 objects'. Encourage your child to tell you it is wrong, and you have 4 objects.

Ask your child to get 4 objects. Ask your child to count them. Move them around. How many now? Keep moving them around until your child understands that the number will remain the same unless you get more or put some away.

### **Topic work**

This week we are starting to look at Emergency services and especially the Police. Talk about how Police keep us safe. Talk about crossing roads and Stranger danger. Look at the Police Uniform.

How does it make them safer in the dark? Find shiny materials around your home.

On Espresso go to Foundation - Understanding the world - People who help us: Police and share the videos, book and activities.

Talk about special people and why they are special.

