



# Early Years Newsletter 24th May 2024

In our class this week have enjoyed learning about animals change as they grow. We found out that some animals look different from their parents. In Nursery we matched the mother and baby animals on the farm. In Nursery we learnt a caterpillar turns into a butterfly and in Reception we learnt about the different stages of the life cycle of a butterfly. In Nursery we have been counting to 5 and finding out about the different ways we can make 5 with two groups. In Reception we used what we learnt about equal and unequal groups last week to explore odd and even numbers in our maths this week.

## STORY OF THE WEEK

**Reception: Journey:** <https://tinyurl.com/4rw6svn8>

**Nursery:** <https://tinyurl.com/3p9ynemw>

### Key vocabulary...

Reception:  
Pupa, lava, adult,  
emerge,  
Cocoon

Nursery:  
Crunched,  
Munched,  
Hungry, Soared,  
Twittering

### Nursery Phonics

This week we have are learning how to blend sounds together and Fred Talk to identify pictures .  
<https://tinyurl.com/32h4s9dp>

Here is a game to see if you can identify the body parts.

<https://tinyurl.com/3ff498>



<https://tinyurl.com/ss84z4b>



<https://tinyurl.com/2s68t543>

## Song of the week:



'I had a little Turtle, his name was Tiny Tim. I put him in the bathtub, to see if he could swim. He drank up all the water, and ate a bar of soap. And now he's in his bed, with bubbles in his throat.



Scan here to listen to a bedtime story!



Reception



Nursery



### Reception Phonics:

j- <https://tinyurl.com/2rj9z3sp>

V- <https://tinyurl.com/2f6edsxf>

W- <https://tinyurl.com/4xh6wx3>

Z-

<https://tinyurl.com/4mh5cgv5>



With the hot weather coming up, please make sure you bring a sunhat and have had sunscreen applied when the sun is out.