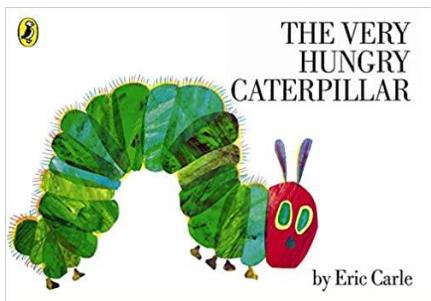




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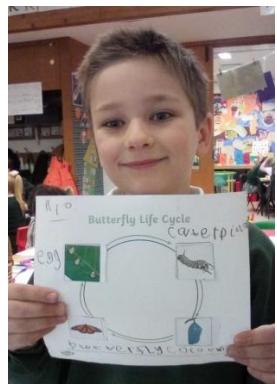
Friday 12th March

It was so lovely to see all of the children again and welcome them back into school this week. It was also lovely to welcome the new Nursery and Reception children to Fressingfield Primary School.



We have been very busy learning all about minibeasts, which is our topic for the rest of this term. Our focus story this week was 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle. We read the book and joined in with repeated phrases in the story. Some of us even knew it off by heart! After, we sequenced key events in the story and described what was happening.

We recapped the story, helping with the retelling by joining in with lots of the words, then we drew story maps.



We learnt about the life cycle of a butterfly and related it to the story. We learnt some new facts too. Did you know that when a butterfly comes out of the cocoon its wings are wet and they have to dry out before the butterfly can fly?

In Maths, we used 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' to help us learn the order of the days in the week. We sang a song too to help us remember this. We also talked about the number 19 and the different ways it could be shown, including on a number line, using objects and with pictures. Some of us compared and measured caterpillars of different lengths and some of us made caterpillar repeating patterns.

We used an activity on Purple Mash to add colours to a butterfly's wings – what we put on one side was the same as the other side. Then we painted half a butterfly, folded it over and opened it up. Both wings were the same!



In P.E, we used a range of equipment and worked in pairs to develop moving with co-ordination and control. We also used some of the outdoor P.E equipment, which was lots of fun! Next week we will continue to work on developing our gross motor skills by experimenting with different ways of moving using the apparatus.

To celebrate the children coming back to school, we also threw a ‘welcome back party’ this week. We made party hats, danced and played musical statues! We also had lots of fun making fruit kebabs, inspired by the food in ‘The Very Hungry Caterpillar’.

In Phonics this week we revised the Phase 3 digraphs ch, sh, th and ng. We had a go at reading and writing words with these phonemes in, as well as the ones we already know well.

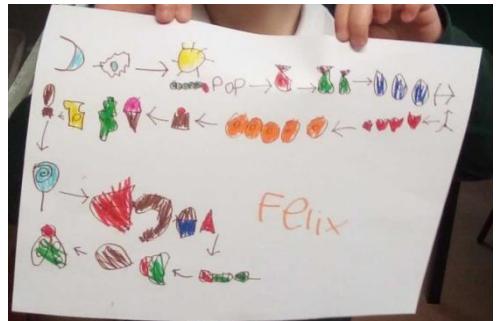
Please note! Mums, there is something lovely in the folder for you for Sunday!



Don't forget to use your World Book Day voucher if you still have it.



Well done to **Felix** who is Waveney Class's Star of the week! He has worked really hard this week on all his learning. He drew a fantastic story map of The Very Hungry Caterpillar, his writing is really neat and he did some super maths work too. Well done, Felix!



Have a super weekend! Waveney Class Team