## **Mathematics**

- Number stories & problem solving
- Estimating, halving & doubling
- Number Bonds
- Odds and Evens ٠

## Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- **Play** -Create environments for insects -Water play, create pipe system -Large art work

  - -Sand and large construction

PSED -Relationships -Changes -Looking after plants -Healthy eating



#### **Communication & Language**

• Co-operative play, taking account of others' ideas

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- Trying new activities
- Understanding their own and others' feelings
- Retelling stories

#### Literacy

- Opportunities for writing in role play
- Write menus and lists
- Sequence stories and retell
- Write instructions

#### **Expressive Arts & Design**

-Matisse snails Art -clay insects -Observational drawings -large snail collage -Spiral patterns -Junk model habitats

**Music** -Rhythm patterns -creating music 'stories'

#### **Physical Development**

- Simple team games and races
- Balancing on apparatus
- Creative dance
- Ball skills- aiming and controlling
- Tennis and athletics
- Parachute games

### **Understanding the World**

**Science** 

- -Minibeast hunts soil, grass etc
- -Life cycles- butterflies/ frogs
- -Identifying minibeasts and insects
- -Pollution
- -Growing plants
- -Changing states of matter

# **Dates For Your Diary!**

- -Back to School: 20<sup>th</sup> February
- -Phonics Games Afternoon: 24<sup>th</sup> February
- -Mother's Day Pamper Afternoon: 17<sup>th</sup> March
- -Easter Holidays: 3<sup>rd</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> April