



## Daisies

## Summer Topic Plan



### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Showing respect for our friends, toys, living creatures and plants
- Learning how to cope with emotions
- Preparing for Year R

### Expressive Arts and Design

- Clay minibeasts
- Fingerprint caterpillars/ladybirds
- 3-D butterfly pictures
- Drawing a picture of myself and my favourite minibeasts
- Art Week - Take One Picture:
  - ❖ Making The blue sea in the playground (material)
  - ❖ Making the blue see in the playground (knitting)
  - ❖ Bring in objects that are blue
  - ❖ Wear blue
  - ❖ Making Blue
  - ❖ Felt fish
  - ❖ Experimenting with different blue media
  - ❖ Blue material - how does it make you feel?

### Minibeasts

#### Physical Development

- Sports Day practice
- The Adventure
- Hall activities
- Bikes and scooters

#### Literacy

- Looking at Non-Fiction books about Minibeasts
- Biff and Chip books and activities
- Writing my name

#### Communication and Language

- Making Butterfly cakes - chatting about sequences
- Making Soup - chatting about our likes/dislikes

### Mathematics

- Sequencing and counting the Hungry Caterpillar's food
- Counting the ladybird's spots
- Sunflower - bring in photos of your sunflower - how tall is it?
- How tall am I now? - Compare to last term's recordings
- Number songs

### Understanding the world

- Minibeast hunt
- Naming common minibeasts
- Watch caterpillars grow and change into butterflies
- Close observation work of snails
- Gardening in the Allotment and our garden - successional sowing of lettuce x 2/maintaining and harvesting
- Pond-dipping (last week)
- Auntie Jackie's Bird Box