

ISLEHAM WEEKLY NEWS



Week ending: Friday 5th June 2020

FOCUS ON RECEPTION

Reception have been finding out all about minibeasts this week and read the story 'Mad about Minibeasts' with Miss Simmons. Look at some of the amazing things they saw, made and wrote about during their mini beast hunting. Well done to all of you.



Jessica



Noa

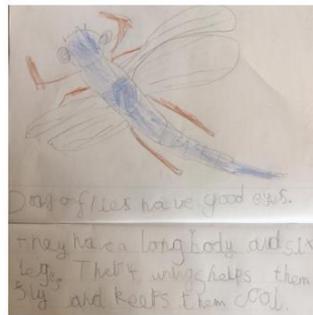


Alfred

Mad about Minibeasts



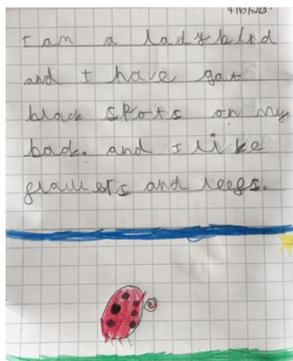
Millie



Joss



Tom



Evie



Lewis



Isla





Eloise



Leo

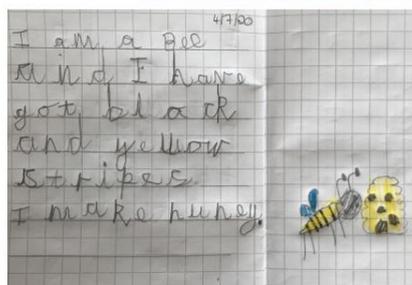


Olivia



Hazel's bug hotel

Abi, Evie & Lottie



Abi

BACK TO SCHOOL

It has been both wonderful and slightly strange to welcome some of the children back to school this week. All of our new small 'bubble' groups have settled quickly into a new routine where handwashing and distancing are important. The children have all been so sensible. Well done to everyone this week.

As we plan ahead, there appears to be an increasing number of key workers considering returning to work. If you are in a position that you think you might require a place for your children in our key worker provision, please give us as much notice as possible, so that we can look into whether we can provide for them. There are currently no spaces available and so we will need to look into open a new 'bubble' to accommodate more children if needed.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FROM 8.6.20

We are looking forward to seeing the key worker children and all of the children who are attending school from Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 again next week. The school began its phased re-opening to those children who had requested places in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6, as well as key worker children and invited pupils on 1st June 2020.



Please could we remind families to move along the distancing drop-off route quickly and avoid congregating near the entrance and exit at drop-off and collection times so that other families can get by without needing to walk in close proximity to others.



Also, we are CHANGING our advice about water bottles. We have trialled using disposable cups all week to avoid children having to bring in their own water bottle, but this has led to numerous spillages! So it makes sense to ask you all to please BRING IN A WATER BOTTLE which your child can keep in their space each day. THANK YOU!



HOME LEARNING

As many parents are still continuing learning at home, please find below links to useful resources which have been shared with the school by the Education Endowment Foundation to help support you in planning for your children's learning.

For parents

[7 top tips to support reading at home](#)

[7 top tips to support reading at home – for Key Stage 2](#)

[Helping Home Learning: Read with TRUST infographic](#)

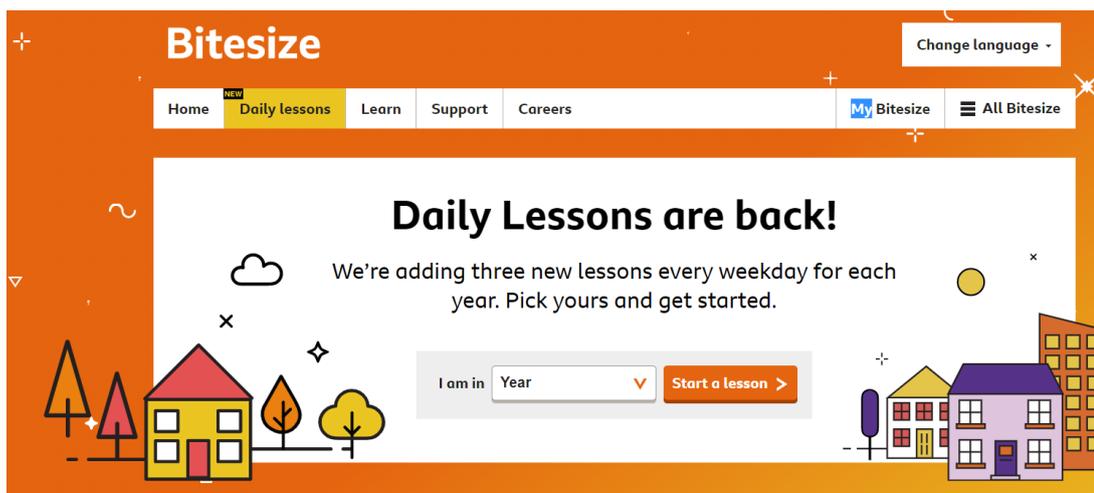
[Helping Home Learning: Read with TRUST comic](#)

[Helping Home Learning: Talk with TRUST infographic](#)

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[Supporting home learning routines: Planning the day](#)

[Supporting daily routines during school closures](#)



Don't forget too that there are a multitude of lessons and activities covering all age groups and subject areas on BBC Bitesize www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize including advice for parents

And also at the Cambridgeshire Learn Together home learning site:-

<https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/home-learning>



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