

Weekly Overview—week beginning: Monday 18th June

Here is an overview of some of the activities we will be doing this week, in whole class and small groups.

Phonics

This week, we will be focussing on alternative spellings of the vowel sounds and looking at where they usually appear in a word. We will be looking at the number of sounds in words and using sound buttons to identify the sounds we can hear.

Notices:

Next week, will be Cultures of Coleridge week. Please let your class teacher know if you would like to share a story, song, dish or other activity with the class.

English/ topic

This week, we will be learning more about insects. The children will be consolidating their learning about the parts of an insects body by designing their own insect. They will be thinking of where the insect might live and what it will eat.

We will also be learning about the lifecycles of dragonflies, ants and spiders. The children are also learning about other species of bugs.

Maths

This week, we will be learning about measuring mass and capacity. The children will be comparing mass using balance scales and exploring non standard units of measure before moving on to look at standard units. We will then move on to capacity and looking at different sized and shaped containers, estimating and measuring their capacity.

Handwriting

This week, we will be writing the words: **mass, capacity, height, length** We will focus on holding a pencil correctly and forming the letters using the correct sequence of movements. We will also develop fine motor skills using playdough, tweezers and pens.