



Springtime

Whilst the weather still hasn't quite decided that it is spring, Year three have been starting to take advantage of the slowly improving temperature. Regular Maypole practices are underway, and in a very short time the Lucky Seven dance, which is a Year 3 tradition, is looking pretty impressive. With 2 weeks to go we are confident of a great performance on the green.

Swimming will now continue until the end of term, and following a couple of missed sessions due to bank holidays, forest school will be another exciting opportunity for all of the year group during this term.

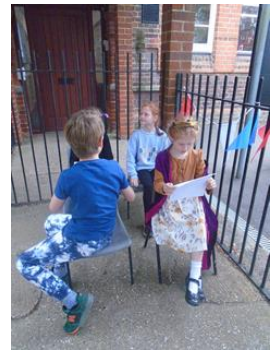
"No Mow May" is here! Long grass, peppered with flowers, is one of the rarest habitats in our well-tended gardens, yet it is incredibly beneficial for wildlife. Patches of long grass encourage different plant species to grow, help insects to thrive and create feeding opportunities for birds and small mammals.

So simply let nature move in! Set aside some lawn, leaving it to grow, and wait to see what arrives. The less pristine the lawn, the more promising it is for wildlife. You can raise the cutters on your mower to make some paths and leave the rest of the mowing until July or August after plants have flowered. More information here;

<https://www.surreywildlifetrust.org/actions/how-grow-wild-patch-or-mini-meadow>

Outdoor English

As part of our work on play scripts we have spent lots of time outside learning how scripts work and how they help us to act a scene effectively using stage directions.



We are Learning...

Maths - We are learning to tell the time To the nearest minute, the 24 hour clock And solving time-problems.

English - We are continuing our unit on Play scripts

History - We will continue learning about Ancient Britain, moving onto the Bronze Age

French - We are finishing our work on Fruits and vegetables

PE - Athletics & Swimming

Computing - We are continuing our learning about networked systems

Science - We are continuing our 'How does your garden grow' unit of work.

Art - we are taking part in a whole school Art project and will be weaving old CDs!