

SUMMER 1: INSECTS

VOCABULARY/DEFINITIONS:

- Lifecycle
- Insects
- Arachnid
- Birth/Born
- Country
- Beginning
- Middle
- End

KEY TEXTS/POEMS:

The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle

The Very Lazy Ladybird by Isobel Finn



SPECIFIC AREAS CHILDREN WILL LEARN...

- To recognise familiar signs and words
- The story of 1 and 2
- That objects can be compared and ordered by weight
- To explore 2D shapes
- To use new vocabulary to describe what they see
- The main features of a life cycle
- To take care of growing things in nature
- To draw people and different lines/shapes.

PRIME AREAS CHILDREN WILL LEARN...

- To follow two part instructions
- To use longer sentences of four to six words
- To shift attention from one thing to another
- To recognise what is healthy and unhealthy
- To play with a small group of children
- To balance in a variety of ways

CHARACTERISTICS OF EFFECTIVE LEARNING AND TEACHING CHILDREN WILL LEARN...

- To develop their own ideas
- To create links with their previous learning
- To enjoy achieving their goals

