



It's a Bug's Life!

Lower Phase

Summer 2022



STUNNING START:

What happened to our teacher?
Each teacher to dress up as a minibeast. Move around classes and learn facts and explore each teachers' minibeast.
Friday – write up of the day.



Terms 5 and 6

Year 1s – 2 weeks on each bug – (e.g. spider, ladybird, bee, ant, woodlouse, butterflies, beetle, worm, grasshopper) then use knowledge for poetry and fiction.

Author: Eric Carle

Year 2- James and The Giant Peach as basis - researching minibeasts in the peach.

Last 2 weeks Poetry

Author: Roald Dahl

Suggested Key Texts:

- Mad about minibeasts
- Ugly Bug club
- Twist and hop Minibeast bop
- Do you love bugs?
- Eric Carle books
- Superworm
- Emily's Legs
- The Omnibombulator
- James and the Giant Peach

MARVELLOUS MIDDLE:

ZooLab visit WB 23rd May
Trip to BEECHE in Bromley
WB 20th June

HALF TERM
30th May – 3rd June

Whole School Writing Week (June tbc)

Book: The Return
By Aaron Becker

Science Focus: Plants, Animals and Habitats.
Week 2 onwards – Caterpillar observation.

History: Charles Darwin, David Attenborough, London Zoo (Y2)

Geography: Contrasting environments

Art: Textiles and Sculpture **DT:** Textiles and Food



FANTASTIC FINISH: Ugly Bug Ball –

Tues 19th July

Activities including minibeast hunt
Picnic

