

Dear Parents and Carers,



Welcome back to a short and exciting term 5. This term our big question is 'What if we shrank to the size of an ant?' We will be having lots of minibeast related fun. A quick reminder that if it is hot, please do apply sunscreen BEFORE school. Children will be able to reapply at lunchtime if they have their own (named) lotion in school. Please consider purchasing a 'child friendly' bottle as we encourage children to apply their own lotion, many children have the roll on or the newer sponge covered ones.

Just an additional note to reassure parents that we actively encourage children to drink throughout the day. Bottles are often filled up by a member of staff so it may look like they've not drank a lot-but this may be bottle number two or three!

### This week

The children were enjoying the story of Superworm when we discovered half the story was missing. We have made some fabulous posters explaining what has happened and used puppets to retell the story too. In maths, the children have been learning to count beyond 10 and have made fun city scapes using numicon and cars in busy streets to help us with this. We have also had our first Forest school session and the sunny weather made it even more fabulous.

#### Wow Words.

**Zooming:** travelling quickly

**calamity:** a terrible disaster

**courageous:** very brave

**wriggling:** to quickly move with a twist and turn

**heroic:** being fearless

**indestructible:** cannot be destroyed



### Next week

A shorter week with the bank holiday but still jam packed with lots of fun! The children will be creating a brand new ending to Superworm; how will they trap Wizard Lizard and how will Superworm escape? In maths, the children will be using real objects to see that the quantity of a group can be changed by adding more and using the 'first, then, now' structure to help.

Best wishes

The Hedgehog Team