

Weeks beginning 20.06.11 *A brief outline of key learning areas in Nursery this week.*



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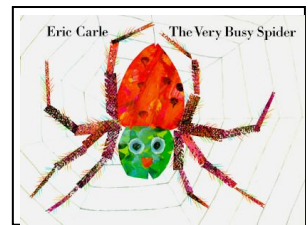
and re-creating our own spider web patterns using different methods. We will be threading our own webs using wool and other items. We will be reading the story of "The Very Busy Spider" by Eric Carle and sequencing and re-telling the story in our own words.

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We will make spiders, counting 8 legs carefully. The children will also be using construction to build a home for a spider. For maths we will be focusing on the number 8 - counting to 8, writing 8, finding different ways of making 8 using objects, eg 4 and 4, 6 and 2, 5 and 3, etc.

Other news

- *Next Monday (27th June) we will be walking the children down to Battle Library for a story and rhyme session. This will take place during the normal Nursery session. We still need some parents to help us walk down to allow a ratio of one adult to 2 children. If you are able to help please speak to one of the staff. We will be leaving shortly after the beginning of the session and will be out for about 1 hour.*
- *You will be receiving a letter about Nursery and Reception Sports Day which will be on Monday 18th July. The rest of the school are holding their sports day on Tuesday 19th July which includes a family picnic at 12.15 in Kensington Road playing fields for parents and children. You are welcome to attend this if you wish, but if your child is in afternoon nursery, please let a member of staff know that your child will be late for Nursery.*



Ideas to help your child at home

Look out for spiders around the garden, outside or indoors. Also look for spider webs and have a go at drawing a spider web pattern.

Practise counting out 8 objects. Find different ways of putting them in 2 groups.

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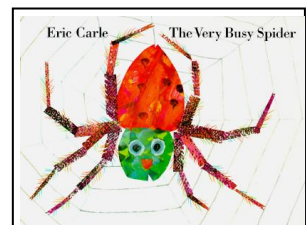
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