

What have we been learning?

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This week, we have been reading the beloved story *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*. In English, Reception are beginning to write a retell of the story, focusing on the days of the week and remembering what the caterpillar ate each day!



In Understanding the World, the children have been carefully observing our very own caterpillars, which are slowly beginning to metamorphose (ask me about this exciting word!) into butterflies. We have been exploring the life cycle of a butterfly, learning about each stage from eggs, to caterpillars, then chrysalis, and finally a beautiful butterfly.



Days of the week

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXMofxtDPUQ>



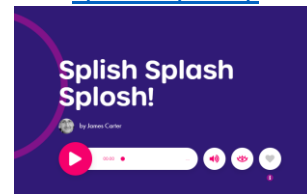
At home, please continue practising the days of the week with your child. It is really important that children are able to recite and identify the day of the week each day.

To challenge your child further, you could ask them:

- What day was it yesterday?
 - What day is it today?
- What day will it be tomorrow?

Nursery: *Splish Splash Splish* by James Carter

<https://childrens.poetryarchive.org/poem/splish-splash-splish/>



Reception:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zn9vhbk>

Old MacDonald had a farm

School Radio - Reception / EYF5 - Nursery Rhymes and Songs - A to Z

