

St Minver School

Head of School: Mrs J Rodwell

Monday 10th May 2021

This week is Mental Health Awareness Week and this year's theme is Nature. We want to help the children to realise that getting outside is good for them so we will be sniffing flowers, listening to the birds, lying on the grass, watching the clouds and feeling the rain on our faces. When things feel a little bit tough getting outside can be just what we need and learning this from a young age can only be a good thing.

This week we are going to be continuing our minibeast learning and finding out about caterpillars and butterflies. Our class caterpillars have certainly grown over the weekend; Colin, Star, Loveheart, Rose and Ginny (super names chosen by Class R) are doing well creating their silk nest and munching up all the food. We can also see how they have grown out of their skins into new ones!

In maths we are focusing on numbers to 20 and creating number stories. We are using the book Mr Gumpy's Outing by John Burningham and making up our own characters to stay in and fall out of the boat. We are then writing number sentences to match what happened!

In our Jigsaw sessions we are thinking about how to be a good friend; sharing, caring, taking turns and being kind have all been great suggestions already this morning. Now we just need to continue to put it into practice!

I hope that you all have a great week. Please get in touch if you have any queries or concerns.

With kind regards,

Mrs Warren

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