

# Newsletter



**Nursery Edition** - Our Topic this half term is 'Growth'

**Book of Next Week:** 'Mad About Minibeasts!'

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May** – Class photos – please ensure your child is wearing full academy uniform.

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May-** Trip to Syon Park Garden Centre – Nursery AM will be leaving at 9.00 am and return at 12.00 noon, Nursery PM will be leaving at 1.00 pm and return at 3.45 pm. Please ensure your child is wearing full academy uniform. A snack will be provided. Please make sure that you return the permission slip and pay for the trip. Thank you!

Nursery AM - 97% attendance and 94% punctuality  
Nursery PM - 95% attendance and **86% punctuality**

Dear Parents,

This week in Literacy, we read the story 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar'. The children were learning about the life cycle of a butterfly, were closely observing how the caterpillars are growing in the classroom and they can't wait for them to build their cocoons and then change into butterflies.

In Maths we were counting the fruits and the food the caterpillar ate in the story. The children are getting more confident in reading and ordering their numbers. We were making patterns with beads and 2D shapes and painted our own butterflies.

We have had some new arrivals in the Nursery this week, seven eggs which have started to hatch and we now have five ducklings 😊.

On Thursday we were busy creating fruit kebabs and acted out the story of the week. Thank you to all the parents who attended our Open Day!

A big thank you to Mr Meyer who sent in a significant amount of Sainsbury's vouchers. ☺  
Have a nice weekend!  
Miss Kis and the Nursery Team



## **Courage of the week award:**



Lucas (am)



Dylan B (pm)

A big thank you to all that attended the Phonics Workshop on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2015. As promised here are the websites you may find helpful. Please visit the website and look at the videos especially [www.ruthmiskin.com/en/parents](http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/parents)

If you would like to purchase any of the flash cards visit the Oxford University Press website, <http://ukcatalogue.oup.com/>, and search for RWI. Any questions please make an appointment to see Ms Maule.