Year 2

Hello Squirrels!

I know Mrs Halfacree and Mrs Dommett loved seeing you and your lovely smiling faces at the St Blaise's Centre on Wednesday morning and I know how excited they are to see you for some more fun on Wednesday. I have heard how hard you have been working and I am so impressed with you all (and parents!) you are all incredible. It would be lovely to have all the Year 2's in on Wednesday so if you can make it please come along and join the fun!!

I would love it this week if you could all bring a piece of work you have completed this week to show on Wednesday or come with any new facts you have learned about minibeasts throughout our topic. This week we are focusing on making and writing lists, there are three different writing activities to complete so you should be a list writing expert by Wednesday! Please remember you capital letters and full stops- they are so important. Have a fabulous week learning and I am so excited to hear about what you have been up to on Wednesday!

We have two weeks (can you believe?!) of this school year left and would be so grateful if we could keep our feet on the accelerator for just a little longer- I know it must feel like a lifetime of learning from home but I want to ensure I can prep you as well as I can for September when you move into new year groups. I have tried to make this week as fun and as creative as I can- who knew bugs could be so interesting?!

I am sending lots of smiles, positive vibes and love to all you all and as always, I am here to answer any questions or help in any way I can (and as quickly as I possibly can)! Keep smiling because every day we are one day closer to normality.

Love Miss Bertrand

Day	Reading	Writing	Phonics	Spellings	Grammar	Topic
Monday	Please continue to read with your child/ren at least 3 times a week	Please, please, please remember CAPITAL LETTERS and FULL STOPS in your writing this week.	This week you are going to complete Phase 6 Phonics activities. On the school website there is a PowerPoint called	Practice week 6 spellings. Spelling tips: Trace, copy and recall.	This week we are reviewing what we have learned. There are some grammar and punctuation tests to complete the	Computing Using the web to research weird and wonderful minibeast. Find out about the Borneo walking

	Read the Bas Tempered Lady Bird. Complete the read and respond 'Text Talk' page. Here is a link to a video reading if you do not have the book: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =bH6UIYCRmAE	Using the 'What do minibeasts need to stay alive template' complete a list of things minibeasts will need to survive.	'Phase 6 Phonics tasks'. Please complete the first activity which is a Wordsearch which is focusing on finding the 'y' sound that sounds like 'igh'.	Highlighting the hard parts. Use a tape recorder to test yourself, and to practice using words. Practice using the words in short phrases.	week. Please don't worry, just let me know how you get on! Complete the Grammar and Punctuation 1 booklet.	stick, the longest insect in the world and the Goliath beetle. Make a poster to display your amazing research.
Tuesday		https://www.yout ube.com/watch?v =5mXEsvrJUnU Watch this video on minibeasts and their microhabitats. Like yesterday, we are making a list of things minibeasts need to survive but today you are only focusing on one minibeast. Think about a worm for	Complete the second activity on the PowerPoint. Today you are writing a sentence about the picture on the 6th slide of the PowerPoint.			Art and D.T On the website there are some craft tasks and ideas. Please pick and create a craft of your choice!

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		example- where				
		does it live? What				
		does it eat? How				
		does it move?				
		Worms help the				
		soil stay healthy				
		so think about its				
		habitat and				
		everything it will				
		need to stay alive				
		and healthy!				
Wednesday	Read the 'Worm		Complete the		Complete the	<u>P.E</u>
Wearlesday	information'		third activity on		Grammar and	Do something
	page. Make some		the PowerPoint.		Punctuation 2	active this
	notes of some		Read the		booklet.	afternoon!
	facts you have		sentences and			
	learned. Tell an		draw a picture to			
	adult or family		match what you			
	member some		have read.			
	interesting facts					
	they may not					
	know!					

Thursday		Today you are	Complete the		Art and D.T
Tharsaay		starting to think	fourth activity on		Pick another craft
		about designing a	the PowerPoint.		idea of your choice.
		home for a	Today you are		Which task was
		minibeast of your	changing the		your favourite one
		choice. Make a	word.		to complete?
		list of all the	For example:		
		things you will	dry → becomes		
		need to keep your	dries.		
		minibeast alive			
		and healthy!			
		Here are some			
		ideas to help you			
		get inspired!			
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Friday	Complete the		Complete the	Test the	<u>P.E</u>
7	Beetle Reading		fifth activity on	spellings you	Do something
	comprehension.		the PowerPoint.	have learned	active this
	Try and		Have fun finding	this week. Did	afternoon!
	challenge		the treasure!	you improve on	
	yourself-			your score from	
	remember,			last week?	
	three stars is the			Good luck!	

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	challenging!			