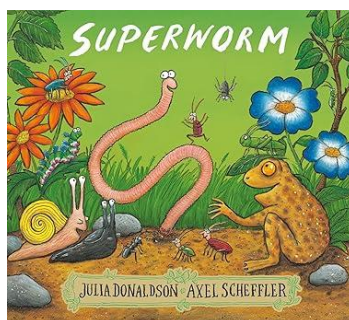


## Nursery news

Week commencing 20/04/26

### Super worm



This week, we have enjoyed sharing the story *Superworm*. We discussed the story, explored its key parts, and recognised the repeated language throughout. We also thought about which creatures live above and below ground and compared the length of worms using vocabulary such as *long* and *short*.

We also discussed how to cross the road safely, remembering to stop, look, and listen before crossing.

Finally, we created a wormery!



### **Some indoor activities the children have explored include:**

- String (worm) printing, exploring how to create random patterns on paper
- Using scissors to cut out a 'wiggly worm'
- Comparing short and long when measuring worms on the light table
- Drawing lines, circles, and other patterns, and beginning to understand the difference between writing and drawing while creating chalk worms on black paper
- Threading Cheerios or beads onto pipe cleaners, and counting how many they can thread to make a worm
- Using magnifying glasses and bug catchers to find bugs in the tuff tray, and asking questions about what they observe
- Rolling playdough to shape it into worms, and measuring their creations with a ruler





**Some outdoor activities have included:**

- Searching for worms in the mud and trying to pick them up using tweezers
- Counting flowers into numbered bowls
- Practising climbing and balancing skills on the climbing frame and climbing wall
- Sharing familiar stories while sitting on the stage
- Searching for the letters in their names in the sandpit





**Some activities you could share at home could include:**

- Sharing a bedtime story
- Counting and recognising numbers 1-10
- Going on a bug hunt together
- Practicing putting own coat on and doing the zip up
- Using a spoon and fork or knife and folk while eating
- Playing a game of 'I spy'. You could you letter sounds or colours.

Next week we will be looking at

'The Very Lazy Ladybird' and 'The Very Bad Tempered Ladybird'

