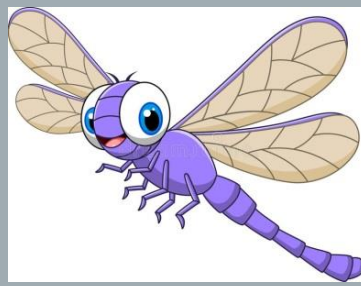


# Year 3 Newsletter



We have been finding interesting places while getting out of the house.



Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Dear Dragonflies and Bumblebees,

We hope you are well and finding lots of interesting things to do while you are at home. We set ourselves a challenge this week, to find the most interesting place to go during our daily exercise and take a photo to share with you. Miss Jones found a beautiful field where she could read in the sunshine and enjoy the peace and quiet. But she did not enjoy sharing the field with so many mini beasts! Mrs Clark went pond dipping with her son in the river at Hothfield Common. They caught lots of water creatures to look at and had a great time until Mrs Clark slipped in the water and had to walk home with a wet and muddy behind! Mrs Ellis went down to the woods and felt very energetic. She was either having fun climbing trees, or she saw a teddy bear's picnic and was startled! What do you think?

I wanted to share with you a picture of one of my favourite places. I lived near this signpost for a long time and I always thought it was a great name for a village next to a town. It always makes me hungry when I pass it. Can you see why?

Why don't you see if you can find an interesting place next time you go out for a walk? And remember to tell us all about it when we get back to school.

You may have heard that some more children are coming back to school during this last term. It is true that the government has said that some year groups can come back but only in a way that keeps them and everyone else safe. Not all of our year group will be coming back before the summer holidays, and that is sad for all of us, but we want you to know that we are still your teachers and TAs. We are so proud of how you have all continued to work while at home and we think you are an unBEElievable year group. Hopefully the summer will DRAGONFLY by, and we will hear all about your unexpected adventures when we are back at school.

We miss you all very much, but we will see you back at school in a few short weeks. Keep yourselves safe, do your best with your work and keep having fun.

Miss Jones, Mrs Ellis, Mrs Clark and Miss Coveney ☺

## Alexander the Great

Did you know?

In the time Alexander the Great was alive there were no such thing as cameras so the only images we have of him are from drawings, mosaics or sculptures which have a slightly different take on what he looked like.



## Mystery stories

Remember mystery stories have many different plot ideas such as:

- A problem that needs to be solved
- An event that cannot be explained
- A secret
- Something that is lost or missing
- A crime that has been committed

Read the Cupcake Mystery and decide which plot idea they have gone within the story. Can you see the other features when you read it with your adult?



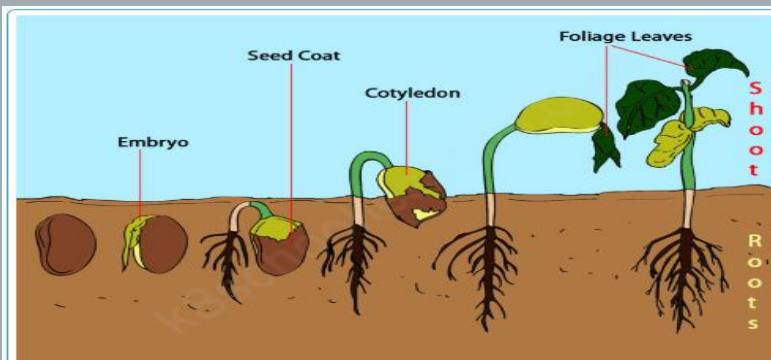
## Science – Green plants

There are a lot of things to know about plants! Watch this video to help you with your Science work:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zv9qhyc/articles/zfyf92p>

Please remember when you keep your diary to write about the process you can see and see if you can use some scientific language also found in this video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TE6xptjgNR0>



What does the acronym **MRS GREN** stand for?  
Can you design a poster to explain it?

### Riddle me this....

Riddle: Where can you find cities, towns, shops, and streets but no people?

Riddle: What word is spelled wrong in the dictionary?

Riddle answers:  
a map and wrong.