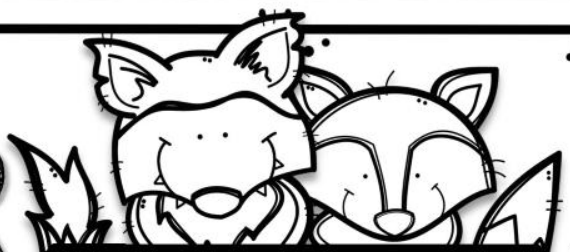


Brambles

NEWSLETTER



Week 40

Dear Families,

We had different types of grasses in the curiosity jar this week to wonder where in the world they came from. We compared "We're going on a bear hunt" to the grass to the grass in "We're going on a lion hunt".

We had fun this week eating 'grasses' as we tried different types of cereals and drank some barley juice for snack.



Week 40

28th June - 2nd July

Grasses

Week 41

5-9th July

Streams

Home Learning: Why not make your own bread at home to have for snack or lunch?

Sincerely, Miss Sallie

Learning Goals:

Topic: 'Summer' **Main Texts:** 'A Garden of Ordinary Miracles: An Alphabet Book' by Robert Zakanitch and 'Nature Anatomy' by Julia Rothman

We learnt this week that grasses belong to a family of plants that have leaves that are shaped like blades. We need grasses to help prevent erosion otherwise when it rains the soil will wash away. Grasses all grow at different rates and there is a huge variety in the heights these grow to, from the short grass of your lawn to the wonderful tall heights of bamboo. Humans can use the grains from grasses like wheat and barley to make cereals. Animals around the world use grass as an important source of food, ranging from cows, kangaroos, to caterpillars and mice. Farmers also feed their animals dried grasses (hay). There are many different varieties of grass found all around the world from the grass on our lawns to the Rhodes grass of the African Savanahs.

Reminders:

Please email Brambles@Brampton.Cambs.sch.uk by Friday 2nd July your child's last day and if you will be attending the drive by.

Tuesday 20th July

An GB age group triathlete is coming to Brambles to help host a duathlon. Children will receive a race number, a medal and and enjoy post race refreshments after their run, cycle/scoot and another run. Children will need to bring in a bike or scooter, helmet and sensible shoes/trainers to take part. No helmet, no race.

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