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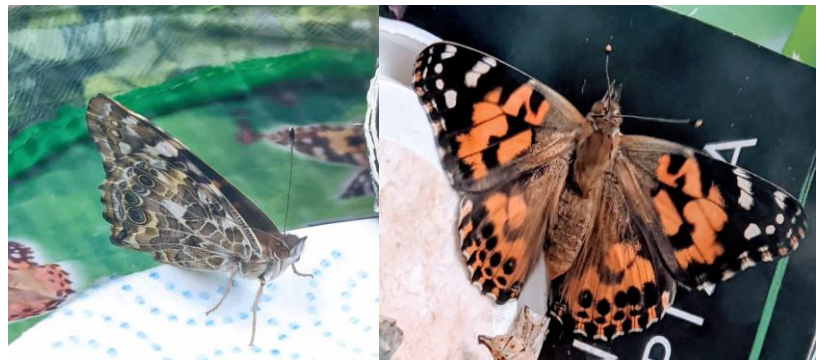
Dear Parents,

I hope that you have had a good week. I hope the children are enjoying engaging in the story of We're Going On A Bear Hunt! This is usually a firm favourite in Nursery, with both the children and staff!

Tadpole Update:



Caterpillar Update:



In phonics this week we would be focusing on the letter 'u'. We would be learning the letter name and the pure sound. A reminder of how to say pure sounds can be found here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LlTw0oiLNys>. We would continue to embed our ability to hear initial sounds by finding the objects that begin with the 'u' sound e.g. umbrella, up, upset, under, uncle etc. We would also continue to orally blend and segment CVC words containing 'u' and maybe even try reading and writing/building CVC words e.g. sun, mug, tuck, cup etc. You may want to use this episode of Alphablocks: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=47ha83v\\_KZs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=47ha83v_KZs). The jolly phonics song can be found here: [https://ceehonduras.org/files/15JollyPhonicsU\\_37.m4a](https://ceehonduras.org/files/15JollyPhonicsU_37.m4a).



**Up, down and around the umbrella and draw the puddle.**

Please visit the school closure site to access further resources to support this newsletter, including a video of myself reading We're Going On A Bear Hunt.  
<https://stnicholas-closure.weebly.com/nursery.html>

Have a good week and take care.

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