**For our final week of the year we will be looking at Lifecycles.**

**We will look at frogs and butterflies but you can also learn and talk about the life cycles of humans, chickens, plants etc.**

**Have a lovely week!**

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| **Watch information clips on lifecycles** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zgssgk7/articles/zwn6mnb>  Life cycle of frogs  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wAcwjWi6I9Y>  Life cycle of butterflies <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jivWeOrCaeI> | **Reading**  Monkey puzzle by Julia Donaldson  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_GzMWFZPqw4>  The Hungry Caterpillar- Eric Carle <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY>  Elmer and the butterfly <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b-GM3QJ1qkk>  The cautious caterpillar ebook  <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-l-526204-the-cautious-caterpillar-story-powerpoint> |
| **Art**  Make symmetrical patterns by folding a piece of paper in half after painting on one side.?  What do you notice  Make some paper plate butterflies.  Make a symmetrical butterfly painting using finger painting.  Make some collage pictures of Emer. Use tin foil, sweet wrappers or coloured paper. | **Science**  Find out about the life cycles of both Butterflies and frogs by watching the video clips.  Can you pretend you are a naturalist explaining what you know about these changes to a reporter. You could even film yourself explaining these changes and post on Tapestry.  Make a life cycle wheel. |
| **Movement**  Crawl like a caterpillar, and hop like a frog!  Jump like frogs <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KfoXOxUgENE> | **Maths**  Practice forming all your numbers from 0 to 20 correctly.  Make repeating patterns with colours or numbers. Predict what will come next.  Using a small mirror explore symmetry and reflection. |
| **Writing**  Practice your letter formation. It is so important to start from the correct point. Make sure you know where that is.  Draw and label a life cycle of a butterfly and frog. | **Fine motor skills**  Cut out a range of shapes and use them to make butterfly pictures. |
| **Music**  Sing five little speckled frogs  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WSC-gHBU_d0>  I went to the cabbages one day  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=shybVatCDKg> | **Have fun!** |