



Ladybird and Bumblebee



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Please ensure your child is bringing a sun hat to school with them every day.

DONUT STOP READING reminder

Every Friday we tally up the total class reads. The class in school with the most reads will then have a treat of donuts the following Monday!

Please fill in your child's **reading record** to show they have read a school book at least **5** times a week.

These books are in line with the Phonics phase that your child is working at. In addition to this, you can record the stories, magazines, non-fiction texts, etc. from home that you share together.

We can then celebrate their reading achievements on Fridays and will hopefully win the DONUT Challenge.

Any children who read 7 times a week (Thursday to the following Friday) are rewarded with a prize on a Friday for their amazing effort!

If you need to speak to your child's class teacher, you can send an email to the class email address which will be checked daily.

ladybirds@millbrook.swindon.sch.uk

bumblebees@millbrook.swindon.sch.uk

Blog

Please remember to check our class blog to find out what your child has been learning about each week. Click on the summer term blog link on the FS2 page of the school website or visit <https://sway.office.com/R1k1SUoNgoXDHUHT?ref=Link>

Do you play a musical instrument?

Over the next term, we are hoping to introduce the children to lots of different musical instruments. If you play an instrument and would like to come and play this for the children to hear, we would be very excited. Please let your child's class teacher know if this is something you'd be willing to do.

Phonics

Using your Floppy's Phonics log-in, you can access a range of e-books at the level your child is reading: [Login \(oxfordowl.co.uk\)](http://login.oxfordowl.co.uk)

Please also remember to look at your child's blue book regularly to practise reading and writing the phonemes and tricky words that they have been learning. Look at the new phonemes and words for the week and recap the ones previously learnt.

Cotswold Wildlife trip this Thursday It is looking like we are going to have lovely weather for our trip to **Cotswold Wildlife Park** on Thursday (16th June). Please apply sun cream before school and send your child to school with a **sun hat**. **They must wear their Millbrook purple top** and any appropriate bottoms and footwear. If your child has chosen to bring their own packed lunch, please ensure this includes a drink and is put in a bag that they can throw away after they've eaten their lunch. You do not need to bring extra drinks for your child. The school kitchen will provide one in their school packed lunch and we are bringing extra water with us too. We will also be bringing sun cream to top your child up at lunchtime.