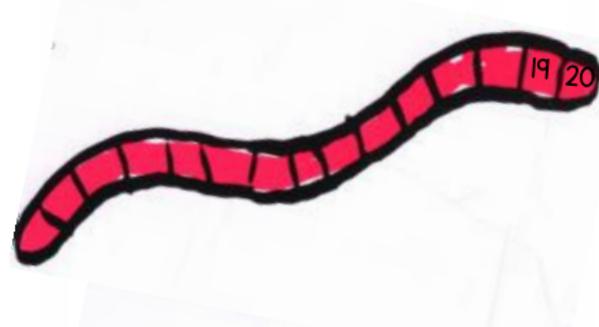
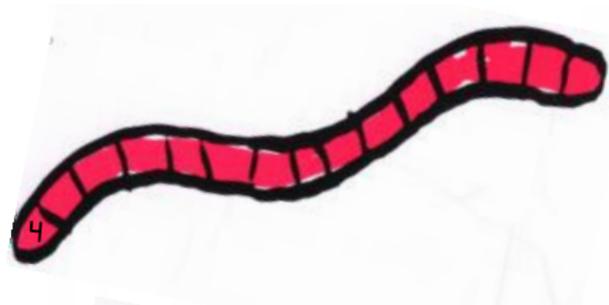
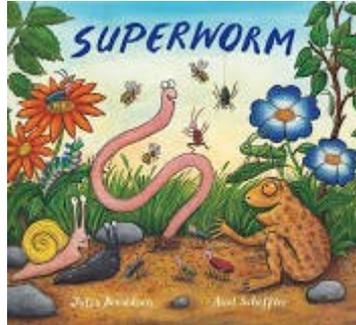




# Home Learning - Maths - Wk 18th May

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Children: Parent Notices and Information Reception Class



**Worm Rain Dance**  
10 stamps - one foot  
10 stamps - other foot  
6 claps  
5 bunny hops  
2 spins  
4 times  
shout "RAIN"





## Notes

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This week's maths learning is centred around the story of 'Superworm' by Julia Donaldson.

If you don't have the story at home you can watch it on the following link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7Jnk3XApKBg>

Monday –

Use your superworm skills to make a symmetrical pattern. Fold a piece of paper in half. Open it back up. Cut some different length pieces of string or wool. Take a piece of string and dunk most of it in the paint (leave a little bit at the end paint free for you to hold onto). Lay the paint covered string on one side of the paper. Fold the paper together with your hands to trap the string so you can feel it through the paper. Begin pulling the string out, moving it around inside your paper. Open the paper up to reveal your symmetrical worm pattern. You could try using more pieces of string in different coloured paint to make it even better.

Tuesday –

Draw some numberline worms. Draw a worm shape and divide it into segments like the picture. Write your numbers in order from the bottom to the top? Can you start with different numbers at the bottom and continue counting? Can you try starting at the top of your worm and counting backwards to complete it? Have a go at some of the worm numberlines in the pictures.

Wednesday –

Worms come to the surface when they hear rain on the ground. Sometimes noises make them think it is raining. Can you follow the instructions in the picture to do a rain dance? Maybe you could make up your own? You could even record your instructions for someone else in your family to follow.

Thursday –

Make your own minibeast supermarket. Use some tins from your kitchen and pretend they have different minibeasts inside. Make some labels using paper to stick on your tins e.g. 10 spiders, 6 ladybirds like the ones in the picture. Use these to set up your own shop. How many minibeasts would I have altogether if I had one tin of spiders and one tin of ladybirds? What about if I had half a tin of caterpillars? Look at different combinations as you play.

Friday –

Have a worm race with someone else in your house. Cut some different length pieces of string and hide them around your house. The two people who are playing the game can't see where you are hiding them so they might need to close their eyes. The players set off hunting for the different length pieces of worms. Come back to the same place. The players tie all of their pieces of worm together and compare the length of their finished worm. Whoever has the longest worm is the winner.