



# Pearl Class Newsletter

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This week, to support our understanding of different plants that we could incorporate into our sensory garden, Mrs Woodward kindly came in to share her knowledge. We are now beginning to plan in more detail and look at the practicalities of creating our garden.

In English this week we have been introduced to our focus text for the term, 'Varmints'. After a wonderful discussion about the text and the moral of the story, we explored figurative devices (similes, metaphors, personification, alliteration and hyperbole) before writing our own descriptions of settings from the book.

In Maths we have been solving problems around place value, working with numbers up to 1,000,000. Next week we will be working on our calculation methods.



## Reminders:

- First homework share – Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm.
- Please make sure children read at least five times a week and record this in the back of the home school book.
- Complete Mathletics homework.
- Our whole class target this year is to make sure we all know all of our times tables – recalling them quickly. Please practise these as often as you can at home.