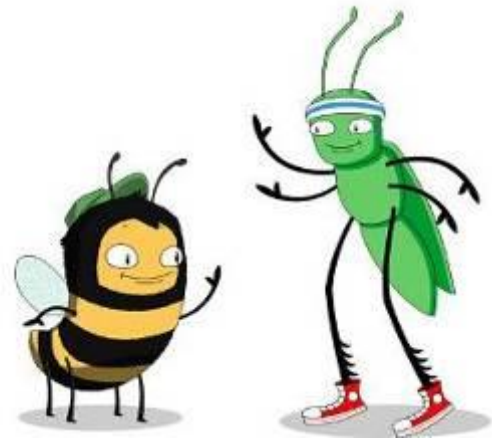
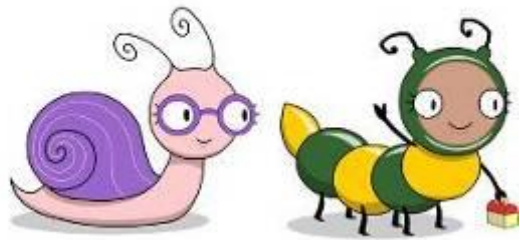




Bug Club

Our school reading programme that joins books with eBooks





What is Bug Club?

- A reading programme that the school will use to help teach reading
- Finely graded reading books and eBooks
- Children will eventually be able to take home the books as well as accessing eBooks via a personalised website
- Used by over 800,000 school children in the UK

The book content features some well-known characters and brands



Why are we using eBooks?



- **Children can enjoy reading books onscreen and completing fun quiz questions found in the eBooks**
- **The quiz questions will help the children practise their comprehension skills**



When can children use the eBooks?



- **If you have access to an internet connection at home, your child can log on whenever they want to**
- **If you don't have internet access, let us know and we will consider how best to make the eBooks available at school**

Using the eBooks



The screenshot shows the Pearson ActiveLearn Primary website. At the top left is the Pearson logo and 'ALWAYS LEARNING' tagline. The main header features three cartoon bugs (a blue caterpillar, a bee, and a beetle) in a grassy field. On the right, a login box titled 'Hey! We've had a makeover. Now it's even easier to log in.' contains fields for 'School ID' (with 'gks7' entered), 'Username', and 'Password', along with a 'Login' button and a 'Forgotten password?' link. Below the header, there are three main content areas: 1. 'Bug Club' featuring 'The Bug Club Song' button and a description of a whole-school reading programme. 2. 'Phonics Bug' featuring a 'Coming soon!' badge and a description of a phonics programme. 3. 'The Zone' featuring a 'Coming soon!' badge and a description of interactive games and activities. Each area includes a 'Find out more & try it for free >' link. At the bottom, there are links for 'Terms & Conditions', 'Privacy Policy', 'Contact Us', and a copyright notice '© Pearson 2011'.

We are providing each child with their own login details to a website where they can read eBooks

www.activelearnprimary.co.uk

Using the eBooks



Log in here
with the
details we
will give you

Example login details

School ID: **gmq6**

Username: **Emilysm**

Password: **damselfly**

Each child's login details will be different

A child's homepage



- **Your child will see eBooks on their homepage**
- **We will allocate eBooks according to the reading level they are currently working at**
- **Books that have been read are stored in 'My Library'**

Reading an eBook



- Click on the book cover to see how many quiz questions there are
- Read the book and click on the bug icons to open the quiz questions
- Your child does not need to finish all questions in one sitting. They can come back to a book later. eBooks in KS2 are designed to build stamina.



Phonics Bug eBooks



- Some eBooks contain a guide to help you know how to help your child with sounds.
- These eBooks also have one quiz question that focuses on their word-skills.

Bug Points and Rewards



Children can collect stickers, decorate their virtual world, buy accessories for their bug avatars, play games etc.

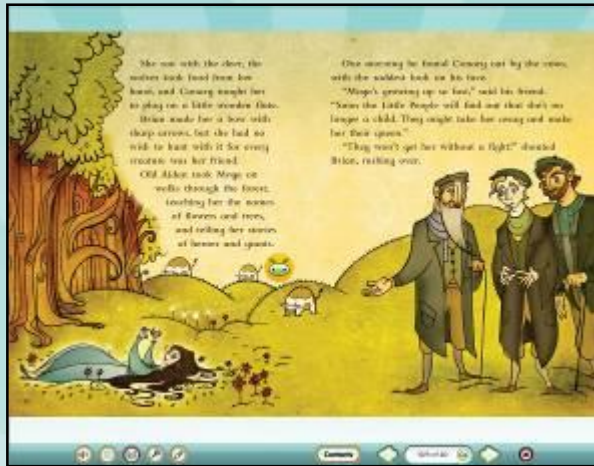
- When they have finished all quiz questions in an eBook, children will gain Bug Points.
- When they have read several eBooks, they will have enough Bug Points to gain a reward.
- A reward will appear on their screen, and they can see this reward in 'My rewards'.

My library



- When your child has finished an eBook, the eBook will move to 'My Library' where they can read it again, if they want to.
- They can choose a new eBook from 'My stuff'.

Getting the most out of the eBooks



- Children can read at their own pace
- Encourage your child to attempt all quizzes
- We can track their progress and help them with types of quiz questions they struggle with.
- Allow your child to re-read a favourite eBook again.