



HOME LEARNING

Nursery

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Morning Message

Good Morning!

Did you see the animals in your house yesterday? Which animals came to visit you? Today's maths is all about noticing things. You can either find things on your walk to use or things from around your house. Look carefully at the objects, what can you see?

Today I would like you all to make a dinosaur out of plasticine. Think carefully about what a dinosaur looks like. Ask an adult to show you a picture from a book or on the internet, if you need help. Take your time with your dinosaur and if you need to use some tools to help you, that is fine. I have asked for you to look for some objects in the dark today, but if you do not have a torch or you cannot make the room dark enough, then you can try and follow some clues from an adult to find them.

Have fun today and try your best!

Focus children this week: Dylan, Emil, Enzo, Florrie and Gabriel

Physical Development

Torch scavenger hunt

Hide some objects in a dark room and let your child look for them with a torch. Maybe they could also hide them for you?

Singing and Action Songs

5 little men in a flying saucer

www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/nursery-rhymes-five-little-men-in-a-flying-saucer/z6qgscw

Watch this video together. We had been singing this song together in Nursery, so your child should be familiar with it. Encourage them to represent the numbers on their fingers.

Are they able to sing the song from 10?

Literacy (Writing/ Mark Making and Phonics)

Mark making

Make a dinosaur out of the plasticine. It can be 2d or 3d. Give the dinosaur as much detail as you can! Eyes, teeth, spikes, feet etc.

Next, practice name writing with laminate and white board pen. Encourage your child to start in the correct place of each letter.

Phonics

Say a list of words to your child and ask them to identify the word that doesn't rhyme.

Here are some simple examples:

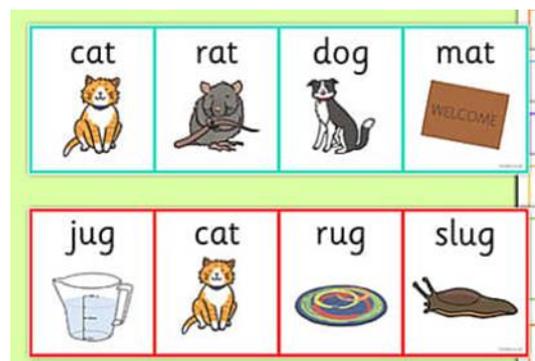
Cat, bat, dog, rat, bat

Frog, dog, fork, log, hog

Spoon, moon, star, tune, dune

Red, fed, pink, ted, bed

Dad, bad, Mum, mad, sad



Are they able to identify the odd one out with more complicated words?
Can they think of their own?

Maths

Space, shape and measures

Collect some things on a walk or from around the home. Ask your child to arrange them and talk about them. You could make patterns with the objects or discuss what they look like. Talk about the details you can see on the objects, such as shapes, patterns or textures.

Key questions:

Why have you chosen to arrange them like this? Have you seen shapes like these before? What have you seen that is similar? Different? Why do you think they are like ...? What is different/the same about these? Are they able to make them fit into a box/bag?



Topic /Cross Curricular /Around The House

Suggested Activities to try throughout the week

If you can, play a board game together with numbers like snakes and ladders. Or if you have dice at home roll it and then you and your child can take it in turns to do that many claps, hops, jumps etc.

Freeze some found objects such as flowers, leaves, sticks, shells etc. Ask your child questions such as how could you melt the ice? How did they get stuck in the ice?



Do the scavenger hunt (from the Home Learning pack) again and put the answers into your Home Learning book. Have the answers changed?

Ask everyone in your family what their favourite thing about themselves is. What is your favourite thing about yourself? Help your child by writing down the answers for them.

Make a dinosaur out of junk modelling. Cardboard boxes and toilet rolls may be the most useful but use what you have. Let your child decorate their dinosaur however they like and display it!





Make dinosaur footprints in playdough/plasticine or salt dough. What could you use to make them? Could you make them bigger? Smaller?

Here is a salt dough recipe, or you could use your own:

www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/how-make-salt-dough-recipe

Joe Wickes P.E. lesson on YouTube is a great way to keep everyone fit and active whilst at home! www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYCLOPd4VxBvD7ogmmPLXYA1q0gFF3pe

If they find these workouts a bit tricky, Joe also has some shorter videos that may be useful. www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYCLOPd4VxBvPHOpzoEk5onAEbq40g2-k