Bluebell Class Weekly Challenges (Reception): Week Commencing 27th April 2020

Life Skill Challenge

In the morning get dressed into your clothes all on your own! Use a timer to see if the next day you can do it even faster! (You may need a little help with those tricky buttons!)

Challenge 1

Phonics

Phase 3 digraphs (2 letters which makes 1 sound) - this week we will look at the "sh" sound.

Watch Geraldine the Giraffe remind us about this sound https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nx2Tf9TE1bc



Song about the sh digraph:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HfMtsRVZWfE

Draw a picture with as many things in it as you can with the "sh" sound in! How many did you manage? Can you write a list of the "sh" words?

We look forward to seeing what you have done on EEXAT! Play **Tricky word Bingo** - see instructions on the next page!

The World Street View - go on an adventure!

Challenge 2



- Use street view to find yours, a friends or a family member's house or street.
- See if you can find the Local Park or somewhere more exciting like Chester Zoo.
- Do you know anyone who lives in another country? Have a look at their street/house. What are the differences and similarities?

Encourage your child to talk about the features of their own immediate environment and how environments might vary from one another

https://www.instantstreetview.com/

Challenge 3

Maths

https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/early-years/

Click on the above link "Summer Term Week 1"

This week's maths activities are linked to the story of Supertato. All activities can be done without the book, but here is a video of the story:



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M1nlJBkWGLo

These manageable activities are simple to do at home and consolidate mathematical language such as more than. Less than, full, half full. There are some activities looking at the features of 2D shape and potato printing repeating patterns. We would love to see what you do. Remember you don't need to complete all the activities. Maybe have a look and see which are manageable. Most importantly - make it fun!

For those children wanting an extra maths challenge see activity on the next page.

Challenge 4 Literacy

https://www.thenational.academy/onlineclassroom/reception/english/#subjects

The Oak National Academy online teaching site is looking at the story of the Three Little Pigs and I though this would fit really nicely with our topic. Have a look at the lessons via the link. (You do not need to complete the phonics activities so fast forward that bit!) You will need a "talking partner teddy!" (Short clips and activities to work through all week i.e listen to the story Monday, create a story map the next day etc...)

And/or you could create a <u>Farm Animal Fact</u> <u>Sheet</u>

Choose your favourite farm animal. Draw or paint it and then see what facts you can find out about it. Remember to write in sentences using finger spaces and full stops. Encourage the children to have a go at sounding out unfamiliar words. At this stage we would encourage children to have a go at writing the words phonetically - so it doesn't matter about spelling mistakes. It is good to see what sounds they can actually hear in the words. Lines for writing on are helpful too!



Independent Activities

Physical Development

Still going with Joe Wickes every morning at 9 am? Don't stop!!

Practise those scissors skills - find an old magazine and cut out some pictures to make a collage or give a toilet roll a haircut!



Get moving! Ideally get out into the garden/outdoor space for this one.

Set a timer for 30 seconds and count how many of the following you can do before the timer runs out.

- Star jumps
- Hopping on the spot
- Skipping with a skipping rope
- Tuck jumps

Chalk your score on the floor or write it down on paper. Challenge your grown-up or sibling to beat your scores.

Exploring Media and Materials Raid the recycling – build a farm!

Have a look through the recycling and make a model using boxes, tubes and tubs etc. Think carefully about your design, draw up a plan before you start. Think about what you will need to attach things together etc and make a list. Then get creating. Once finished decorate your model and make it look wonderful!

Extra Maths Challenge

Introducing subtraction

Watch the clips and then have a go at a few of the activities

Pirate subtraction song:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QkPa9V2wt



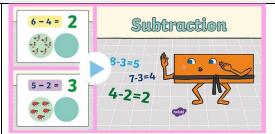
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What is subtraction?>

Subtraction is when you find the difference between two values. Find out how to subtract one number from another.



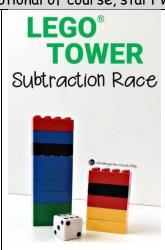
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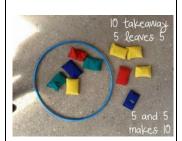


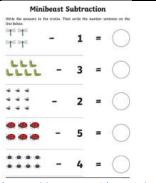
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Activities - these are optional of course, start with the practical activities - have fun!

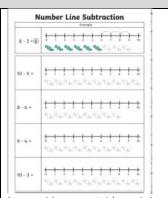








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https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/au-n-194-australia-subtraction-word-problem-challenge-cards

Tricky word Bingo

Help your child to make some tricky word cards (Phase 2 and 3, once your child is confident with phase 2 & 3 move onto Phase 4)

- Put the word cards into a bag/pillowcase/Tupperware tub.
- All players must write down 3 tricky words on their piece of paper.
- The bingo caller selects a tricky word card one at a time from the bag.
- The winner will be the first person to tick off all their tricky words and shouts BINGO.

* remember we call them tricky words because they cannot be sounded out in the usual way, we must learn to read and write them by sight!

Tricky Words:

Phase 2 the, to, I, no, go, into

Phase 3 he, she, we, me, be, was, you, they, all, are, my, her Phase 4 said, have, like, so, do, some, come, were, there, little, one, when, out, what

Printable cards here: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-
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