


Nursery Room - Suggested activities for home learning 1

Choose at least one activity to complete each day.



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Literacy	<p>Read a book to your favourite cuddly toy</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Practice writing the first letter of your name or your whole name if you can ( Make sure you use a capital letter at the start)</p>	<p>Listen to the story of Dear Zoo on THNS.org – you can join in with the animal sounds?</p> <hr/> <p>Draw your favourite animal from the story.</p>	<p>Listen to the story of Dear Zoo on THNS.org – you can join in with the animal sounds?</p> <hr/> <p>Draw your pet, if you haven't got a pet draw a picture of the pet you would like to have</p>	<p>Listen to the story of Dear Zoo on THNS.org – you can join in with the animal sounds?</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Play the true or false quiz (you could do thumbs up thumbs down)</p> <p>Lions are small and soft      True or <b>False</b>                      Snakes are cuddly              True or <b>False</b>                      Monkeys can swing from trees      <b>True</b> or False</p>	<p>Listen to the story of Dear Zoo on THNS.org – you can join in with the animal sounds?</p> <hr/> <p>Have a go at telling the story to a grown up or your brother or sister</p>
Phonics	<p>Play a Phase 1 phonics game from this website  <a href="http://www.welcometothezoo.co.uk/phonicsplay.co.uk">Welcome To The Zoo (phonicsplay.co.uk)</a></p>	<p>This week our letter sound is S                      Watch the teaching of s on the letter  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...">Lesson 1 - Reception - YouTube</a></p>	<p>Recap on the letter sound of s (you could watch the same you tube clip as Tuesday)</p> <p>Listen to the Jolly Phonics song for s  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...">Jolly Phonics Song - s - YouTube</a></p> <p>Don't forget to make a s shape with your hands as you sing the song</p>	<p>Recap on the letter sound of s (you could watch the same you tube clip as Tuesday)</p> <p>Go on a scavenger hunt and find 5 items in your house that begin with the s sound</p> <p>Have a look at the picture <a href="#">here</a>. How many things can you spot in the picture that begin with s ?</p>	<p>Recap on the letter sound of s (you could watch the same you tube clip as Tuesday)</p> <p>Practice writing the letter s . You could tip some salt or rice on a table / tray and practice writing it with your finger.</p>
Maths	<p>Ask an adult to write the numbers 1-5 on small pieces of paper. Choose a piece of paper and find the same number of objects as the number on the paper for example 4 oranges, 5 socks!</p> <p><b>Challenge – use numbers beyond 5</b></p>	<p>Find some coins in your house. What numbers can you see on them? Which is the largest number? Which is the smallest number? Which is the largest coin? Which is the smallest coin?</p>	<p>Practice writing the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5</p> <p>You can say the number rhymes as you write them. Click <a href="#">here</a> for the number rhymes.</p> <p><b>Challenge – write the numbers beyond 5</b></p>	<p>Go on a shape hunt around your house – can you find a triangle, circle, square? Tell an adult how you know that it is a triangle, circle or square?</p>	<p>Play a board game using a die </p> <p>Try to notice the dot patterns without having to count them</p>
Exploration and fine motor	<p>Use Cheerios, pasta or beads and thread them on to a string.</p>	<p>Ask an adult to draw wavy lines or zig-zags on to a piece of paper. Use scissors to carefully cut along the lines.</p>	<p>Use a paper plate to make a mask of one of the animals from Dear Zoo</p>	<p>Use some playdough to make some long snakes. Can you use the snakes to form the letters in your name or the numbers from 1-5.</p>	<p>Have a dance party! Put on your favourite music and dance to the rhythm.</p>
Skills for life	<p>Ask an adult to help you make a slice of toast for breakfast – spread it with some butter.</p>	<p>Help an adult to do the washing up after you have had your dinner</p>	<p>Put on your coat and practice doing up the zip and buttons. For a quick and easy way to put on a coat please watch the video below</p>	<p>Ask an adult to help you cut up a piece of fruit for your snack</p>	<p>Put on your shoes and practice tying your laces.</p>