Reception Working from home: 22/06/20

Basic Skills Literacy:

Share your favourite stories

- Practise sound recognition (red books)
- Practise Set 2 and 3 RWI sounds with Ruth Miskin Phonics on youtube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6eh RQOPkhg
- Practise reading words (yellow books)
- Practise writing your whole name
- Practise 'from the line' letter formations
- Play phonics practise games on 'Phonics Play' Phase 2 and 3 https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/ using username: march20 and password: home

Literacy – It is National Writing Day on Wednesday 24th June.

Set yourself your own writing challenge to practise across this week.

Think about some of the things you find tricky in writing. You might want to practise:

- 'from the line' letter formations
- writing your own name
- writing whole words using Fred fingers to hear all of the sounds
- writing sentences using Capital letters and full stops.

Once you have set yourself your challenge, have a go at it and take a photograph of your work.

Practise each day for a whole week, then have another go and take a photo of your work.

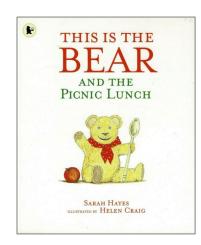
Compare it to the work you did on Day

1. How does it look? Are you finding it

Literacy - Reading

Read the story This is the Bear and the Picnic Lunch by Sarah Hayes, or listen to Mrs Shepherd tell it via the link on our website.

Play roll and retell (see below) – what can you remember from the story?



Basic Skills Maths:

- Count forwards from 0 to 20
- Count backwards from 20 to 0
- Number recognition to 20
- Order numbers to 20
- Find one more and one less than a given number
- Practical addition and subtraction

In the News: Premier League Football

Numeracy/Physical Development

Last week, **Premier League** football matches started again.

Who is your favourite team? What Colour do they wear?

To celebrate, grab a football and head outdoors!

How many goals you can score against your family? What is one more than this number? One less? Can you double the number?

Now it's your turn to be goalie – can you answer the maths questions with the goals scored by other people?



Numeracy - Adding

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WT_wvvEvkw4



Practise your addition skills by watching the video above.

Can you make up your own additions using objects from around your house?

Bonus points for adding in your best pirate voice! Arrgghh!

easier? Are you proud of yourself? What are you going to work on next?

22-28th June is National picnic week



Visit https://www.nationalpicnicweek.co.uk/ and watch the introductory video.

Think/talk about:

Your favourite place to have a picnic-Why is it your favourite? How often do you go there? Who do you go there with? How do you get there? What is your favourite food to eat on a picnic?

If your favourite spot is nearby, why not organise a family picnic? Grab a basket, bag or box and some blankets – as well as your favourite food and drink of course!

There are also some activity ideas on the website for your family to join in with as you picnic.

If your favourite spot is too far away or the weather is too bad, why not have an indoor picnic instead? They can be just as much fun to plan – and eat!

Check out the handy picnic guide below.

National picnic week - Design and Technology

Visit

https://www.nationalpicnicweek.co.uk/food.html

to look at some recipe ideas for your picnic - you don't always have to have sandwiches!

See if the Bresaola Rolls, Broccoli Frittata or Sausage rolls take your fancy. If not, visit some of the video links below to look at other ideas.

Once you have chosen what you and your family would like to eat, help out by writing a **shopping list** of the ingredients you need.

On the day of your picnic, help out with the preparation by getting hands-on in the kitchen.

Think/talk about:

What you need to do before you handle food.

How to stay safe in the kitchen – think about germs, using equipment, using the space alongside other people, how to store food once it is made.

What do you need to do once the food is all made?



National Picnic Week – Memory Game (Communication and Language)

Learn how to play the memory game - 'I'm Going on a Picnic'

This alphabet memory game can be played with as few as two players, but it's much more fun when the whole family joins in.

To begin, the first person says "I'm going on a picnic and I'm bringing..." followed by something that you can eat that begins with A.

The second player repeats what the first person said, but adds a food that begins with **B**. e.g "I'm going on a picnic and I'm bringing apples and bananas."

Continue with C, D and the rest of the alphabet.

How far can you get before you lose track of all of the foods on the list?

Can anyone make it all the way to the end of the alphabet without forgetting any?

National Writing Day – Personal, Social and Health Education – write a letter to a Care home

Visit https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/mydearnewfriend/ to read all about #MyDearNewFriend

This project encourages children to write letters to people living in Care homes.

Research shows that writing letters makes children feel happy and helps them express their feelings. In return, your letter to an elderly person living in a Care home during these difficult times, will brighten their day and remind the they are not alone. You never know, you might even get a reply!

To take part, use the instructions on the website, or follow them in the attached PDF - #MDNF



Topic - Minibeasts

Understanding the World/ Physical Development

Watch the youtube video - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e6Sq7- G-TA

This shows you how spiders make their webs. It looks pretty easy in this short video, but how easy is it for you?

Get some string, wool or strong thread and have a go at making your own web! You might use furniture in your house, plants and trees in your yard or garden, or even have a go at making it when you are out on your walk – just remember to take it all down when you are done. How big can you make your web?



Topic - Minibeasts

Communication and Language

Watch the video of **Incy Wincy Spider** on youtube.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TMfPKUz3hvE



Practise singing along and performing the Makaton signs that Mr Tumble uses. Why not perform the song for your family?

Remember:

- Use a nice clear voice so others can hear you – but you don't need to shout!
- Look at your audience while you perform.
- Smile!

Topic - Minibeasts

Understanding the World

Ask a grown up to help you with this job.

Use google, an encyclopaedia, or any other books you might have to find out as much as you can about spiders.



Think/talk about:
Are spiders insects?
What body parts does a spider have?

What makes a spider different to a fly or an ant?

What does the word arachnid mean?

Why do spiders build webs?

Mindfulness - Noticing sounds

Now that you have used your ears to enjoy and experience Make Music Day UK, it's time to out your ears to the test! On one of your daily walks, in your garden or yard, or even sitting at your bedroom window; take a break to notice sounds around you.

Sit in a Comfortable position, close your eyes and breathe slowly and deeply, in and out. If you have a timer or stop watch, set it for 1 minute.

Your only focus is to **listen** – what do you hear? How many different sounds can you list? (you might want to write them down or draw pictures of the things you notice).

Repeat this activity across the week – maybe you could try different times of the day to see how the sounds around you change? You could even do this when you first wake up on a morning – what sounds can you hear before you even open your eyes?





Useful links

Please continue to practise and learn your sounds. You can do this using your red 'sound book'. Also, there are videos of all the sounds being introduced on the school website. https://www.reidstreet.darlington.sch.uk/foundation/

Daily, Read, Write Inc sessions are being uploaded to YouTube. In addition, there are stories three times per week (Monday, Wednesday and Friday). See the link below. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA cFClg9GdxtQ

There are additional maths activities uploaded on the White Rose Website https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/early-years/ and Oak Academy https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/early-years/ and

Discovery Education - https://central.espresso.co.uk/espresso/primary_uk/home/index.html Username: student1067 Password: R3idst