Reception Home Learning - 15/06/2020

We hope that you enjoyed last weeks' activities with your child. The children in school have enjoyed the variety of activities on offer. We will have the same timetable for the children at school each week, just the content of the learning will change, so feel free to continue using this at home too. We would like to continue to offer you some ideas for maths and spelling that will help the children with their learning at home. We understand this time is really tricky but keeping some learning in place at home will help children with the transition when they return to school. The activities outlined below are appropriate for Reception and are the type of activities the children will be experiencing at school. We will alter the activities slightly each week but if you find a particular activity works well for your child then definitely use it again and return to previous activities as much as you like. We hope they are helpful.

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Activities to use at home Phonics/Handwriting | Red words - In Reception we focus on some of the Red words each week, we 30 mins start by reading them and then writing and spelling them. Please have a go at Timings are for reading, writing and spelling the Red words for this week. (As well as Spelling guidance Shed/Study Ladder). Here are some ideas: (10 minutes) Rainbow writing (writing the word in a colour and then tracing over it in This week's Red words another colour and then another colour etc). to read and write: Write the words out, then cut them up and put them back together. we Use chalk and write Red words outside. Try to use the Red word in a sentence, you could say the sentence rather all they than writing it down. for Think of a rhyme to help you spell the word 'N-O spells no.' said **Letter formation** - To develop handwriting and letter formation skills we would continue to encourage the correct pencil grip and sitting position. Practise the correct You could write words orientation of the letters to make sure they are formed properly and try to make outside using chalk or them equal in size. Here are some letter formation ideas: (10 minutes) paint them. Write the Practise name writing Write lowercase/capital letters of the alphabet in the air using a magic finger. words on paper, cut them up and put them Form letters in shaving foam, sand or cornflower paste. back together. Create an alphabet strip using capital letters and lowercase letters. Make two sets of alphabet cards and play alphabet snap. **Phonics** - In phonics we will continue to practise our sounds, blending and This week's phonic segmenting words. Here are some ideas: (10 minutes) sounds: oa, oo, oo, ar Write some words with this week's phonic sounds and use them in a sentence. Continue to practise the sounds in the blue phonics book (especially the diagraphs — two letters making one sound). Play I Spy and hunt for objects starting with the corresponding letter. Make a collection of objects starting with the same letter. Write some three letter words (CVC) such as, pen, dog, hat. Write a simple sentence; I can..... or The dog is big. Remember to use Fred fingers to sound the word out! Watch Jolly Phonics songs on YouTube.

Maths — 30 mins Timings are a guidance. - Clap as you count. - Share books and counting rhymes. As well as Numbots/Study Ladder/Purple Mash Practise ordering and counting to 20 and back each day: (10 minutes) - Clap as you count. - Share books and count objects in the pictures (animals/cars etc). - Sing songs and counting rhymes.

(Choose which numbers to focus on based on your child)

- Look for numbers in the environment; on car registrations, houses, and road signs.
- Count as you go up and down the stairs.
- Count cutlery as you set the table for tea.
- Count in 2s. Make pairs of socks and count them.
- Count in 10s. Use actions to help you, 10 touch your head, 20 touch your shoulders and so on to 100.
- Write numbers to 20 on paper, cut them up and ask a grown up to mix the numbers up, how quickly can you put them in the right order?
- Make a number line to 20, cover some numbers, miss one out, find a number.
- Choose a number and count on to 20. Choose a number and count back to 0.
- Count Lego, pasta, buttons, cars or pebbles.
- We would be introducing counting in 2's. Use a number line and hide the odd numbers, only count the even numbers.

Finding 1 more and 1 less: (10 minutes)

- Build a tower of bricks, build two more towers one with one less brick and one with one more brick. What do you notice?
- On a number line pick a number and find the number one less and one more than the number you have chosen.
- Ask your grown up to tell you a number (1-20). Place this number of raisins or cereal pieces on a plate. If the grown up says 'one more' add one more and count and say the number. If your grown up says 'one less' eat one and then count how many you have left.
- Draw a snake with some spots, now draw another snake with 'one more' spot and a snake with 'one less' spot.
- Watch Numberblocks episode (Cbeebies).

Simple addition and subtraction: (10 minutes)

- **Doubling:** Collect a group of objects and another group of objects with the same amount, double 1 makes 2, double 2 makes 4 and so on. This is good to do with dominoes and find the matching dots.
- Make your own paper dominoes and find the doubles.
- Draw some ladybirds and divide them in half, draw spots on one-half and the same number of spots on the other half and use them for practising doubling.
- Draw a number line outside using chalk from 0-10 or 0-20. Stand on 10 or 20 (depending on your number line) ask your grown up to say a number between 0-10 (0-20) and jump back to that number. Count your jumps.
- Using toy cars park 8 in a pretend garage, 3 drive away count back from 8 as you take 3 away. Vary the numbers each time.
- Play simple addition and subtraction games on Topmarks Maths.