



The Avenue Primary School

Work from home - Nursery

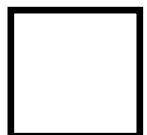
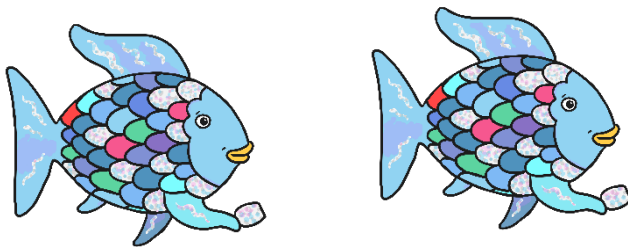
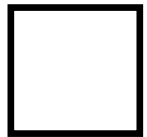
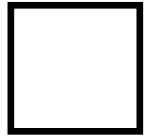
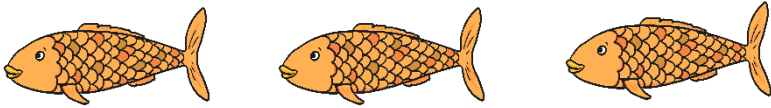
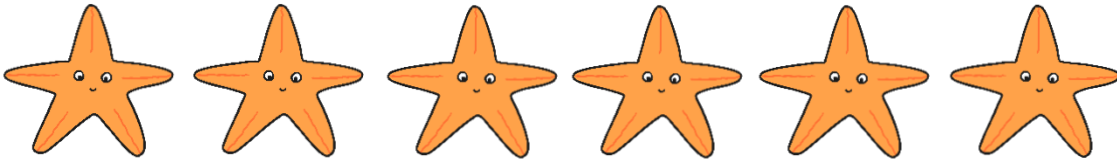
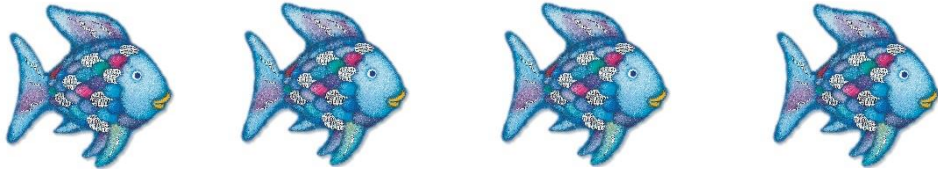
Suggested activities to fill your daily timetable

Our topic for this half term is called '**Why is water wet?**' The topic looks at staying safe in and around water, properties of water, things which are waterproof and floating and sinking. We can have lots of fun with water, however adults must be present when we are playing with and exploring water to ensure we remain safe.

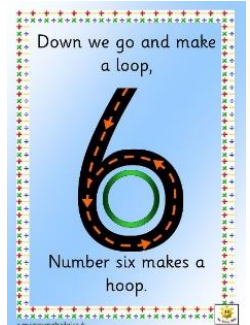
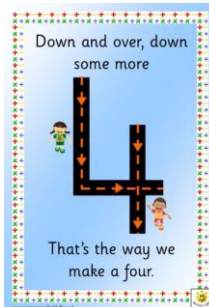
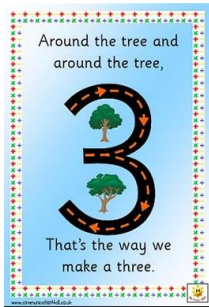
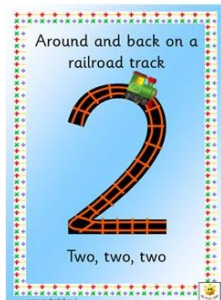
Reading	Fine Motor Skills	Creative	Communication
Share stories and talk about pictures, characters and storylines. Listen to the story read by Mrs Owens. Can you think of the adventures you would go on if you were like Bodhi trapped inside a bubble?	Place a sponge under water and squeeze it until it fills with water. Now squeeze it as hard as you can to let the water out. Repeat this to strengthen your hand and wrist muscles. You could try filling up some containers by squeezing the water from your sponge into them!	Try some colour mixing. Put a couple of drops of food colouring into a cup of water to see what happens. Give it a mix. If you add a different colour, which colour does it make?	Practise the song 'Row, Row, Row your Boat'. You could teach your parents some of the different versions we sing at school. <i>If you see a crocodile, don't forget to scream. If you see a polar bear, don't forget to shiver. If you see a lion, don't forget to roar!</i>
Physical	Writing	Self-Care	ICT
Try our 'daily run'. Try to run, jog or walk each day of the week. This could be laps around your garden or around a local park with an adult.	Practise name writing using your name card provided in your work pack. For those of you who can do this, try your surname too! It is really important to continue to practise name writing each day.	Wash your hands with Peppa! Can you learn the song to help you wash your hands? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZOkN4IV0gN8	Click the link to watch a video to help you understand floating and sinking. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s2DTW0EMigk

Maths

- Fill up the bottles you found last week with different amounts of water. Lift each bottle up. Do they feel different? Some may feel **heavy**. Some may feel **light**. Can you put them in order from the **lightest** to the **heaviest**?
- Try the link below to practise your counting skills. Can you find the correct numeral to answer the questions?
<https://www.primary games.com/math/fishycount/>
- Count the seaside images below. Can you write the answer by forming the correct number?



- Continue practising writing the numerals you have been learning using the rhymes below to help you. The more you do this, the easier it will become and you will be writing your numbers in no time!



- Watch the Number blocks videos to continue becoming familiar with the numbers 1-6:

- 1 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7APNVVdrx5M>
- 2 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JCUGLyVkmIM>
- 3 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bkufsme9qiA>
- 4 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZOFZI7LcGMQ>
- 5 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cDjb7BIT9I0>
- 6 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xZ9QSeqk2Vc>

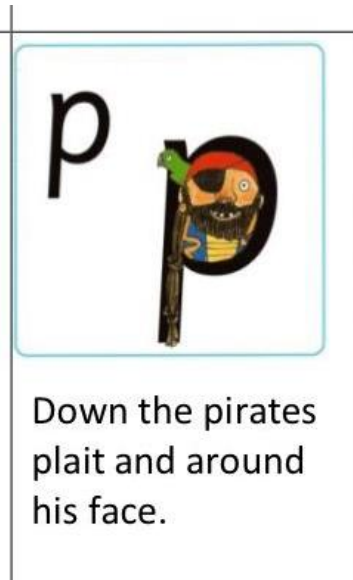
Phonics

- Click on the link and watch the video for the sound 'p'. Practise saying the sound 'p'. Repeat the sound lots to practise, making sure you can hear it and say it clearly. Remember to repeat 'p, p, p, p'

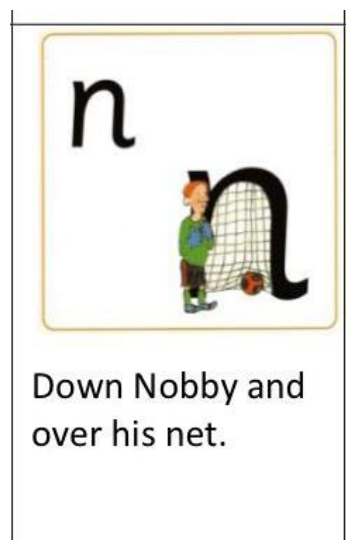
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TsCrRdFu7k&list=PLth2Z62NSFRGp8rBwEkxC_hCpX3S_Th_JN

- Can you find items around your home or in the garden beginning with the sound 'p'?
- Sprinkle some 'magic' on your finger and practise air writing. Use big movements to create the sound 'p' up in the air. Use the rhyme 'Down the pirate's plait and around his face' to help you form your 'p'.

You can repeat this, creating the sound in a sand tray or in water.



- Now you could try writing the letter on paper using a pen or pencil. The more you practise, the better your letters will become! Repeat this using different media, such as chalk, paint, gel pens. You could even try making the letter from playdough!
- Towards the end of the week, you could repeat the previous activities, learning the sound 'n'. Continue watching the video for the following letter.
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TsCrRdFu7k&list=PLth2Z62NSFRGp8rBwEkxC_hCpX3S_Th_JN



"Down Nobby and over his net"

- Continue to practise the letters you have learnt so far. Lots of repetition and practise will help improve your formation.



Creative

- Design a boat which can float in water. It must have a sail to help it cross the water. What else can you include in your design? Could your boat have windows? A flag?
- You could try to make your boat by following your design. Try to find recyclable items around your home such as foil containers, lollipop sticks, milk cartons, plastic bottles and bottle tops.



Test your boat in water. Does it float?

- Create a poster or list to show all of the items you have found which can float and all of those that sink. Look at the idea below to help you.



Understanding the world

- Watch the video of Blippi testing his objects to see whether they sink or float.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cSjNd2kZW-k>

After watching the video, fill up a bucket with water. Can you find some objects around your home which you could use in your experiment? Remember to only use items your parents are happy for you to use in water.

Before you place each item in the water, do you think it will sink or float? Test each item to see if your guess was correct.

- You will need a parent to help with this one! Why not try making your very own lava lamp!
Click the link below for instructions on how to make one.

<https://www.science-sparks.com/how-to-make-a-lava-lamp/>



Writing and Reading

For a child friendly version of explaining what is happening at the moment you could share the books below. Please visit:

<https://nosycrow.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Coronavirus-A-Book-for-Children.pdf>

Practise 'air writing' some new sounds. Use the website below to watch some sky writing to show you the correct formation.

<http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/skyWriter/index.html>

Oxford Owl - <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/>

Book trust - <https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>

Letters & Sounds - <http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-1-games.html>

Phonics Play - www.phonicsplay.co.uk **Username: march20 Password: home**

<https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/>

Collins- <https://collins.co.uk/pages/big-cat-ebooks>

Twinkl- <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/literacy/reading/reading-ebooks>

Keep active!

<https://www.thebodycoach.com/blog/pe-with-joe-1254.html> - 9am PE with Joe Wicks

This Girl Can - Disney Workouts - <https://www.thisgirlcan.co.uk/activities/disney-workouts/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9JI01thiHYI>

<https://www.qonoodle.com/>