

North Downs Home Learning Projects and Activities

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Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Practise your addition and subtraction skills.

 Can you make 2 groups of objects and combine them to find out how many you have altogether? Draw a picture showing your calculations.

Challenge: Combining groups of objects.

- Build a tower of bricks. Count how many you have at the beginning and then take some away. How many are left?
- Write a number story using 'more' 'less' 'add' 'take away' 'altogether'. Once upon a time, Ms Morgan had 5 shells. Mrs Cobbold gave her 4 more so there were 9 shells altogether.

Weekly Reading Tasks

(Aim to do 1 per day)
Read a little every day.

- Read for 5 minutes every day. Use books from home or access free e-books (level 1+ or 2) at Oxfordowl.co.uk

 https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/forhome/find-a-book/librarypage/?view=image&query=&type=book&age
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- Remember to practise your common exception words for phase 2 and phase 3.
 You will find these in the front of your child's blue and green sound books.

Weekly Phonics/Spellings Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Focus on digraphs 'ng', 'ai' and 'ee' this week.

- Can you think of a word using these sounds?
- Is the digraph at the beginning, in the middle or at the end of your word? Use your phoneme fingers to help you.
- Play a game with your family and see if you can change one phoneme in your word to make a new word? For example: k-i-ng/r-i-ng; r-ai-in/p-ai-n/

Weekly Writing Tasks

(Aim to do 1 per day)
Apply phonic skills to writing.

- Write a simple sentence to tell us what is happening to your bean.
- Make a list of jobs you can help with at home.
- Draw a picture and write a simple sentence about it.
- Write a menu for breakfast, lunch or dinner.
- Write some words that rhyme with 'hat'.

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week: All About Me

(These are things to do through the week...)

Friends and Family Challenge

Make a simple book or poster of all the important people in your child's life. You could use photos you already have or ask family and friends to send some. Your child could also draw some pictures too. Talk about where everybody lives, the distance apart and places they are. You could add to your book throughout the week.

Let's Dance Challenge

Find a way of playing music. Play a different variety of songs. You could try Rock, Disco, Classical, Reggae or Bollywood. How does each type of music make you feel? How could you move to the music? Which do you like best and why?