



Home Learning From Tuesday 19th May

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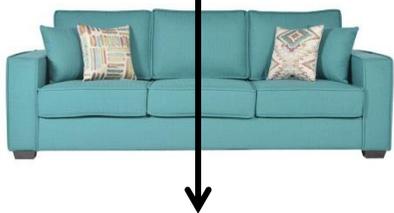
Symmetry Hunt

If something is symmetrical it means it is the same on both sides.

Go on a symmetry hunt around your house. Make a list or draw pictures of all the objects you find that have at least one line of symmetry.

Challenge:

Can you find anything that has more than one line of symmetry?



Find the Difference

For this activity you will need two dice, counters (or something similar), paper and a pen.

Draw a playing board (see example) on a piece of paper for each player.

0	1	2	1
2	3	0	3
1	0	5	4

Each player takes it in turns to roll the dice and calculate the difference between the numbers. They then cover their answer on their board with a counter. The player who covers all the squares on their board first is the winner.

Challenge:

Playing this game with 4 dice (or more) will extend the level of difficulty for subtraction calculations.

How much is my name?



Ask your parents for their loose change or use some from your piggy bank if you have one.

Can you make each letter in your name using the coins? For each letter make the shape and then count up how much many coins you have used for each letter.

What letter had the most coins?

Challenge:

Can you count up the value of each letter in your name?

What letter is worth the most?

Ordering and Sequencing Numbers

Go on to Top Marks games and have a look at either Caterpillar Ordering or Coconut Ordering. For both of these games you can choose the level of challenge that is best for you.



Tug of War

For this game you will need a counter (or something similar), paper and two dice.

Draw a number line on your piece of paper or print and use the one provided. Place the counter on the number 15. One player is called 'Plus' the other 'Minus'. Plus moves the counter from left to right and Minus moves from right to left. Take it in turns to throw the two dice and add up the two numbers. Move the counter that number of places in your direction. If the counter reaches 0, Minus has won and if the counter reaches 30 Plus has won. Once you have got used to the game, you might like to make some changes. Perhaps you have one counter each and see who gets to their end first; maybe you want to use three or 4 dice and a longer number line. You might your own ideas. When you have changed the rules, you can talk about whether or not your change makes the game better to play.

STEM Art and Nature

When you are out and about on your walks or in the garden, look around and collect some sticks and twigs that are lying loose. Use tape, string, and the sticks to create a raft.

Does your raft float?

How much weight can it hold before it sinks?

ART Paper Chain

For this activity you need paper. You could use old magazines,

wallpaper, or craft paper, whatever you have in your house. Cut 10 strips of paper the same length and width. You may need an



adult to show you. Why not decorate each strip in bright rainbow colours and hang it in your window next to your rainbow picture to say thank you to all the Key Workers?

Food Art



An Italian artist called Giuseppe Arcimboldo made pictures using food.

Can you create a food face using things you have in the house? No need to cut things up.



Reading

Check out the Reading Eggs website

www.readingeggs.co.uk



Reading Eggs are offering a 30 day free trial. Do the progress check to see where you are and then play the fun games to help you practise your reading at your own level. How many eggs can you collect?

Tricky Words

Phase 3 Tricky Words

he she we me
be you all are
her was they my

Let's learn to read these words. You'll find activities in the Phase 3 phonics booklet included with this grid but you don't have to do them. They do however give ideas of what you could do to learn the tricky words. Sing along to one of our favourite songs in class -

<https://youtu.be/R087IYrRpgY>

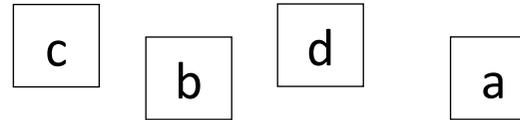
Alphabet



Find Jack Hartmann's Alphabet Song on YouTube and sing along to learn the order the sounds and letters go in the alphabet.

<https://youtu.be/tOKzM3V9oYM>

Can you write the alphabet out in the correct order? You could write them on pieces of cardboard or use your sounds from your book bag and put them in order.



Magic Paint

Word Building: Take a cup of water and a paintbrush or cotton bud out into the garden. What words can you 'paint' onto the fence or slabs?

Handwriting: Practise correct letter formation using the 'magic paint.' Can you correctly write the whole alphabet before the letter 'a' dries and disappears?



Weekly meal Planner

Write down what you eat and drink each mealtime for a week. You can design your own page in your journal or glue in the worksheet.



French Colours

Remind yourself of French colours by watching the clip on YouTube.

<https://youtu.be/acvUtipaC5Y>

Write each colour on a piece of paper or card and place next to something in your house of that colour.



Craft - Origami Dogs

Follow the instructions to create an origami dog.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wWVppdfYOx8>

Can you use different sized pieces of paper and create a family of dogs? Maybe they need a home! Can you write a few sentences about why your dog would make a good

pet? How about making a pen / cage for them to live in?



Learn a Skill for Life

What can you do around the house to help? Do you keep your own bedroom tidy? Spend some time on your own putting away your toys, craft supplies or clothes.

Perhaps you could learn how to wash or dry some dishes. Maybe you could make your own sandwich. What about hoovering a rug or sweeping the floor?