

Reception Remote Learning

Theme: Christmas!	
Monday	Make Christmas cards together for friends/family. Encourage your child to write names/greetings in the cards where possible.
Tuesday	Make a simple tree decoration together using salt dough, recipe below. You can decorate this with glitter/sequins/paint etc. https://www.yummytoddlerfood.com/activities/the-best-salt-dough-ornaments/
Wednesday	Write a letter/Christmas list to Santa! Encourage your child to sound out words or have a go at writing the initial letters in words.
Thursday	Set up a Santa's work shop role play area somewhere in your house. Give your child some wrapping paper/sellotape/pens/paper. Encourage them to be the elves/santa etc and help them prepare for Christmas!
Friday	Make a paper chain with your child using strips of paper – how long can you make it? Take a photo to show your class on your return!

Phonics: Reading CVC words	
Monday	<p>Watch the jolly phonics songs, and pause video when you get to qu. (this is where we are up to) https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x2wpdvv</p> <p>Play Buried Treasure on Phonics Play (Phase 2), as many times as your child would like to, sounding out the words and blend sounds together to read each word.</p> <p>https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/buried-treasure</p> <p>Cut up word sheet words and stick up around the house, children to say a word when they see it.</p>
Tuesday	<p>Watch the jolly phonics songs, and pause video when you get to qu (this is where we are up to) https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x2wpdvv</p> <p>Write out the following sounds on small pieces of paper, and use them to build words with your child and read together (you could use flash cards if you have these) – s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g, o, c, k. e.g. mat, dog, pig.</p> <p>Draw around child's hand a few times and cut it out. Write word sheet words on the hands and stick by bedroom/lounge door. Child to 'high five' the word and say it every time they go in or out the room.</p>
Wednesday	<p>Watch the jolly phonics songs, and pause video when you get to qu (this is where we are up to) https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x2wpdvv</p> <p>Look at the Christmas CVC word powerpoint with your child and practice sounding out and blending the words together.</p>

	Turn all word sheet words face down, take it in turns to pick up a word, if you read it correctly you keep the word.
Thursday	<p>Watch the jolly phonics songs, and pause video when you get to qu (this is where we are up to) https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x2wpdvv</p> <p>Play word machines with your child, select a vowel and then practice reading the words together.</p> <p>https://www.starfall.com/h/word-machines/</p> <p>Hide all the word sheet words around the house, tell your child to find each word one at a time, they have to and hunt for it.</p>
Friday	<p>Watch the jolly phonics songs, and pause video when you get to qu (this is where we are up to) https://www.dailymotion.com/video/x2wpdvv</p> <p>Ask your child to choose a couple of episodes of alphablocks series 3 to watch together.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b01cz0p1/alphablocks?seriesId=b01n954z. Make a note of words you see together in the episode and then have a go at writing these together afterwards.</p> <p>Choose a book together and see how many of your word sheet words you can spot.</p>

Maths: Shape

Monday	<p>Play shape monsters with your child. Talk about the properties of each shape – how many sides/corners etc</p> <p>https://www.topmarks.co.uk/early-years/shape-monsters</p> <p>You could even have a go at making your own shape monsters together!</p>
Tuesday	Find a selection of shapes you can draw round (triangle/square/circle/oblong) and then decorate and cut these out to create a Christmas decoration together.
Wednesday	<p>Wrap some 3d shapes (in Christmas paper!) such as a ball (sphere), a box (cuboid or cube), a pyramid etc. Talk with your child about what shape they think they are, how many faces does it have? What shape are the faces?</p> <p>Watch this video together which discusses 3 d shapes.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjv39j6/articles/zgqpk2p</p>
Thursday	Complete one (or more!) of the Christmas themed shape cut and sticking activity – discuss the properties of each shape with your child.

Friday	<p>Play Shifting shapes with your child. Select either 2d or 3d, move the mouse around the shape to try and identify what it is!</p> <p>https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/shiftingShapes/index.html</p>
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