



Literacy Activities

1. Practice writing the alphabet in capital letters and lower case letters using the correct formation and letter size.

<http://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/letterformation.html>

2. Write "I can" sentences, sounding out each word you want to write and putting finger spaces between words.

3. Make up a simple song, about toys, using a familiar tune such as Frere Jacques. E.g. I like toys, I like toys, come and play etc.

4. Look at the phase 3 phonics sounds for this term. (Overleaf) Sound out and write simple words and sentences with these blends in. Can you find words that rhyme?

5. Download this phonics app- <http://www.twinkl.co.uk/store/product/twinkl-phonics-suite> complete activities from phase 2 and 3.

CHALLENGE!

Write a longer sentence using the connective 'and'.

Mathematics Activities

1. Find numbers on a 100 square.

<http://www.primarygames.co.uk/pg2/splat/splatsq100.html>

2. Write the numerals 1-100.

3. Practice counting backwards from 20, 50 or 100. Stamp, skip or sing it out loud.

4. Order number cards 0-20.

5. Investigate the weight, height and lengths of objects in your home, using simple language such as tallest, lightest etc.

6. Can you remember all the pairs of numbers that add together to make 10...? Sing the song.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PFw8qjTnvqQ> How about pairs to 20 or even 100?

7. Count sets of objects accurately. Coins, candy, Lego.

8. Learn months of the year. Inquire about the birthdays of people in your family. Can you record this in your own way?

CHALLENGE -

What is the highest number you can count to without any help?

Topic and Science Activities

1. Complete a questionnaire asking an older relative about the toys they used to play with. (attached)

2. Write a review of your favourite toy at home.

3. Find out some facts about Victorian toys.

4. Look at this painting and think of some differences between then and now. http://www.childrensgamesproject.com/cgp_painting.html

5. Choose a playground game to play with your family. <http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/studentssite/playgroundgames.htm>

6. Investigate different materials in the home - can you find objects made from plastic, wood, glass, metal and rock. Compile a list of words that can help describe these materials / objects.

CHALLENGE:

Design and make your own toy, and explain what you have made/designed to an adult.

These activities are suggestions to help support your child's learning at school. If your child has completed something that they are particularly proud of please bring it to school to share with the class.