



HOME LEARNING – W/B 18/1/21

WINTER – Week 2

The activities listed below are to be used over the course of a week. Try something different every day, but there is no expectation that you complete all of them. Sing or say the rhymes every day. Have storytime every day. Try to fit in the exercise routine every day – a la Joe Wickes!!!

NURSERY RHYME –

I'M A LITTLE SNOWMAN

(To the tune of I'm a Little Teapot)

I'm a little snowman, short and fat.

Here's my scarf and here's my hat.

When the sun is shining hear me shout!

I am melting all about!

OUTDOORS – Go outside to complete the Winter Challenge 1 (attached). Take a photo of your collections and send to Nursery.

On your daily walk, take the Winter checklist (attached) and see how many things you can find.

CREATIVE – Create footprints on paper using the tip of a pen, paintbrush or cotton bud. Can you make tracks that go from left to right across the paper? How about from top to bottom, bottom to top, corner to corner? Can you create large footprints and tiny footprints?

LISTENING AND ATTENTION ACTIVITY – Play 'Listen for the Sound'. Give your child a container and several small bricks or beads. Use an instrument or clap to make a sound. Every time you make the sound, your child has to put a brick in the box. Vary the time between each sound. At the end of the game, count how many bricks are in the box. Swap over and let your child play the sound, whilst you put bricks into a box!

HEALTHY MOVERS – Put on some music and have a go at the routine below!

Beautiful Balance	Stand still with eyes closed. Count to 10. Stand on 1 leg – count to 5. Repeat with other leg. Repeat with eyes closed. Try this with feet apart and feet together.
Crazy Core	CRAB WALK – Sit on your bottom. Place hands on the floor behind you. Push up on hands and move. Go forwards, backwards and sideways.
Cross the Midline	Lift one knee and pat it with the opposite hand. Repeat 10 times, using alternate legs.
Strong Body	Use a scarf to play TUG of WAR – pull that scarf!!
Great Games	Can you move like the following animals – a bear, a snake, a monkey, a rabbit, a butterfly, a spider!
Cool Down	Put on some quiet music. Lie down on your back and stretch out your whole body.

NUMBER RHYME –

5 LITTLE SNOWMEN STANDING IN A LINE

5 little snowmen standing in a line

1, 2, 3, 4, 5 we're fine,

Melt in the sunshine with a sigh,

We'll see you next year, bye, bye.

4 little snowmen standing in a line,

1, 2, 3, 4, sh, we're fine,

Melt in the sunshine with a sigh,

We'll see you next year, bye, bye.

Continue down to 0.

Listen to the rhyme at - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FcrOGFkv5UM>

STORYTIME – Watch ‘The Gruffalo’s Child’ by Julia Donaldson at :-
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MUQm8Qb64EI>

CHALLENGE – Collect small toys and a big box. Start the timer. How many toys can you put into the box in a minute? Count and make a tally. Can you do it faster? Who is the fastest in the house?

For those of you without internet access, there are lots of interesting programmes on CBeebies to watch with your child that will help to develop their knowledge of the world around them. Try:- Show Me, Show Me, Our Family, Grace’s Amazing Machines, Number blocks, Alphablocks. If you enjoy exercising, try Jack Hartman - ‘Have Fun and Freeze’ at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KZOANcDDLZs&feature=youtu.be>

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Please take photos of your child doing the activities and email them to admin1000@welearn365.com. Add any comments that your child has made whilst doing the activities. Thank you.

Draw a picture of the CHARACTERS in the Gruffalo’s Child story



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