

Hello

We hope you had a good week and that some of you had a chance to celebrate VE day with your family.

We will continue to keep in contact via the school website and the nursery email. Please use the email to update us on the children's learning once a week. We are happy to look at photos and put some of them on the school website as well. Can we request that any photos sent for the website are Jpegs. Please state in your email if you want us to upload some of the photos, by giving us written permission eg **I am happy for the work to be shared on the school website.**

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Activities for the week

Phonics/Writing/Reading

Phonic sounds n and recapping of sounds, s,a,t,p and l by finding the correct initial sound for the pictures.

Continue to practise writing your name with a capital letter start and lower case letters for the rest of your name. Try and write your name without tracing over letter or copying a name card – how many letters can you do by yourself? Once you have mastered writing your name, try writing it in different colours, on the back of worksheets and by writing it in paints, crayons, pens and chalks.

Please continue to share books and stories. See if you can find the letter sounds that we have learnt in any of the words.



Turn your child's name into a jigsaw puzzle. Muddle it up and see if they can make it right.

Maths

Number challenges 8 and 9 – see sheets

Repeating patterns activity ideas



Make repeating patterns using natural objects. Can they describe what the pattern is?



Can they put it right if it is incorrect?



Cut the potato into a design (supervise use of knives!) You can also use small sponges to cut into designs.

Place a little water based paint into a shallow container. PRINT!

Once your printing design is dry you can draw on the top with felt pens or crayons.

Try printing with other vegetables, leaves or other washable or disposable objects. Try to predict what the print will look like.

Creative ideas



Collect safe ingredients and mix magic potions. Write down your recipe and decide what the potion is for: 'my potion makes teddies laugh'. Make the mixture in a bottle and add a homemade label.



Make shakers using household objects. Use these to play rhythmically to a favourite piece of music or a Nursery Rhyme.



Make holes in a cardboard box, or use plastic cups or build similar from lego or building blocks. Make a 'golf club' from rolled newspaper and tap in a ping pong or light plastic ball. You may like to give each target a score and add your score up as you go.

Have a lovely week and remember to stay in touch with friends and family.

Mrs Preston, Mrs Clarke and Mrs Nutthall