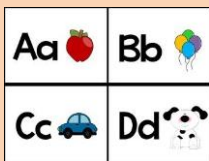




Queensgate Primary School

Home Learning

Below you will find the areas to focus on with your child this week. The children will have already been taught the sounds, tricky words and numbers below so this is an opportunity for them to consolidate and apply their learning. Please also remember to read regularly with your child at home and access the suggested websites for more activities for you to do at home.



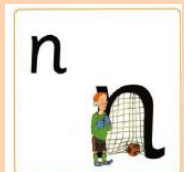
Sounds of the week

Nn (nap)

Mm (map)



Down Maisie,
mountain,
mountain.



Down Nobby and
over his net.

Can your child think of any words that begin with these sounds? What about words that end with these sounds? Can they use these sounds in blending and segmenting activities? For example, if you say the sounds 'n-o-t', can they reply with 'not'? If you give them the word 'mat', can they reply by sound talking 'm-a-t'? In blending and segmenting activities we only work with 2 or 3 letter words that are all phonetically decodable. Have a go at writing these sounds using the rhymes, 'down Maisie, mountain, mountain' and 'down Nobby and over his net'.

Tricky word



the

Can your child read this tricky word from our Tricky Word Train? Can they tell you what is tricky about the word? Can they say a sentence containing this tricky word? Perhaps they could have a go at writing it? (Remember that nice pencil grip) Can they spot the tricky word in books, stories online or in print in the environment?

Number of the week



6 six

Can your child identify this number? Can they count out the correct number of objects? Can they count on and back from this number? Can they tell you what comes before or after this number on a number line? Can they find this number in the environment? What else can they tell you about this number? How many different ways can they find to make this total using two separate groups?



ILD task

This week our area of learning is....

Communication and Language: Tell a story

At Nursery we love to tell stories using the Tales Toolkit framework. We choose toys or objects from around the classroom to help make up a story.



Character - Who is the character in the story? This could be a toy such as a teddy, TV character, animal or vehicle.



Setting - Where is the story set? What is the character doing there? You could use any material eg green - forest, blue - sea



Problem - What problem does the character have? You can use another toy, a fierce animal, a vehicle that could crash etc



Solution - How is the problem solved? This could be a rescue by someone, magic, a trap etc.

Can your child tell you a simple story using the props you have found? If they are struggling to get started you could support them with story starters such as 'Once upon a time...' or 'One sunny day...'. Whilst there is no need for your child to write the story, we have provided a sheet used in Nursery that they might like to mark make on and tell you what they have written, or alternatively you can scribe the story for them.

Please take a picture of your child completing the task above and upload it onto the ILD. It would be great if you could please write a comment explaining what they were able to do and, especially note down any comments that they said during the activity.

Useful Websites

Just click on the images below to take you to the following websites...



Fun Maths activities to try at home accompanied by explanatory videos.



A fantastic range of resources to support all areas of learning and they are currently free. PowerPoints can be downloaded and many resources can be printed for use at home.



Free eBooks for your child to read at home.



Fun, interactive, online phonics games to help your child review the sounds and tricky words that they have learnt. This is also currently free.



A variety of online activities and games for all age groups.



A collection of fun activities / ideas to do at home to give you some inspiration if needed!



A fun, interactive phonics game! The children create their own monster who they then teach to read whilst adventuring around a magical world. The game is free on a computer and there is an app available to purchase.

If you are on Instagram or Facebook the Play Hooray account does a live play-a-long every weekday at 10am for children aged 1 - 5 and has lots of ideas to get you playing with things you can find around the house!