



Nursery home learning



Hello Nursery,



We hope that you are all well and that you have enjoyed the home learning tasks around traditional stories. We have loved receiving your messages and photos of your learning.



This week, we are going to look at a rhyming story all about little Aliens who enjoy stealing an item of clothing—this is the funny story “Aliens love underpants” by Claire Freedman. Do not worry if you don’t have a copy of the story, there is a link to the Youtube version of the story.



Attached are suggested activities linked to the story as usual.



New daily skill-development challenges:



We have also added some new daily learning tasks which are linked to specific skills. There are a choice of tasks and we ask that you aim to complete at least one of these each day. These tasks are aimed at supporting your child to develop some specific skills which will help them when they return to nursery. You can use the tick boxes to record when you complete a challenge.



We will be completing these tasks in Nursery with the key worker children, and we would love to see the things that you do at home and the children in nursery would also like to see what their friends are up to at home.



We hope that you enjoy the learning.









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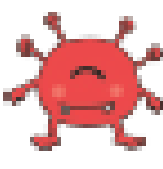
This week, the skills we are developing at nursery are:

Communication and language	Shape space and measures	Physical development
Auditory Memory (Listening and attention skills)	Repeating patterns and colour recognition	Printing and painting
<u>Matching sound makers.</u> Show a pair of sound makers (Triangle, bell), Place one in a feely bag and then the rest on the floor in front. Play an instrument inside the bag - can you play the same instrument? (You can use any objects which make a noise)	<u>Patterns with Lego</u> 	<u>Design a pair of Underpants</u> 
<u>Copy cat game</u> Make a sound - start simple, clapping hands 2 times. Try different rhythms and sounds eg, clicking fingers, slapping knees, stamping feet.	<u>Patterns using Numicon</u> 	<u>Shape Printing</u> 
<u>This is the way.... Song</u> Here we go round the Mulberry Bush: This is the way we clap our hands, Clap our hands, clap our hands. This is the way we clap our hands. On a warm and sunny morning Add more verses: Stamp our feet....Click our fingers....Rub our hands etc.	<u>Patterns using Bears</u> 	<u>Toilet Roll Printing</u> 

Tick when you complete a challenge each day



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Read / watch Aliens Love Underpants.



Talk to your grown up about the story—Why do the aliens come to earth?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ADnAGBWlqzE>

Look at the colours of the different aliens in the story, do you know the names of all of the colours?

How many red aliens can you see? Where is the blue alien hiding in the story?

Can you draw and design an alien? What does your alien look like? Is your alien tall or short? Fat or thin? Fluffy or spiky? What colour is your alien?

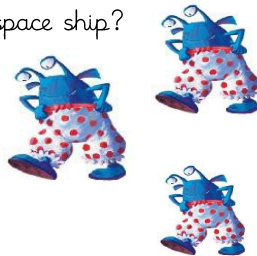


Sing '5 little men in a flying saucer'. Use puppets or your fingers to represent each alien.

Use the youtube song to help you. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7_1-TrP9jwA



Can you order the space ships and aliens by size. Which is the tallest alien? Which is the shortest alien? Which is the biggest space ship? Which is the smallest space ship?



Can you count from 0-10 and back to zero?

Don't forget to "blast off" after you reach zero.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DEHBrmZxAf8>



Imagine that you are going on a journey to space.

How will you get there? What will you need? What might you see when you are there? With help from your grown-ups, create a list (using pictures and words) of 10 things that you would take into space.

Make a junk model rocket or alien using recycled materials from your home.

Remember to send a photo of your creations.



Design a funky pair of underpants for the aliens. What special things have you added to your pants to make them irresistible to the aliens?

