Lakeside Nursery Home Learning

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Hello All,

We hope that all of our families are well and have had a warm, well and safe weekend. We wanted to provide you with some more fun and educational home learning activities you could try with your child this week. again.

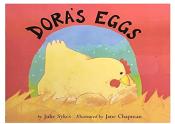
With Spring moving along, we have planned some activities to the lovely story 'Dora's Eggs' by Julie Sykes. If you don't have a copy of the book don't worry, there is a link to a YouTube version.

Attached are the suggested activities along with some downloadable work sheets. If you don't have a printer don't worry. Many of the suggested activities can be adapted and done simply in a notebook, on paper or outside. Please also keep reading and sharing stories regularly with your child.

Wishing you all the best,

The Lakeside EYFS Team.

Read/watch and discuss the story: "Dora`s Eggs" by Julie Sykes.

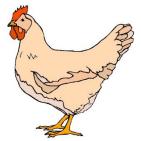


You Tube link below:

Who is the author and the illustrator? What do you think the book is about? Where is the blurb (on the back)? What does it say about the book?

Can you remember the names of the animals in the story? What are the names of the baby animals? Can you make their sounds and sing "Old Macdonald had a farm?" Have you drawn farm animals or played the farm number matching game (or make your own) from the school website?

Research - Lifecycles. Have a look at the lifecycle mats attached about frogs, butterflies and plants. Talk about them with your child. (Refer to week one and growing plants) Can you draw and label the lifecycle of the chicken from the egg?



Can you find shapes

in your home? Count how many you find and make a list in words or pictures or both. Can you draw the objects you see and label the shapes?



Eggs are oval.

Make a beautiful picture of a chick?



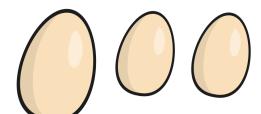
Can you paint a chicken or cut out or draw hand shapes and circles?

Be a weather forecaster (watch on tv!) as Spring brings a variety of weather.



Please use attached cards to help or

make your own from the tw! Keep a daily record. Does the weather change during the day?



Talk about how proud
Dora is of her eggs
at the end of the
story. Write or draw
a picture of something
you are proud of
each day. E.g. got
dressed independently,
tidied up, helped with
the washing, learnt
something new;

Design-Can you make a chick yourself? Or another animal from the story?



Can you draw some pictures from the story and use these to help you to retell the story with your grown-ps?

