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Home Learning



Please try one or more of these activities and send them in to share by <u>Friday 15th March.</u>

Cook something — cakes, biscuits, sandwich or fruit salad or even a dinner. Can you write down how you made it? Take pictures or draw your food creation.

Shopping - Can you create your family's shopping list? You could draw and write down what you need.

Food Cupboard Raid – which 3D shapes can you find in the cupboard? Cubes, cones, pyramids, cylinders, sphere, cuboid, triangular prism?

Reminder - Tapestry users can share these through the Tapestry app.

Outdoor Clothing

Reminder - check your child's clothes are named.



Please ensure your child has their wellies in school. They are needed every week for Woodland Time.

Share, Learn and Play



Tuesday 5th March Tuesday 12th March Tuesday 19th March

3.00p.m. - 3.15p.m. Please arrive at your classroom door.

Come and join your child for reading and games.

If you are unable to attend grandparents, uncles, aunts and other relatives are welcome too.

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 27th March Early Years Mother's Day Assembly to parents/carers 9:00am

Thursday 4th April
Early Years egg rolling competition Letter to follow

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Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be role playing cafes and restaurants.

We will be taking part in circle times where we will talk about our likes and dislikes of food

Expressive Arts and Design

We will create our own vegetable superheroes like Supertato. We will create treasure maps of our woodland area.

We will create Mother's Day cards.



Understanding the World

We will be planting seeds, observing them grow and talk about the changes. We will observe what happens to food when it is left out.

We will look at the life cycle of a chicken and where food comes from.

Books we will be reading:

Pizza for Pirates, Supertato, Handa's Surprise, Little Red Hen, Hungry Caterpillar, The Enormous Turnip

Our Topic:

Chocolate, Cheese and Cheerios



Physical Development

We will develop our control and accuracy when using bats and balls. We will take part in a pirate dance.

We will create different foods - pizza and bread. We will also taste different fruits.



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We will continue to develop our addition and subtraction skills using numbers 1-9. We will also explore 3D shapes, create repeating patterns and sequence time events.

Communication and Language

We will be exploring these words (please talk about them at home):

Position – behind, in front, in hetween Time – after, before, day, night. Shape — straight, curved, corner. Direction – above, below, forward, backwards

Literacy

We will create instructions for food recipes.

We will retell stories - Little Red Hen. The Hungry Caterpillar and The Enormous Turnip