

Home Learning Challenges

Autumn 1

Mathematics



Numeral Recognition	What numerals can you see out and about? Have a look at signs, front doors, posters or even car registration plates.
Touch Counting	Can you count out different pebbles on a beach and draw the numeral in the sand?
2D Shapes	Can you tell the difference between a square, rectangle, circle and triangle? You could try cutting up toast into different shapes, make shape biscuits or paint them.

Topic



Minibeast hunt	Can you go for a minibeast hunt in your garden?
Junk modelling minibeast	Can you use a variety of materials to create a minibeast?
Spotting nature	Can you go for a walk with an adult and spot different nature around you?

Phonics



Phoneme Recognition	Teach another person some of the sounds and handwriting rhymes from our Phonics so far.
Grapheme Formation	Write the graphemes using the correct letter formation on something other than paper. E.G. in the sand, air, bubbles or on somebodies back.

Literacy



Mark Making	Can you record some of your new sounds in different ways? You could use chalk, paint or pens.
Name Writing	Continue to use your name cards for your child to practise. Can you start your letters in the right place?
Sharing Reading	Could you share your favourite story with friends and family? Do they have a favourite they could share with you?

Physical Development (Pre-Writing)



Fine Motor	Cutting with scissors is an important skill. Can you draw a picture and cut it out? Remember your thumb needs to be on the top.
Gross Motor	Can you visit your local park and use some of the equipment to move in different ways? You could slide, swing, spin, hang and crawl.

These small challenges will help embed the children's school learning which will help them to make good progress.

You will have all term to complete these challenges and we would love to see them on Tapestry to share in class.

Have as much fun as you can with these challenges, we can't wait to see what you can do!