

Home Learning Ideas Week beginning 15th February 2021

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

* Talk to your child about their favourite activities at home and things that make them feel happy. It might be baking, snuggling under a blanket to listen to a story or watching a movie together. Have fun enjoying these moments together this week.



Early Mathematical Experiences

*Use everyday activities such as cooking and baking to explore math with your child. For example, while making pancakes:
-Ask your child to count out 2 eggs or 1 spoonful of sugar
-Show your child the measuring jug or scales. Do they recognise any numbers?
-Set a timer on your phone while they cook. Did it feel like a short or long time?



Physical Development

*Blowing bubbles has so many benefits for young children; they are great for developing fine motor skills, gross motor skills and for visual tracking.
-You could twist a pipe cleaner into a heart wand and add a little red food colouring to washing up liquid for the bubble mixture.



The Arts

*The children love sensory play and it holds their attention for a long time. You could make some red jelly slime. The children love being part of the making process.



-See Jelly Slime Recipe

Language Development

* This week Mrs Clarke is reading the story, "Guess How Much I love You." This is one of our favourite stories in Nursery. Click the link below to watch beautifully animated versions of the story on YouTube. Discuss the events in the story with your child.

Click Link: Guess How Much I Love You



The World Around Us

*It is Pancake Tuesday this week. You could have a go at making some pancakes together. Say the rhyme:

> "Mix a pancake, Stir a pancake, Pop it in the pan. Fry a pancake, Toss a pancake, Catch it if you can!" -See Pancake Recipe Sheet