

Nursery Home Learning Week Beginning 4th May – People Who Help Us – hospitals and the army

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Start the day with some physical exercise. You can try making shapes with your body, star jumps, hops and jumps or use a program such as Boogie Beebies https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SgcnoX8RCFA or try some Cosmic Kids yoga on https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga				
Busy Fingers <i>Carry on with asking your child to write their name. Use lots of different ways such as chalks, highlighters, felts pens, writing in sand, paint, water on the patio.</i>	Busy Fingers Building Blocks Name Game <i>Write a letter on your building blocks. See if you can build your name or other words.</i>	Busy Fingers Tweezers <i>Have a go at picking things up like pasta, beads or small toys with tweezers if you have some. If not why not make some more playdough.</i>	Busy Fingers Thread string through a colander. See what patterns you can make.	BANK HOLIDAY VE day activities Today is 75 years since the surrender of Nazi Germany. Although we cannot celebrate in the same way that we had planned, we can help our children to understand the importance of this day in history. Here are some ideas to celebrate VE day at home: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch the CBBC VE day song and join in https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/watch/horrible-histories-songs-ve-day-song Dress in red, white and blue for the day Make a Uni on Jack flag Talk about rationing and how people couldn't get some foods and make a VE day recipe. There are some ideas here http://home.bt.com/lifestyle/eating-for-victory-try-these-real-wartime-ration-recipes-for-ve-day-1136398000968 People couldn't even get bananas in wartime Britain! Have an indoor VE day picnic. Design a VE day medal to say well done to a soldier. Make a den to hide from enemy forces.
Phonics Alliteration <i>Put some fun music on. Dance to the music chanting words that begin with s. They can be real or made up words. For example, silly, sam, some, simple, slopy, slimy, simell. Try this with other letters.</i>	Talking Time My Busy Body <i>Listen to the BBC Listen and Play https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/evfs-listen-and-play-my-busy-body/zr3vbk and answer the questions.</i>	Phonics N sound <i>Find things in your house beginning with an n sound. Can you label them with the letter n.</i>	Talking Time Kims Game <i>In the war, spies had to remember things instead of writing them down. Collect 3 items and put them in front of your child. Tell them to close their eyes and then take one away. Can they work out which is missing? Try it with more items. Get them to take one away and you to guess.</i>	
People Who Help Us - hospitals <i>Learn the rhyme Miss Polly had a dolly. You can listen to it here https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ENwcphtUwFk Act out the song with a doll or teddy bear. You could even change the names in the song to your names. If you have a doctors kit at home you could role play what a doctor or a nurse might do.</i>	Maths Hospital maths <i>Make a hospital for some of your teddies. Pretend to give them some medicine. Count how many spoons of medicine you need. You could write their prescription for them. For example, 3 spoons of pink and 2 spoons of yellow medicine. Work out how many spoons they have had altogether.</i>	Literacy Make a badge <i>Make a doctor's or a nurse's badge for you and people in your household. Draw your picture on the badge and add your name. If anyone you know has an ID badge for work you could ask them to show it to you (over the screen using social distancing).</i>	People Who Help US - army Pack a bag <i>When you are in the army you often have to spend time away from home. Imagine that you had to pack a bag. What would you put in your bag to take with you? You could write a list of the things that you take and draw them. You could count all of the items in your bag and then add 1 more or take 1 away.</i>	
Storytime <i>It is really important that children are read to everyday and that you discuss the stories. Try not ask too many questions but model how to talk about a book by making comments about characters or telling your child your favourite parts.</i> Audible			Recalling <i>I packed my bag and in it I put. Play a memory game as a family. The first person says, "I packed my bag and in it I put (you can choose anything) an apple". The next</i>	

Audible have added some free stories for children to listen to. You can find them here https://stories.audible.com/discovery/enterprise-discovery-21122358011?ref=adbl_ent_anon_ds_ds_dccs_sbtp-0-1 My favourite is Rudyard Kipling's Just So Stories. What's your favourite?

person adds an item. For example, "I packed my bag and in it I put an apple and a book". The next person adds another item until you cannot remember the list anymore.

