



# Elmsleigh Infant and Nursery School

## RECEPTION – Summer term - week 9 activities

### Click on the links to take you to website activities.



Activities highlighted in yellow will be taught in school for those attending.

Please use these activities to support your child's learning at home throughout the week.

We understand you are not teachers and the wellbeing of you and your child is the main priority. Please just do your best and don't hesitate to contact us through the class email system or class dojo if you have any questions.

## Health and well being

### Exercise

#### Aim to do wake and shake everyday

On YouTube search for the following, KooKoo Kanga Roo, Go Noodle, Just Dance, and Super Mover. Themed wake and shake for this week is [I'm a gummy bear](#), one of the children's favourites.

### Cosmic Yoga

Our Cosmic Yoga activity this week is [Going on a bear hunt](#)

### Emotions

Watch the video [Guess the feeling](#). Can you guess how she is feeling before the time runs out. Talk about times when you feel these emotions. All emotions are okay and it is good to talk about them.

### Exploring song 😊

Watch the video song of [What a wonderful world](#). Talk about how the song makes you feel and what it is about.

## Writing Activities

### *Aim - please complete main activities and x2 additional writing activities*

#### Main activities:

##### Activity 1

Watch the video story of [The Great Paper Caper](#)

Talk to your child about the story

- Who are the characters in the story?
- What happened in the story?
- What was the problem?

Children your task this week is to write a letter of apology to the animals from the bear. See additional resources for a template.

E.g.

To forest animals,

I am sorry for chopping down the trees.

From Bear X

##### Activity 2

Choose your favourite part of the story and draw a picture about it. Can you write a sentence about your picture. See additional resources for a template.

#### Additional activities

- Spelling Shed games - See word lists set online.
- Practise your handwriting using the cursive letter formation- can you write the alphabet, both in capitals and in lowercase. [Sky writer](#) shows the children how to correctly form their letters using cursive.
- **On Purple mash** – Using the letter b, decorate, draw a 't' picture e.g. tree and write a sentence about your picture. **This will be set as a 2do Task.**
- Watch some of the [Alphablocks videos](#) to practise segmenting sounds for writing, hearing initial sounds and letter names.



letter 't' paint project

## Maths Activities

### *Aim - please complete main activities and x2 additional maths activities*

#### Main activities:

**Time** - beginning to recognise o'clock

##### Activity 1

Watch the video [What's the time?](#)



Talk to your child about the numbers on the clock then have a go at making a clock using the template provided. Refer to clocks in the house if possible. If you have some blue tack – use this for the clock hands. Or a split pin if possible.

Throughout the day refer to the time and challenge your child to make the time on their clock. Start with o'clock times to begin with and explain the short hand (hour hand) needs to point to a number and the long hand (minute hand) needs to point to the top to tell us it is o'clock.

##### Activity 2

Using your homemade clock. Play what's the time Mr Wolf. Ask your child to be the wolf and make the time on the clock and hold it up to show you. Watch out for dinner time and try not to get caught!

**Supporting Purple Mash game** – Help Mr Wolf tell the time. This will be set as a 2do task.

#### Additional activities.

- Watch the video [What time is it?](#) And practise recognising the o'clock times.
- **Coconut ordering** – Hit the coconuts in order of size from smallest to largest number.
- **Find the number** – practise recognising numbers 1 – 20.
- Head to [White Rose Maths](#) for a selection of home learning activities. Daily activities are available.
- Practise number formation from 0 – 20 encourage your child to use the rhymes, it helps them to remember to numeral and the formation (**formation rhymes**)

## Phonics activities

**Aim – everyday**

**Children attending school will practise recognising and writing sounds each day.**

**Song for the week – [The bear went over the mountain](#)**

**Daily Phonics Lessons**

- [Click here and scroll down to find daily phonics lessons.](#)

**Practise of sounds flash cards**

- [Flash cards](#) to recall sounds learnt
- [Grab a giggling grapheme](#)

**Blending and Segmenting practise**

- [Alien Escape](#) – Help the alien reach the UFO by spelling the words.
- How many 'sh' or 's' words can you write? Can you write a 'sh' or 's' word in a sentence?
- [Match cards](#) Read the words and match them to the picture.

**Tricky words**

- [Phase 2 song](#)
- [Phase 3 song](#)
- Play [Tricky Word Trucks](#)

**Access to phonics play:**

Username: March20 Password: home

## Reading activities

**Aim – everyday**

**Children in school will be given the opportunity to read books in school if they are attending**

You can use your own books or use the links below.

Head to <https://www.getepic.com/students>

Ladybirds - enter the code xxb9070, select your name and you're in.

Butterflies - enter the code gni0548, select your name and you're in.

**This weeks recommended books:**

**Getepic–** [Kids can Recycle](#)

**Oxford Owl –** [A home for ted](#)

**Favourite Bedtime Story –** [The Princess and the Wizard](#)

(On you tube if you don't have the book at home)

Please see below how to access books.

[Getepic](#)- Register using the code above.

Oxford owl – Free to register. Follow links on the website

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

## Learning projects throughout the week

### Understanding the world



Watch the video - [Recycling for Kids](#)

Sorting rubbish. If possible ask your child to help you sort the recycling into groups. Talk about the materials of each and how they can be reused to make something new.

**Cut and Stick –** See additional resources for a cut and stick recycling activity.

### Creative



#### **Paper aeroplanes**

Help your child design a paper aeroplane, colour it in, fold it and see how far it travels.

Have a competition with others in your house. Who's plane will go furthest.

Template available.

### Draw a character



Choose a character from the story and have a go at drawing/painting one of them. Can you label your character?

### Purple Mash activity



Investigate recycling and sorting it into the correct recycling bin.

**This will be set as a 2do task on Purple Mash.**

Recycling

### Just a little note:

We hope you are all doing okay. Please get in touch on class dojo to share any learning you've been doing at home or ask any questions. We honestly love seeing the children's work and smiles.

Just do what you can with home learning and don't put pressure on yourselves.

Take care and stay safe,

Mrs Mansfield and Mrs Bowman 😊 xxx