

## English

Encourage your child to look at and share non-fiction books with you, noticing features such as titles, contents, labels and glossaries. Continue sharing poems and stories.

**Listen to your child read daily and check that they have understood what they have read.**

Practise phonics and spellings regularly. To keep things fun, you could make words into games such as Bingo, memory games or hangman. There are also lots of games online that can help, including spelling games on Purple Mash.

Find opportunities for purposeful writing, e.g. shopping lists, letters, postcards, invitations, thank you cards.

Encourage your child to write on the lines, keeping their letters consistent in size.

## PSHE

Relationships – talk about feelings. What can you do when you feel jealous, angry, sad? How can you help others to feel better?

Changes – look at baby pictures and discuss how your child has changed as they have got older

Keeping Safe – Discuss risks at home and out and about and talk about how to minimise these.

Looking forward – Help your child to think about the positive aspects of moving up to the next year group at school.

## RE

Talk about religious festivals that you may celebrate at home. Talk about religious leaders you may know and what they do.

## Mathematics

When eating food at home such as pizza or cake practise cutting into halves and quarters and talk about how many equal parts they have cut it into. Practise finding half, quarter and three quarters of quantities of beads, pasta, sweets or toys.

Practise telling the time to the hour, half-past, quarter past, quarter to and to the nearest 5 minutes.

Practise using money to pay for things and find change. Find different ways of using coins to make the same amount, e.g. how many different ways can you make 50p?

## Computing

Practise giving instructions for everyday tasks like baking a cake or brushing teeth.

**Complete the tasks set on Purple Mash.**

## Science

Go on a walk and see how many animals you can find and name? Where do they live? What do they eat? How many mini-beasts can you find?

Talk about animal habitats while looking at books or perhaps visiting a farm or zoo.

## P.E.

Play ball games, for example, throw a ball back and forth between you. How many passes can you count before the ball touches the ground? Try to beat your score!

## Art

Make collages using a variety of materials.

Practise weaving with paper.

Practise observational drawings.

Take selfies and use them to draw a self-portrait.

## Design Technology

Practise basic sewing skills – sewing on a button or learning running stitch.

Make a bug hotel or another habitat for wildlife.

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## How you can help at home

### History

Research an explorer or important person from history that they have an interest in. Find out facts that they can share at school.

### Music

Practise singing songs and following the beat when listening to music.