

Ideas for home learning activities – Yellow class

Sensory: Explore with hands / feet or utensils – hide objects in to find

- Make playdough / slime / gluk (cornflour and water)
- Paint
- Jelly / custard / baked beans / cooked pasta
- Dry pasta / rice / lentils / porridge

Stories and songs

- We have been reading the 3 Little Pigs in class
- The learners enjoy short stories with repetitive lines, e.g.: The Gruffalo, The Gingerbread man, This is the Bear, Going on a Bear hunt.
- Talk about the title and the author
- Talk about the characters, Who, where, what, why?
- Use paper plates to make masks or puppets to retell the story
- We have been singing action songs: Head, shoulders, knees and toes, If you're happy and you know it, The wheels on the bus etc.

Numeracy and Maths

- Whilst exploring sensory items above use mathematical language to describe the texture.
- Use different containers to fill and pour
- Use cardboard boxes to build models
- Sing number songs to 5 / 10 – use props
- Play pairs with smaller cardboard boxes (toothpaste, cereal etc.) – encourage to find the same
- Have a teddy bears or toys picnic – how many plates, cups, napkins etc are needed?