

Eyemouth ELC Hub Play and Learning Overview

Week Beginning 8th February 2021

Numeracy



Thank you so much for all the lovely posts that we have had on Seesaw showing us your number skills and how well they are developing! This week we will be introducing some new activities to look at estimating and identifying shapes as well as reinforcing counting skills.

Counting Numbers to 5, 10 and beyond

This week on Seesaw we will be recapping on numbers to 10 using a lovely little song called 10 little raindrops.

Estimation

This week we will be looking at estimating. Mrs Watson has a practical activity using puddles. We will be looking at estimating how many jumps it will take to empty the puddle and then checking how many jumps it actually takes.

Shape

We will be introducing looking at shapes through a shape hunt game.

Number rhyme

Our number rhyme this week is all about raindrops and uses finger patterns and actions.

10 little raindrops <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=8ay9NYwUYK8>

Literacy



Thank you to everyone who has posted such lovely examples of the literacy that you are doing at home with your children. We have been so delighted to see them all!

This week we will be looking at:

Stories

This week we will be looking at 2 stories. One will be all about some magic wellies and the other is a story all about Chinese New Year which Mrs Hogarth will be reading. These will be uploaded on Seesaw.

Ellie's Magic Wellies https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=o_97JnZB9eE

Letter sounds

This week Mrs Hogarth will be continuing to look at letter sounds. She will explain all about the importance of using letter sounds rather than letter names during the activity. This really helps your child with their language skills.

Fine motor skills/ arts and crafts

This week Mrs Hogarth will be showing you how to have a go at forming some Chinese letters.

Mrs Watson will also be introducing a focus on the colour red.

Rhymes and songs


We will have two songs this week which focus around rain and puddles. We have certainly had a lot of both lately!


It's raining, It's pouring <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/nursery-rhymes-its-raining-its-pouring/z6hq92p>

We're marching in our wellingtons <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/nursery-rhymes-marching-in-our-wellingtons/z7mj47h>

Joke of the week

The children love to tell jokes in nursery. We are introducing a weekly "Joke of the Week" on Seesaw - can your child watch the joke and then upload one of their own - who knows maybe we can put together a nursery joke book!

<p>Health and Wellbeing</p> 	<p>To help you get out and about for your daily exercise we will be posting Miss Scott's Mystery Walk this week - can you listen to her clues and work out where she has been and post a picture of where she has visited? (on Seesaw).</p> <p>We will continue to take part in the whole school PE Challenge with Mrs Royan.</p> <p>Miss Scott has put together some really fun Chinese yoga where the poses are all based on the animals which make up the Chinese Calendar.</p>
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<p>Other play and learning opportunities</p> 	<p>Miss Maitland will be showing us how to make our own rain gauges to measure how much rain we have collected.</p> <p>Whole School Outdoor Learning Challenge</p> <p>Thank you to those who have shared your brilliant outdoor learning tasks last week. This week there are a variety of STEM activities which you can choose from.</p> <p>Welcome and weather check - remember to check your daily announcements to see your favourite nursery staff, learn the days of the week and give us our weather checks for Eyemouth!</p>
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Weekly Seesaw Grid - this grid shows when we will be releasing the activities on Seesaw

Day	Rhyme	Numeracy	Literacy	Health and Wellbeing	Other Play and Learning
Monday	✓ It's raining, it's pouring	Numeracy activity How many jumps to empty a puddle?	Literacy activity Sounds activity (See also rhyme)	(see also numeracy activity) School PE challenge	Outdoor home learning STEM tasks
Tuesday			Story  Ellie's Magic Wellies	Health and wellbeing activity Chinese Yoga	Science activity Making a rain gauge
Wednesday	✓ We're marching in our wellingtons	Numeracy activity Shape hunt	Literacy activity Chinese Writing (See also rhyme)		
Thursday	✓ 10 little raindrops	(See rhyme)	Story  The Chinese New Year (See also rhyme) Joke of the week	Health and wellbeing activity Mystery Walk	Art activity Colour red focus
Friday	INSERVICE				

Thank you for your support. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us.

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