**Ducklings**

**Education City**

Inside each reading record there will be a login and password to our online home learning programme. Visit <https://www.educationcity.com/> to access some additional homework ideas.

**Talk for Mathematics**

Get some small objects such as Lego, conkers, raisins. Make two groups. Compare the groups and estimate which group has more, fewer or are they the same? Check by counting the objects 1:1 accurately.

Collect some objects and order the according to their size, length, height or weight (mass.)

Use comparative vocabulary such as longest, longer, biggest, bigger, heaviest, lightest and so on.

In the bath or when playing in your sandpit, explore different sized containers and find out how much they can hold. Try making a container – full, nearly full, half-full, nearly empty and empty.

[www.ictgames.com/numeracy](http://www.ictgames.com/numeracy)

[www.topmarks.com](http://www.topmarks.com)

**Talk for Reading and Writing**

Share a bedtime story together each night. Ask your child to say what is happening in each illustration before you read.

Can you read a non-fiction book together too? Take a visit to the library and loan one out if you don’t have any.

What facts have they found out from sharing the book with you?

Find objects when you are at home and out and about that start with the sounds **s, a, t, p, i,** **n**, **m, d and g.**

Play I spy.

Have a go at being Metal Mike! Sound talk (segment) a word, for e.g. get your b-a-g, nod your h-ea-d! Can they understand the word?

Use chalks or paints on the path in the garden to practise writing the letters you have been learning. Remember the cursive handwriting and to do your flicks in and out of each letter correctly! You could also fill a tray with flour or salt and write in it with your fingers!

Practise the phonics/sound flashcards that have been sent home each night and have a go at doing some of the suggested activities.. Keep these sets safe as we will continue to add to them over the next few weeks.

[www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)

[www.ictgames.com/literacy](http://www.ictgames.com/literacy)

[www.phonicsbloom.co.uk](http://www.phonicsbloom.co.uk)

**Talk for topic**

Go on your own autumn welly walk! What can you see, hear, feel, smell, taste?

Collect interesting objects for our autumn table.

Talk about the vegetables that you like to eat and are thankful for.

Make some vegetable soup together.

Find out more about where your favourite foods come from.