Nursery Home Learning Activities - Week 3 - 20th April 2020

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 Writing - Continue to practise writing your child's name with them? Again focusing on pencil grip and the shape of each letter. Challenge 1 - Can they write their name/some letters without looking or move onto writing their surname? Challenge 2 - Ask your child to draw a picture. Encourage them to tell you about it. Encourage speaking in sentences. 	Maths – Play 'Fill the cup' game. You will need a cup or a small container each, some small objects eg pennies, counters, smarties etc and a dice. Roll the dice and count the correct number of objects into your cup, racing to see who fills up their cup first. Challenge - Help your child to count how many objects in each cup. Who has the most / least ? etc.	Phonics – Revise taught sounds: s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g. Use the songs from YouTube to support this. https://www.youtube.com/watc h?v=U2HYM9VXz9k Teach new sound, 'o'. Learn song and action from above web link. https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resourc e/t-I-53364-phase-two- phonemes-set-3-o-video watch video to show correct mouth movement. Challenge- Can your child write any of the taught sounds? Can they use any of the taught letters to write simple CVC (consonant – vowel – consonant) words? eg. tap, pan, dog, top dig	Maths – Practice your counting – How far can you count? Can you count backwards from 10? Play "Blast Off" Go on a Number treasure hunt. On pieces of paper write numbers 0-10 or 0-20 (or whichever numbers your child is confident with) and hide these around your house or garden. Give your child a container to collect the numbers in once they have found them. Can your child recognise the numbers? Challenge – Can your child lay out the numbers in the correct order ?	 Phonics – Rhyming For younger children who aren't secure with rhyming please play the game below. https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resourc e/tg-ga-180-rhyming-with-kit-level-1-phonics For older children, who are more experiences with rhyme, please have a go at rhyming dominos. Challenge: Can your child make up any rhyming strings eg. sat, cat, hat, mat, pat, nat, fat, zat, lat. Words can be real and/or nonsense words.
Reading – Look at an information book with children. Discuss how it is different from a storybook. What do they notice? Did they know that you can get information from a book?	Personal, Social and Emotional Development – Encourage your child to take part in a 'job' they can help out with around your home Eg washing the car, setting the table, tidying their room etc Talk to your child about how it is nice to help people. Encourage them to think of other jobs which they could do to help others.	Expressive Art - Create a picture or a model with whatever you have in your home. This could be using paints, playdough, cutting and sticking different materials to create a collage, using recycling materials or paper and pens/pencils. Take a photo and email it to us -we would love to see how creative they have been!	Physical Development – Do some activities to help to strengthen your fingers such as threading activities –threading pasta onto string, squeezing clothes pegs and attaching them to a piece of card or a paper plate, or spilling small objects onto the floor eg beads etc and picking them all up using thumb and fingers etc.	Physical Development Try a Joe Wicks workout! These can be found on You Tube.