



WB 22nd February 2021

Reception and Nursery

What are my tasks today?

THURSDAY

- Go on a Spring walk outside, your challenge is to find what is happening outside to show that the season is changing. Can you spot any leaf buds on trees? Any bulbs pushing out of the soil? Can you find any early blossom on trees? Can you spot any snowdrops? What about lambs in nearby fields or small insects? Make a list of what you have found with your grown up and talk about how Winter changes into Spring.
- Take 10 coins, buttons or counting objects, how many different ways can you share them into two groups? 1 and 9 make 10, 2 and 8 make 10 etc. Record all the different ways by using drawings or writing. If you still have your first pack resources, there will be a rectangle with ten squares on it (a ten frame), how could you use that to show your answers?
- Nursery children - practise writing your first name with a capital letter at the start.
- Reception children - practise writing your first name and surname with a capital letter at the start of each word.
- This week we will be talking about the Moon, but Mars has been in the news a lot recently. Find out 5 facts about Mars. You can write the facts in your green book and draw some pictures to illustrate them.

Marvellous Maths

- Thinking task: I want to water my flowers. I do not want to make lots of trips. I have 4 different containers and a cup. I need to find the object that holds the most water so I can water lots of flowers.
- Talk task: How can I solve my problem? I could guess the largest container, but would that be the best way? Let us think about what we already know, remember our full, nearly full, nearly empty, empty words?
- Discovery task: Using my cup to solve the problem. How is best to record my answers?
- Thinking task: How can I put my containers in order from least to most water to find out which container is best for me to use?

Complete the activity

Use 3 containers that hold water. Count how many full cups of water are needed to full each one and write a label next to the container. Which container holds the most? What about the least? Can you put the containers in order from the most to the least water and take a picture?

Finally, cut out the pictures of the different containers on the capacity sheet with today's date and order them starting with the container you think will hold the most water.

Fantastic Phonics Lessons

Nursery	Reception
Phase 1 Body Percussion Use your voice to make funny sounds activity from the Phase 1 challenges sheet.	Phase 3 YouTube Letters and Sounds Learning 'ur' https://youtu.be/fbouFmTzBn8

Guided Reading

In your pack is a copy of this week's guided reading book called 'Picnic on Windmill Rock' Follow the instructions for what to do on today's button called 'Guided Reading' on the class website page.