

Nursery Home Learning

Communication language and Literacy

Today is our final activity on environmental sounds. Start by listening to the video below to warm up our listening ears. What animals can you hear?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3JA2yR8ZMzc>

Todays job:

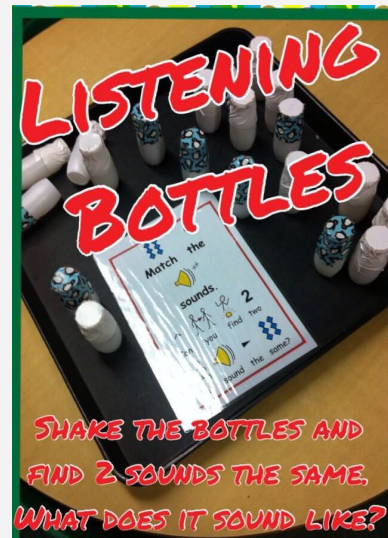
Today we are making more noise but we are going to be making "listening bottles" for a listening game.

You will need:

- Plastic bottles, cups, milk cartons or boxes (anything you can fill up to make a noise)
- Things that make noise- pasta, rice, chickpeas, or household items

Simply fill your chosen containers with your noisy items ensuring they won't spill out. You will need to make 2 of each "listening bottle". Once you have made your listening bottles, here's how to play! One person will shake a listening bottle and the other person has to find the other matching sound (this is why you will need 2 of each).

Remember, listen carefully!



Mathematical Development

Our Learning: Today we have another opportunity to count out sets! Today is going to be slightly different and more child led. Child led learning is often when we get the best results from our children and see most progress.

Todays job:

Play is often the best way to learn and I know how much apple class love to role play!! With that in mind, using your play dough from week 1 (or even make real cakes if you're feeling adventurous), can you make some delicious cakes? As the grown up, instruct your child to add set amounts of decoration. For example, this cake needs 3 sprinkles, or this cake needs 7 cherries on top! You might ask your child, please can I have 2 strawberry cakes and 4 chocolate cakes. Remember, the focus is on counting out the right set amount! You could take this further and set up a cake shop in your house! Write signs to show how much things cost, make an open/closed signs with times on, draw your own coins. There are so many mathematical skills (as well as counting out) that come from shop role play. Have fun and count, count, count!

Wednesday

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Topic

Let's continue learning about birds today! Have a look in books or on the internet for pictures of different birds. Do you like the look of robins? Do you like parrots? Do you like crows? Do you like pheasants? Whichever bird you like the best, can you get creative and make it?

Using materials from around the house (milk carton, egg box, kitchen roll tube or tin) can you make your favourite bird? It is really important you think about what colours you use so it looks just like the picture.

Remember grown ups, your child's model doesn't have to look perfect! It's all about your child coming up with ideas themselves and working hard to put it together. Remember..... Process over product!!

I can't wait to see your creations!

Today's Physical Challenge!

1. Joe Wicks is on at 9 today!
2. Find an open space either on your daily walk or in your garden.

Can you:

- Strut like a peacock?
- Flap like a parrot
- Waddle like a duck
- Peck like a chicken.
- Fly like a bird.

And finally...

Day 1 We'd love to see what you've done today. Upload some pictures to your child's school 360 journal. Don't forget to email if you have any questions or concerns.

