



Who Lives Here?

Activities to Enjoy at Home



Mathematics	Reading	Writing	Physical Development
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a repeating pattern dance—tap knees, tap shoulders, tap head, knees, shoulders, head, knees, shoulders, head. You could even link this to phonics and practise your sounds whilst making the actions e.g. sh, ch, th, sh, ch, th. Practise counting from different starting points, for example, at first start at 1 and then start at 6. See if your child can continue counting from a given number. Practise taking away using real objects and write the corresponding number sentences. <i>Have 5 sweets and take 2 away, how many are left?</i> Practise finding one more and one less than a given number. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to the story 'On the Way Home' by Jill Murphy https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=URRAMHToe4s <i>Who did Claire speak to? Who did Claire see on her way home? What do the children normally see on their way home from school?</i> Listen to the story 'What the Ladybird Heard' by Julia Donaldson https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Eu9mPX7DuLA <i>What do the two men see and hear on their way to find the prize cow? How did the animals trick the two men?</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draw a map of your journey to school and label the important things that you see along the way. With an adult, <i>can you create instructions about how to get from your house to school?</i> Draw a map of your house and label each room. Write a letter to a friend telling them about what you have been up to at home. <i>Can you design a house and see if you can write a list of all the materials you will need to build it?</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> After listening to the story 'What the Ladybird Heard' <i>can you move in ways like the animals did? Trot like a horse, creep like the men, waddle like a duck.</i> <i>Can you practise your cutting skills by carefully using scissors to cut grass?</i> <i>Using playdough, can you create something that you see on the way to school?</i> <i>Can you help an adult to hang clothes on the washing line?</i> <i>Can you zip up your coat, button and unbutton your t-shirt? For an extra challenge, can you tie your shoe laces?</i>
<p><u>Books</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Three Little Pigs https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QLR2pLUsl-Y Rosie's Walk https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aynZh1-fsBg Six Dinner Sid https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kYw9EagX9fY Mr Gumpy's Outing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b88k5_4Pktk 	<p><u>Understanding of the World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Think about where different things live— where do we live? Where does a butterfly live? Where does a shark live? Do we live in similar places or different places? Why do you think this?</i> <i>Can you think about some of the different jobs that people you care about do? Why are these jobs important?</i> <i>Can you draw and label a picture of the seaside/ beach and talk about how the seaside is different to where we live? Longhill Estate? What may you see/ smell/ hear and touch when you visit the beach?</i> 	<p><u>Creative</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Can you draw a picture of something that you see on your way to school? Can you use your collaging skills to fill the picture with colour?</i> <i>Can you make a model house? Use an old cereal box or shoe box and get creative! Watch this video that shows a step by step guide of how to make a house for Peppa Pig using a cereal box, paper, cellotape and glue!</i> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0GY8Pw71HSs 	<p><u>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Think about a time when you felt proud. Discuss this time with someone at home. <i>Do you have anything to show for this such as a certificate or badge? Draw a picture of this time.</i> Create street art! If you have a pavement outside or nearby this is a great way to spread joy to everyone walking past and show thanks to our key workers. Use chalk to create a rainbow directly onto the ground or create a design using stones, twigs, flowers and other natural resources.
<p><u>Music</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sing songs that count back for example, <i>Five Currant Buns, Ten Green Bottles and Five Little Speckled Frogs.</i> Experiment with making music by following this link to Play It! 		<p><u>Role Play</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Can you set up your own version of something in the community? It could be a hairdressers, a police station, a library, a café, a hospital, a vets, a post office, etc.</i> 	<p><u>Role Play</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You could set up your own beach area, jump into your swimwear and see if you can find any other items around to create your own seaside adventure. 