# Reception Homework Menu

Choose and complete four homework tasks and return to us by Wednesday 29th March 2023.

Evidence can be photographed/videoed and sent via your '2Simple Evidence Me' app. Ideas and help for parents are on the back.

## Physical Development

Can you practise your fine motor skills? You could cut around a shape, thread cheerio's onto dried spaghetti, or practise writing your name in Kinetic Letter handwriting.

## Communication and Language

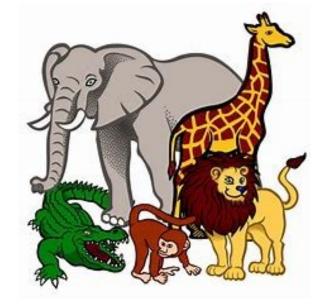
Think about a wild animal or a pet and what you would like to find out about them. Can you think of three questions you could ask an expert that would help you to find out?

#### Maths

Can you use some of your toys to practise adding?
Remember to carefully count the total to find the answer.

#### Literacy

Can you write about your favourite story? You could write about your favourite character or part of the story and draw a picture to show this. Remember to use you Pheeba fingers and finger spaces!



#### **PSED**

Think about the healthy choices we have been learning about. Can you make a healthy snack to share at home?

#### **EAD**

Can you use the joining skills you have been taught to create a home for your favourite animal, using recycled materials? We would love to see your creations in school or on the 'Evidence Me' app.

#### Understanding the World

Can you act out the life cycle of a butterfly or a frog?

Remember to use the key vocabulary we have learnt in school!

## Physical Development

Encourage your child to complete these tasks as independently as possible. Take a photograph or video clip showing the chosen activity.

Example comment - Here is Tim writing his name. He thought carefully about his handwriting and completed this independently.

## Communication and Language

Ask your child what they would like to find out. You could offer them an example question and encourage them to think of their own. Video record your child asking the questions.. Example comment - This is Tim asking some questions about snakes.

# Ideas for Parents

#### Maths

Offer your child some number problems to solve (5+3=). Encourage them to carefully count out each set and add them together to find the total. Photograph your child's work.

Example comment - Here is Tim using his toy cars to solve 5+3.

## Literacy

Ask your child to tell you about their favourite book. Can they say and then write a sentence about it? Take a photograph of the writing. Example comment - Tim wrote "I like the tiger because he is funny" about 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea'. Tim was able to write the graphemes independently/with support. Tim also drew a picture of the tiger.

## PSED

Encourage your child to talk about healthy food choices and choose a simple snack to make. Support your child in making this snack. Photograph your child's snack.

Example comment - Here is Tim making a gruit salad. He told me that apples were a healthy choice.

#### **EAD**

Encourage your child to think about the materials they could use and how they could join them. Take a picture of your child's model. Example comment - Tim used a box and some tubes to make a home for a hamster. He said that the hamster would like the small spaces.

## Understanding the World

Ask your child to talk about the stages of the life cycle. Can they act out each stage? Video record your child's acting. Example comment - Here is Tim showing the life cycle of a butterfly. He remembered some of the key vocabulary!

# Help for Parents

Homework can either be videoed or photographed and sent to us via your '2Simple Evidence Me' app.

Keep your videos short! Longer videos will need to be converted as they will not upload.

Please make sure that you send each photograph or video individually with a written comment, explaining what your child is doing. Please also tell us whether they have needed any help or not.

If you require any help or support with any of the tasks, please speak to your child's class teacher. We cannot wait to see all the wonderful photographs and videos!