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# Home Learning for week beginning 11th January 2021.

This week we are continuing with The Gingerbread Man.

#### Activities for you to carry out.

- 1. Have you seen Kim retelling the story of The Gingerbread Man? Have a watch on either Facebook or YouTube. The words are also available for you to look at. Once you are familiar with the story and the actions, have a go at retelling it. Challenge yourself to retell the story to your Mummy and Daddy or brother and sisters. Why not ask someone to film you as you retell the story on their telephone.
- 2. In nursery, we will be busy looking at pictures of the Gingerbread Man before painting our own. Find some paper and have a go at painting or drawing your own Gingerbread Man. Challenge yourself to paint the other characters from the story.
- 3. Cut out your paintings or drawings, sellotape or glue sticks to the back of them. Use these characters as you retell the story.
- 4. Visit the following website and have fun counting the number of buttons on the Gingerbread Man's body. Can you select the correct number? For now just focus on the numbers 1-5.

## https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/gingerbread-man-game

5. Have you enjoyed the snow and ice? In nursery, the children have loved exploring the ice. Find a small object such as a plastic animal, a dinosaur, small doll. Put them into a tub full of water before placing this into your freezer. Once the water has frozen, take out your tub and place in an empty washing up bowl. Now the fun really does begin. How can you rescue your frozen object? What tools could you use? Have fun but be careful. How long did it take you to free the object? What happened to your ice?

6. In winter it is very important that we provide food for the birds. In nursery we will be helping the wonderful wild birds that we see each day by making bird feeders and hanging them up for the birds to enjoy. Have a go at making your own bird feeder. You could use cheerios' and thread them onto string, you could cut up small pieces of apple and cheese before threading these onto string or thin wire, if you have lard and bird seed why not roll the lard into a ball before rolling it into the bird seed. If you are unsure have a look at the following website for ideas. https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/bird-feeder

#### **Group Times**

- 1. PSED. Your friends at nursery are missing you, are you missing them? Talk to your Mummy and Daddy about your friends. Tell them what you lie doing whilst at nursery. How does nursery make you feel? Do you feel happy whilst at nursery or sometimes a little scared? Talk about these feelings. Show your mummy and daddy your happy or sad face.
- 2. Maths. In nursery, we are busy counting out group's pf objects. WE really like playing a game where we have to use our hands to grab a handful of objects from a large group on the floor. Find six small objects such as buttons, beads, and cotton wool balls. Count out six before using your hand to grab/take a handful. How many did you garb? How many are left on the floor? This group time is supporting you and helping you with your one to one counting.
- 3. Phonics. Listening is an essential skill. Watch the group time where a teacher is clapping the number of syllables (sounds) that are found in words. For example "ball" has two syllables "b" "all", you would clap once for "b" and once for "all". Now try clapping the syllables in the words "cup", "dog", "cat"

See our YouTube channel for the videos:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0AG700GqS--KXeIZFE0LOg

Please can you email any pictures or activities that you child has done to their keyworker who will print it off for your child's learning journal.

Parental comments would be very helpful and if you need any help or advice, please email your child's keyworker.

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