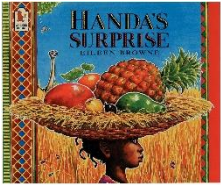


Home learning week beginning 6th July 2020.

Hello Reception, We hope you are all well and staying safe. Here are your learning activities to complete at home with your families this week.

Literacy

This week we will be reading the story Handa's Surprise again. You can find this on YouTube. Please read or listen to the story. Here is the link to help you find it: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ocnRQi89nK8>
Now you have listened to the story can you do the following activities.



1. Talk about what happened in the story. Write a sentence to show what happened at the beginning, middle and end of the story.
2. Talk about the setting of the story (Kenya). What does it look like? What is the weather like? What are the houses like? What are the trees and plants like? What animals do they have? Do we have them in England?
3. Write a simple retell of the story.

Maths

This week we will be learning about length, height and distance. To begin with can you join in with Jack Hartman to count to 20. Here is the link to help you find it:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MVzXKfr6e8>

Now can you do the following activities.

1. Give the children some bricks. Ask them to make a tall, medium and short tower and put them in order starting with the tallest.
2. Give your child some playdough/dough/objects. Ask the children to make a long, medium and short worm and put them in order starting with the shortest.
3. Give your child a toy car or something that rolls along the floor and make sure you have one too. Roll the object along the floor at the same time, try using Ready, Steady, Go to show the child it is time to roll the car/object. Talk about which car/object went the furthest. How do you know? How can we check? Encourage your child to check the distance by counting the number of footsteps it takes to get the car/object. Were you right about the one that went the furthest?



Topic

This week we will be learning about the cold countries. Can you do the following activities:



1. Listen to the story The Snail and The Whale. Here is the link for you: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hheoLVGZVvs>. What are the differences between where the snail visits i.e. hot and cold, underwater? What features tell you what kind of place it is? Look at the page with the volcano. Are there volcanoes in Britain? Where can we find volcanoes? Look at pictures of volcanos. Can you use some describing words to tell me about it?
2. Look at pictures of hot countries and cold countries from around the world. Ask the children if they think they would like to live there and explain why or why not? Would you like to live near a volcano?
3. Choose one cold country. Write some facts about what the weather is like, what people wear, where people live, what animals live there, what plants grow there.

Other activities

Other activities that we would like you to do are:

1. Practise washing your hands correctly. Choose a song to sing while you wash your hands.
2. Go on Numbots and complete 1 challenge on the game.
3. Take part in a yoga session with Cosmic Kids. Here is a link to help you. <https://youtu.be/9-GvTXEoQfk>

