

Nursery Curriculum Summer Week 1

You can choose the order of the learning or do in the order given.

	Day 1 Activity	Day 2 Activity	Day 3 Activity	Day 4 Activity	Day 5 Activity
Literacy	<p>Rhyming Pot game Choose 3 rhyming words (for example, <i>bat, hat, cat</i>) to go into a rhyming 'pot'. Can they suggest another rhyming word to go in the pot? Which words couldn't go into the pot? Repeat with another set of rhyming words.</p>	<p>2 minute challenge Set a timer to two minutes. How many times can you write your name in two minutes? Don't forget to pinch your pencil and form your letters correctly.</p>	<p>Poem to perform Read the 'Clap Your Hands' poem with your grownup at home. Can you perform it to your family? Can you think of some actions that you could do as you are reading your poem?</p>	<p>Phonics Watch the Jolly phonics video of phase 2 sounds. Go on a sound hunt around your home looking for things that begin with the different sounds from the video.</p>	<p>Name writing Try using different writing tools or implements Find different colours, sizes, types. e.g pencils, pens, biros, felt tips, pencil crayons. chalk, bath crayons etc. You could make some labels for your things.</p>
Maths	<p>Guess my shape. Pick one of the four 2D shapes; <i>circle, triangle, square and rectangle</i> Describe it to your parent or sibling without using its name, for example 'it has four sides and they are all the same length'. Parent or sibling to guess which shape you are describing.</p>	<p>Counting songs Encourage your child to join in with singing the numbers from their (or your!) favourite counting songs. You can find more at Topmarks. Encourage the children to use their fingers to show the numbers.</p>	<p>Number hunt Give your child a number and ask them to go around the room finding that number of things. Repeat with a different number. Challenge: can all of the things be the same colour/ same size?</p>	<p>Shape pictures Draw a picture that is only made up of 2D shapes. Can you find some things to draw around that make the shapes of a circle, square, rectangle or triangle?</p>	<p>Number card hunt Hide numbers on paper/card with the numbers 1-10 written around the house. Children to go and find them. Can they tell you what the number is? Can they find that many things in the house?</p>
Topic	<p>Personal, Social + Emotional Development Make an award or badges for some of your toys or people at home. 'best cake maker' 'best hugger' 'best joke teller' You could take a photo of the award or call the person to tell them they are the best!</p>	<p>Art + Design Work with your family to set up your own Nursery role play! Who is the teacher? Who are the children? Can you do the register? What are you going to learn today?</p>	<p>Communication and Language Simon says game - following instructions given to you by a grown up. You only do it when the grown up starts the instruction with 'Simon says...'</p>	<p>DT – Cooking Challenge We want you to help with cooking and baking this week, in any way you can. Choose 1 (or more!) of the ideas below and improve your cooking skills this week.</p>	<p>Understanding of the World Talk with your grown up about what happens during the Spring time. What are the differences between Autumn and Spring? Which other seasons do you know? Which season is your favourite?</p>
Physical Development	Try to do something every day to make you out of breath! You could use some of the ideas here .				

Additional links/games	Phonics Phonics Play Hairy Letters App Alphablocks	Maths Topmarks Numberblocks	<u>Physical Development</u> Cosmic Kids Yoga	<u>Art + Design</u> Puppet Pals Puppet Pals	Twinkl (free 1 month Ultimate Membership) https://www.twinkl.co.uk/offer Code: UKTWINKLHELPS
Great Eight Challenge See Below	Great Eight Challenge	Great Eight Challenge	Great Eight Challenge	Great Eight Challenge	Great Eight Challenge

'The Great Eight' Challenge – Summer Week 1		What to do	What you need
1. To talk about	What is the odd one out? Plants, animals or humans Explain why. or If elephants ruled the world, what changes would you see?	Talk to as many people as you can about this. What do different people think? Do you all agree?	
2. To do	Create a dance or a workout to learn by heart.	Repeat the activity three times a day. Can you teach it to someone else?	You could use: Timer, watch, phone, clock, music
3. To investigate	How does the weather change in a day?	Make records of the weather at three different times of the day.	Paper and pencil
4. To find out more about	a sportsperson or musician who made record	Choose someone you know or ask an adult who they know about or look online	
5. To design	An outfit for a superhero, spy or book or film character	Think about the jobs of your superhero or spy. What gadgets would help them.	Paper and pencils
6. To learn	where three or more European countries are Challenge: Can you learn their capital cities too?	Try to find some countries you have not heard of before.	
7. To draw	or describe your favourite place	Use your memory or pictures	Paper and pencils
8. To create	a collage or sculpture that represents a mood.	Use materials you can find at home. Eg collection of things/colours that make you calm or happy	Magazines Newspapers Drawings Junk

Nursery story videos:

[Smartest Giant in Town, Summer 1, Week 1](#)

[Josh and the Woo Woo Summer 1 Week 1](#)

[Shark in the park Summer 1 week 1](#)

[The Owl's Lesson Summer 1 Week 1](#)

[Nursery Rhymes Summer 1 Week 1](#)



DT Cooking Challenge

Choose 1 or more of these challenges and get cooking!

Get your breakfast (and lunch) ready by yourself every day this week.	Make a recipe that is someone in your family's favourite treat/snack/meal.	Make a meal with foods that all start with the same letter.	Try to create a snack based on a book, a film or a song.
Create a new smoothie flavour.	Find a recipe from another country and culture that you would like to try.	Make a fruit salad.	Learn how to cook a vegetable in 2 different ways.
Peel the vegetables for dinner every day.	Plan a whole balanced meal for your family. Or even plan 3 days worth of meals.	Cook/bake something in a muffin tin.	Get breakfast/lunch ready for your whole family.
Make your own ice lollies.	Prepare a meal/sandwich with as many different colours as possible.	Ask a friend / family member for their favourite (and maybe secret) recipe, then follow the recipe.	Cook a pasta meal.

