



Year Group: Reception

WEEK BEGINNING: 15/3/2021

This is an overview of the main areas of learning in Year Reception for this week which will link to the learning going on in school. Please send pictures of your child's work to their teacher via Evidence Me.

Number, shape & measures:



Number of the week: 6 - Watch the [Numberblocks](#) episode about the number 6. How many ways can you show 6 at home? You could collect 6 toys, make 6 balls of playdoh, draw 6 lines on paper, find the side of a dice showing 6 or use anything else that you would like.

Shape of the week: hexagon - Listen for the x sound in hexagon, can you hear it in the word six too? Use this to help you remember that a hexagon is a 2D shape with 6 sides and 6 corners.



Challenge: Collect 6 building blocks. How many arrangements can you make using the 6 blocks? If they are coloured, how many of each colour have you used? Could you do the same for 7 or 8 blocks?



The World/topic Irresistible Learning Topic: Healthy Eating

Activity 1: Listen to the story [Handa's Surprise](#). Did you enjoy the story? Can you remember the fruit that was in the basket? What happened to the fruit?

Try making your own basket just like Handa. You could use real fruit, paint or even use some of your toys at home.



Activity 2: On Espresso search for healthy eating. Click on the foundation module and watch the videos about healthy and unhealthy eating.

Then listen to this [song](#) and join in the dancing!



Communication, language & literacy:

Word of the week: Diet

Phonics:

Lesson 1 [Recap lesson](#)

Lesson 2 [Practise blending](#)

Lesson 3 Recap the tricky words previously learnt. Play tricky word bingo. Write some tricky words on paper and call out a tricky word. Can they find the words that you call out?

Lesson 4 Play [Pick a Picture](#) on Phonics play. Select Phase 3- Digraphs.



Reading: Read some of your books on [Bug Club](#).

Don't forget to complete the activity at the end of the book. Can you draw a picture that could go on the front cover of the book?



Writing: Write a list of fruit and vegetables that could be added to Handa's basket. Think carefully about the sounds that you can hear in the words. Can you read your list back to a grown up?

Wellbeing – Being Happy



On Friday 19th March it is **Red Nose Day** (you can find more information on the Comic Relief website [click here](#)). On Saturday 20th March it is **International Happiness Day**. Here are some ideas you can do at home linked to these special days:



- Find some jokes – which one makes people in your family laugh the most? Share it with your teacher via Evidence Me or complete the 'Share a smile' activity on the Comic Relief website ([click here](#)) – scroll down to download the poster.
- Watch the 'Small Smurfs Big Goals' video linked to International Happiness Day ([click here](#)). You might also want to have a look at the Mindful March activity calendar ([click here](#)).