Home Learning

Week: 10 February 2021 - Let's celebrate

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Stories, Phase one phonics & Songs

Chinese/Lunar New Year

It's the year of the Ox. Learn about how Chinese New Year is celebrated and find out how the animals of the Chinese Zodiac decided who would have which year named after them.

Let's Celebrate - Chinese and Lunar New Year

Scroll or swipe down to find out more about Chinese and Lunar New Year.



Mr Wolf's Pancakes

Come and listen to Caroline reading a story about Mr Wolf and his pancakes.



3 February 2021 by BEYA YOUTUBE

Watch the Chinese Dragon dance

The Let's Go Club - Chinese Lion Dance

Join Let's Goers Jamie and Hannah as they find out about the Chinese lion dance.





Pancake song

Come and sing the pancake song with Naomi. Get ready to sizzle, sizzl



Pancake Song by BEYA YOUTUBE

Can you help Janine make some silly soup? She needs ingredients that all begin with the same sound.



Silly Soup by BEYA YOUTUBE

Activity ideas

Random Act of Kindness

As it's Valentine's Day, why not do something kind for a neighbour or someone you love. You could: Draw them a picture.

Send them letter of photo.

Surprise them with a telephone or FaceTime call.

Make them biscuits.

Bake them a cake.

Have a think, what other kind things could you do?



Let's make pancakes

There are many pancake recipes online. A very simple one is to mix together 1 egg, 1 cup of flour and 1 cup of milk, then fry in a hot pan. You can then add different toppings - sugar, jam, chocolate spread. What's your favourite topping? Sing the pancake song as you make them...

Mix a pancake

Stir a pancake

Pop it in the pan

Fry the pancake Toss the pancake

Catch it if you can!



Stir Fry

Get chopping in the kitchen and make a stir fry. You can use any vegetables you have at home for example carrots, courgettes, peppers. Learning how to chop with a knife is great for developing independence skills and hand strength. You could throw in some frozen peas, sweetcorn or any other vegetables you have. Add your ingredients to a hot pan with some noodles. Cook through and enjoy. You could try eating them with chopsticks.



Sensory Play

Find a container, anything from a baking tray to a washing up bowl and fill with pasta or rice. You could use dry pasta and add bowls or spoons. You could cook spaghetti and add forks, scissors, tongs, chopsticks or just get stuck in with your hands. You could try adding food colouring or just leave it plain. How does it feel? Use lots of descriptive vocabulary such as soft, sticky, long, squishy. You could also add other toys - cars, people or animals. Have fun!



Maths Challenge

Shape hunt

Go on a shape hunt around your home or when you're out and about. Can you find circles, squares, triangles, hearts, stars, rectangles... How many circles can you find? You could take photos or keep a tally chart of how many of each shape you find.



Sorting

In China, red is a colour that symbolises luck, happiness and joy. Can you make a collection of red things. How many red things can you find in a minute? Two minutes? What's the biggest red thing, the smallest, the thinnest, the longest? Talk about what you've found. What are they and what are they used for?



Physical Challenge

Cosmic Yoga

A cosmic kids yoga adventure with Cracker the dragon of Wonder.



Cracker The Dragon Of Wonder | A Cosmic Kids Yoga Adventure! by Cosmic Kids Yoga

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Let's sew!

Do you have any old ribbons, shoe laces or string? Make some holes in some cardboard and practice sewing! Great for physical skills and hand-eye coordination.



Outdoor ideas

Races

You could have some races while out in the park or in your garden. \\

You could try an egg and spoon race, running race, scooter race or even a pancake race. You could make up your own race with your own rules. Use a timer to see how fast you are. Who came first, second lost?



Supergroup & Makaton

Supergroup

It's Supergroup, what's going on today?

Supergroups Lockdown 4

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Makaton

This week for celebration number 1 (Chinese/Lunar new year) Liz is going to teach us the Makaton sign for dragon.



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Makaton

This week for celebration number 2 (Valentine's day) Liz is going to teach us the Makaton sign for 'I love you.'



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Makaton

This week for celebration number 3 (Shrove Tuesday) Liz is going to teach us the Makaton sign for pancake



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