



Foundation Stage Extended Learning Menu

The theme for these two weeks is the Gruffalo. Go to www.gruffalo.com for some fun activities and ideas.

In the table, there are lots of different activities to choose from. Please try to complete the activities that are in a **coloured grey box regularly**. At least **one 4-star activity** must be completed. Aim to earn at least 20 stars over the next two weeks.

Please post any photos or videos of what you have done onto Tapestry, so we can see how well you're doing!

<p>Read at least 3 times a week. Read a book, go to www.oxfordowl.co.uk or look out for reading resources posted on Tapestry each Friday. Talk about the events or information in the text to show you have understood it.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Listen to Mr Faulder read, "The Gruffalo," on Tapestry this Monday and another Julia Donaldson book the week after. See what other Julia Donaldson books you have at home and share them with a grown-up.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Make "stick" puppets of the characters from The Gruffalo. Use whatever resources you like to make your puppets. See if you can retell the story using your puppets.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Play a maths game online. Visit www.topmarks.co.uk and explore some Early Years maths games. Let us know which ones you like best. Look out for Mrs Wallace's maths activities on Tapestry every Friday too.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	
<p>Play the Gruffalo Chorus Game on Scholastic at https://clubs-kids.scholastic.co.uk/clubs_assets/13901. Afterwards, you could play other Gruffalo games at www.gruffalo.com or make up your own chorus.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Sing, dance or make music. Watch the Gruffalo Song in Makaton online and sing or join in with the signs. Or you could sing your favourite song, tap out the beat, use actions or add music. You could adapt it and change the words too!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Subtract numbers from totals of up to 10 or 20. Use objects or your number line to help and write the number sentences in your book. Can you get the biggest number in your head and count back to find the answer?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Have a Gruffalo-themed indoor or outdoor picnic. Make Gruffalo-themed food, like Owl Ice-cream, Gruffalo Crumble, Roasted Fox Rolls or Mouse's favourite cheese sandwiches. You could invite some of your cuddly toys if they're not too scared!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	
<p>Practise your letter formation. Focus on the one armed-robot letters b, h, k, m, n, p and r. You can use the formation sheet attached or watch https://www.theschoolrun.com/video-letter-formation-one-armed-robot-letter-family to help write, paint, or chalk your letters – just make sure you start and end in the correct place.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Write at least 3 sentences per week in your Extended Learning book. Try to: - Sound out each word (or spell tricky words) - Use fingers spaces between words - Use a full stop at the end of a sentence - Form letters correctly You can write about anything you like and use your sound mat to help.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Go on a "woodland" walk and see what you can find. What animals or creatures can you see or hear? Can you move in different ways on your walk? You could also move like the animals at home, around, over or under objects.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Practise Phase 2, 3 or 4 phonics at least 3 times per week. Read and write words and sentences including CCVC words, eg swim, growl. See http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-4-resources.html for useful resources. Read tricky words "have, like, some, come." Spell tricky words "was, you." Play a phonics game at home or online – go to Top Marks or Phonics Play.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	
				<p>Extra stars:</p>