

Reception home learning pack Friday 5th February

You do not need to print the sheets, you can use any pieces of paper to complete the work—the attached are for guidance.

Our Core Story is “The Dark” by Lemony Snicket and we will be linking our activities to this, and reading some of it to you over the next few weeks.

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Please email all questions **and finished work** (scans or photographs) to this address:

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Daily Phonics

Today we are going to look at and learn the tricky words for phase 3, you can find a copy of these on page 2. Read these words together then play games with them—ask your child to find a specific word and point to it, play fastest finger first (hands behind back, say a word and the fastest to touch wins), play matching pairs (2 sets of cards included on sheet), play Florence’s maths game from yesterday with these words instead .

Try putting them into sentences.

Activities: Here are 3 challenges for you for today.

Challenge 1: Invent your own magical flower or plant. What colour would it be? What would it smell like? What special powers would it have? Draw / make a model of what your flower would look like. Label it and give your flower a special name. Write some information about it. What season does it like to grow in?

Challenge 2: Do you know the names of baby animals? What are the names of different baby animals? There are some matching cards attached to the email—can you match them, or draw your own? Can you name the adult animal and the baby animal?

Challenge 3: Measure how tall you are. Cut a piece of string/ribbon or wool the same size. Can you find objects that are taller and shorter than you? You could also challenge yourself to find some things that are the same height as you. Draw and label your findings.

An extra challenge if you have the resources: Investigate what fruits and vegetables look like when they are cut in half. Look carefully at the seeds, pips and stones. Can you count some of them? Can you add some of these together?

Something physical: Find some clothes pegs and a length of string or washing line—put one hand behind your back, how many can you peg in a minute? Swap hands, which hand is quicker?

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