

Learning Project Week Beginning 13th July
Happy Anniversary Grange Park!



Age Range: Reception

Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete a maths activity provided in the weekly school pack/online resource. It is the 10th Anniversary of Grange Park, design a cake and make it out of junk materials, can you put 10 candles on the cake. Make a 10th Anniversary card for Grange Park. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reading a variety of books at home. Your child could share a book everyday. This can be reading a book aloud everyday or sharing a book with an adult. You can also access books and comics via Bug Club and Epic using the following links - https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk or https://www.getepic.com/ Read/share some traditional tales such as Red riding hood, the three bears, Hansel and Gretel, Jack, and the beanstalk. Which is your favourite traditional tale? Why? Write a book review for it.
Weekly Phonics/Spellings Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily phonics - your child to practise their sounds and blend words. Interactive games found on link below. Phonics play Top Marks This week we are learning the trigraphs ear and air. Go on a sound hunt around your house and garden and write a list of words that include those sounds. Ask a grown up to say your tricky words out loud so that you can have a go at writing them. They are; he, she, we, me, be you, all, are, her, was, they, my. Ask a grown up to write your tricky words in chalk on the floor outside and then use a brush to rub them out with water as they call them out for you. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete an activity from the online learning pack. It is the 10th Anniversary of Grange Park, plan a party with your family to celebrate. Write a list of all the things you will need. Send out invitations to your family members about your Grange Park anniversary party. Have your party, take some pictures and then write Miss Rance and Mrs Hall a letter telling us all about your party.

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week:



Outdoor fun!

Please note if you are following any links to youtube or online to make sure you check these links without the children first in order to ensure there are no popups etc.

Outside activities - Please follow the Government guidelines about being outside and only complete the outdoor activities if it is deemed safe to do so.

Rainbow wind chimes



Go on a stick hunt, find about 6 sticks and strip them of their bark, use sandpaper to make them smooth and then paint them a variety of colours and attach some string to hang them in your garden.

Mud face sculptures

You will need:

Mud
Trees
Natural found items,
e.g. sticks, leaves, pinecones, stones
Water

The Activity

1. Mix the mud with a little water to make it more pliable.
2. Add the mud to a tree trunk and begin to design and sculpt a face.
3. Use sticks to add texture to the mud sculpture. Add any natural materials to the face that the children choose, e.g. stones for eyes and leaves for hair or ears.



Create a cave

Take a look outside and think about what you might use to make a cave. Design your cave, listing all the things you will need and draw a picture. Make your cave and take a picture.

Worm hotel

Make Your Own Worm Hotel

Science Experiment

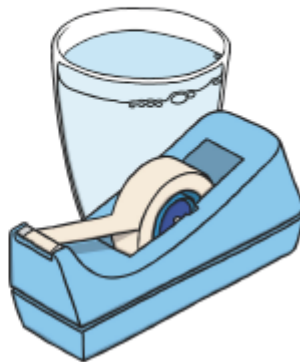


Method

1. You are going to create a layer effect in the jar, using sand and soil.
2. Start by pouring about 1" of sand into the bottom of the jar.
3. Then, alternate between 1" layers of sand and soil until the layers reach the top of the jar.
4. Pour some water on top of the layers and then put the earthworms on top.
5. The worms should start to burrow downwards straight away.
6. To keep the inside of the jar dark, stick your dark paper around the outside of the jar.
7. Leave the top off the jar so the worms get some air.
8. Leave the jar for 3-4 days then pull the paper off.
9. Have the worms moved through the jar?
10. Can you still see layers of soil and sand?
11. As the worms have travelled, they have mixed all the layers together!
12. Return the worms to their natural habitat after being in the jar for about a week.

You will need:

Large glass jar
Sand
Potting soil
Dark coloured construction paper
Sticky tape
3-4 big, healthy earthworms
Water



I can't wait to see all the fun you have in the great outdoors this week. You can keep sharing all your wonderful work on Storypark. Don't forget you can also keep evidence of the things you are doing at home in your home learning books to share with us.

Please remember that these are just some ideas for you to try if you wish, we would love to see your own take on these activities as well as what you come up with yourselves. Please remember if you don't have any of these things at home there is no expectation for you to go out and try to purchase any of them. Our only aim is that the children are safe, happy and able to relax and enjoy their time at home with you.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

[Classroom Secrets Learning Packs](#) - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

[Twinkl](#) - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

[Headteacherchat](#) - This is a blog that has links to various learning platforms. Lots of these are free to access.