

**NOVEMBER**

**2020**

**TOPICS:**

**Night time, Space**

**RELIGION:**

**Nigh time prayers**

In the event of Lockdown or Isolation find below a list of activities and ideas which may be completed each week. If you need anything else or further links please contact your class teacher and these will be sent via Seesaw. These will be linked to our monthly learning that will be happening in school

**The World Around Us**

Discuss Outer Space and give children some basic facts about planets-similarities and differences etc.

Watch some child friendly and educational videos on space – links will be sent

Let children explore with warm water and discuss what it feels like

Find objects that may float/sink to add to the water

Talk about Breakfast and supper foods; hot cold drinks. Allow children to making porridge and cereal and compare them.

**Physical Development and Movement**

**Fine Motor:** Pulling zips up and down

Make dough (recipe will be sent) roll and manipulate dough.

Connect construction pieces (if possible) e.g lego, duplo

**Gross Motor:** washing hands and brushing teeth – promoting a bedtime routine.

Throwing/catching beanbags.

Kicking a ball

**The Arts**

Making forms of light i.e. torches, candles; making a large rocket from junk boxes

Draw a house and encourage children to cut out furniture from newspaper/magazines and stick into correct rooms.

Make rockets using junk material – boxes, toilet roll holders etc

Encourage children to sing topic related songs (these will be sent home)

**Language Development**

Talking about night time –changes that they can see, what might light up the sky/streets at night time.

Encourage children to sit and listen to a short story. Library is available online – send link via seesaw

Make a bear cave and possibly use torches to lie in and read

Encourage children to make marks on paper and talk about what they have written/drawn.

**Early Mathematical Experience**

Look at the colour blue and how it can be different shades – sky blue, night sky blue. Mix white/black to blue to make it lighter/darker

Provide opportunities to count throughout the day – stairs, toys, cutlery etc

Sort by size and type (seesaw activity)

Provide link for sorting and matching games in Topmarks website

**Personal, Social & Emotional Development**

Develop a bedtime routine – washed, pyjamas, supper and story.

Look at keeping safe in the dark – what clothes can we wear, warmer clothes (Seesaw Activity)

Talk about some animals that may only some out at night (Seesaw activity)

Watch come outside – Streetlamps (link will be sent)

Watch come outside - Hedgehogs (link will be sent)