



Home Learning Activities – Cyfnod Sylfaen 1



Below is a variety of Home Learning activities that pupils can carry out at home without the need of an electronic device. Depending on the nature of the activity the work to be recorded neatly on paper.

Date: w/c Monday 13th July

Daily Activities

- Reading – read your favourite fairy tale story. Choose your favourite reading book and read it again from the beginning.
- Read, Write Inc – practice letter formation using pens, pencils, crayons, chalks
- Mental Maths – Subtraction Sums
Reception – counting 1 less from a given number to 15
Year 1 – Take a single digit number away from a number up to 20
- Daily Exercise – Practice catching and throwing skills. Use different types or sizes of balls, beanbags or hoops,
- Sing our 'Days of the Week' songs in Welsh and English.
- Sut mae'r tywydd – How is the weather today?
- Reflection – what did you enjoy most today? What are you looking forward to tomorrow?

Language, Literacy and Communication

- Little Red Riding Hood – write a letter to Granny to tell her about what happened when you met the wolf in the woods.
- Little Red Riding Hood described the wolf/granny as having big eyes, ears and teeth. Can you think of and write different adjectives to describe the wolf.
- Fairy tale review – write a book review or draw a poster to tell us all about your favourite fairy tale story. Remember to add details and draw pictures.



Humanities

- What have you learnt whilst listening to lots of different fairy tale stories? What types of different characters are there? Create a list of 'good' and 'bad' behaviours from all of the different characters. Now write a set of rules that characters should follow.
- Modern day fairy tales – how would your favourite fairy tale be different if it was set to take place today? Think about the differences between clothes, houses, food etc in the story. Write about or draw your favourite character in today's style of clothes. Where would they live today? What vehicle might they have?



Mathematics and Numeracy



- Capacity – practise filling containers with water, rice, beads etc. Fill containers so that they are full, half full, empty, nearly full and nearly empty. Use different cups or different sized spoons to measure how many of each you need to fill different sized containers.
- Number Challenge – go on a number hunt around your home or garden. How many different numbers can you find, recognise and name?

Science and Technology

- Floating and Sinking – Fill a bowl or a bucket, even a small paddling pool and experiment with different items. Make predictions about which ones will float and which ones will sink. Try out each item to see if your guesses were correct. Record your results by sorting the items in to 2 groups – float or sink. *Ask for help from an adult when playing with water*
- Design and make fairy tale props to help you re-tell your favourite story e.g. a crown, a shield, a wand



Expressive Arts



- Design and make a fairy garden in any outdoor space you have. Try to use lots of natural resources e.g. branches, twigs, stones, pebbles, flowers, leaves. You could use an old plant pot to start your garden. You could even create a mini fairy village with a bridge or a moat!
- Make a portrait of yourself as a fairy tale character. Think of what outfit and accessories you could have. Would you have a horse or an animal as a friend? Will you have any special skills or powers? Paint, draw or colour a picture of your design and label it to explain each part.

Health and Well-being

- Relaxation Time – play some calming music or even just sit outside in a quiet place – think about everything you have done this half-term. What has been your favourite thing? What have you enjoyed? What could you improve? Spend some time reflecting on this. Now draw a mind map of your feelings and ideas to record what you have thought about during this relaxation time. You could write or draw pictures. This will be a great way to record your memories.

