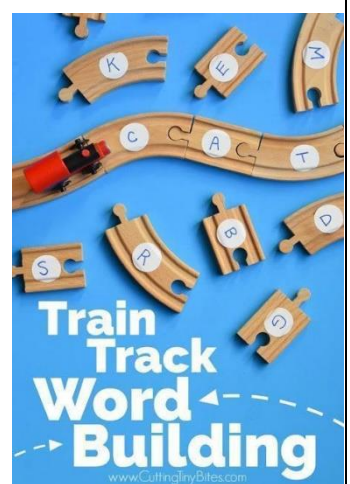
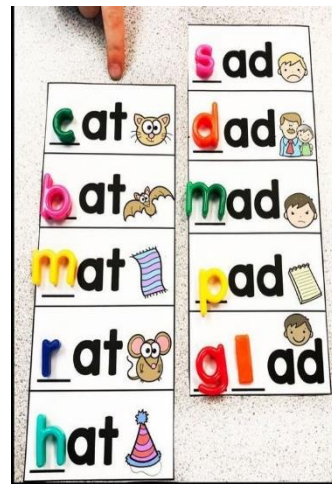
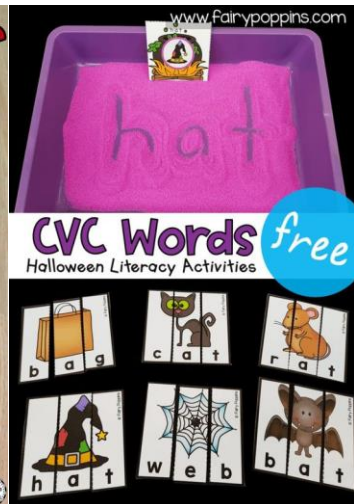
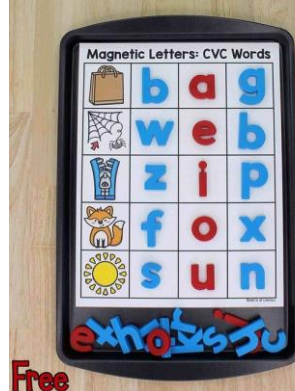


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English – This half term we will be continuing to focus on the foundations of literacy. At Picknalls we follow the Letters and Sounds programme, and whilst we will continue to look at Phase One we will also be looking more closely at Phase Two. We will recap s, a, t, p, i and n. We start with these sounds as it is possible to start blending, hearing and reading words e.g. sat, pin and tap. We will also introduce m, d and g. Why not try some of these activities at home.

Magnetic Letter CVC words



Letter m activities

Watch Geraldine the Giraffe learn the sound m here.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xh6Ux5D2D84>



Foil Printed Moon Craft



8 cups all-purpose flour (not gluten free)
 1 cup baby oil.
 Mix and let the fun start.

Letter d activities

Watch Geraldine the Giraffe learn the sound d here.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=65b3vEfskZ4>



D is for Donuts Paper Plate Craft
homeschoolpreschool.net



Letter g activities

Watch Geraldine the Giraffe learn the sound g here.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P2DdC5Q6D64&t=23s>



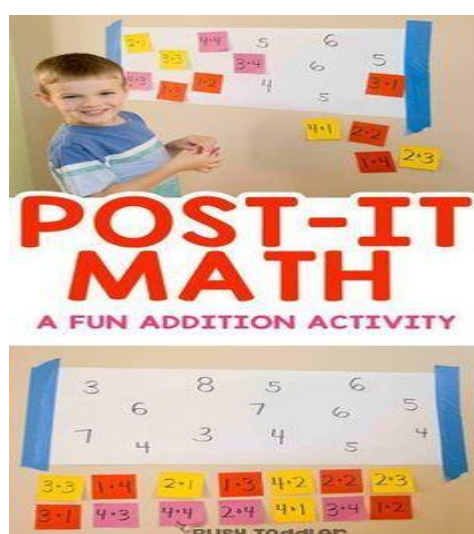
We will also continue to practise writing our names.



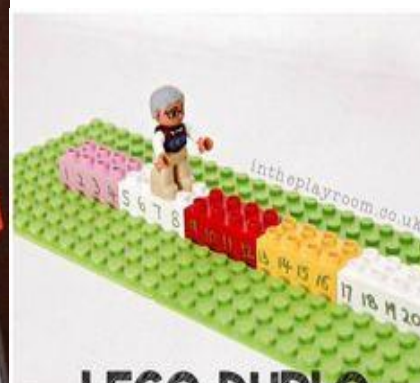
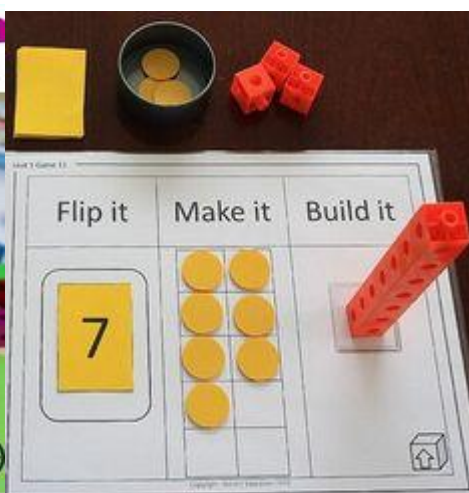
Writing your name on a sensory squishy bag.

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Maths – This half term we will be looking at some maths concepts that particularly lend themselves to hands on learning. Positional language, ordering by length and height, 2d shapes, grouping objects and estimating. We will also continue to work on writing the numbers from 0 to 10.



Colorful Addition Math Activity for Kids



LEGO DUPLO NUMBERLINE

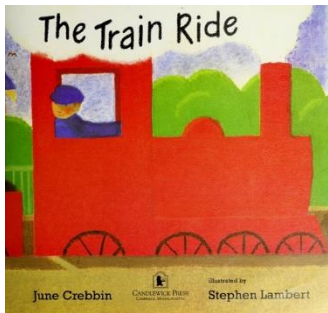


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Connected Curriculum – This half term our topic is: Buckets and Spades. We have provided details and some activity suggestions below to allow you to support your child's learning at home. Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to talk to the Nursery staff. We love to see what the children achieve at home so please feel free to send pictures to Miss Goodwin at vgoodwin@picknalls.co.uk. Whilst we love to celebrate your child's achievements in the classroom if you confirm in your email, we are ok to use on the schools Twitter, Instagram and website we will also share/celebrate your child's achievements electronically with our wider school community.

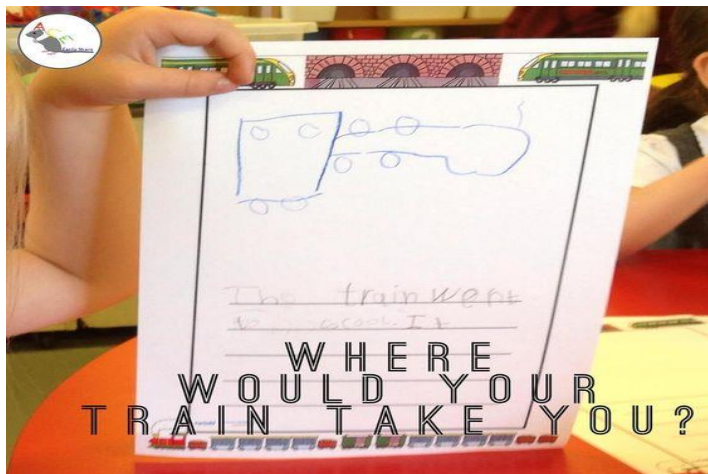
Week Commencing

5th June 2023
The Train Ride

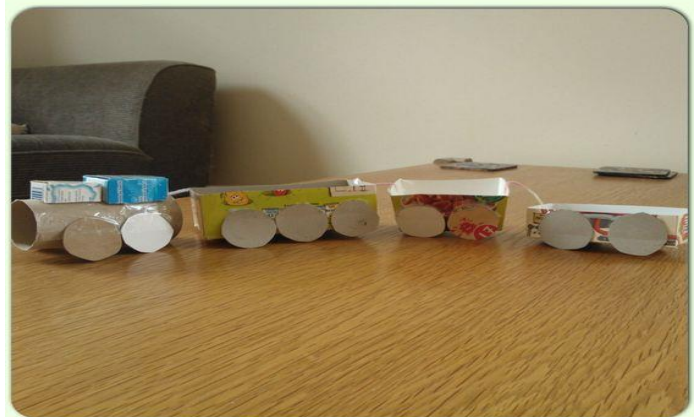


Youtube reading of the story:

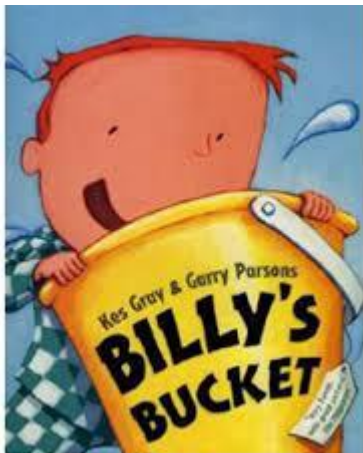
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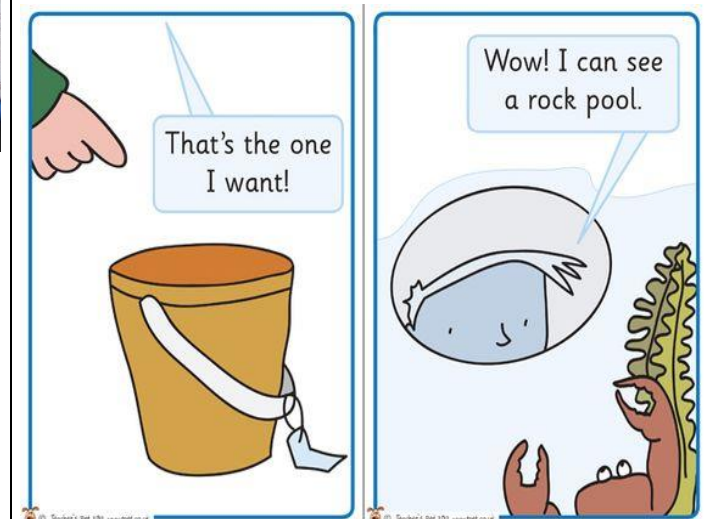
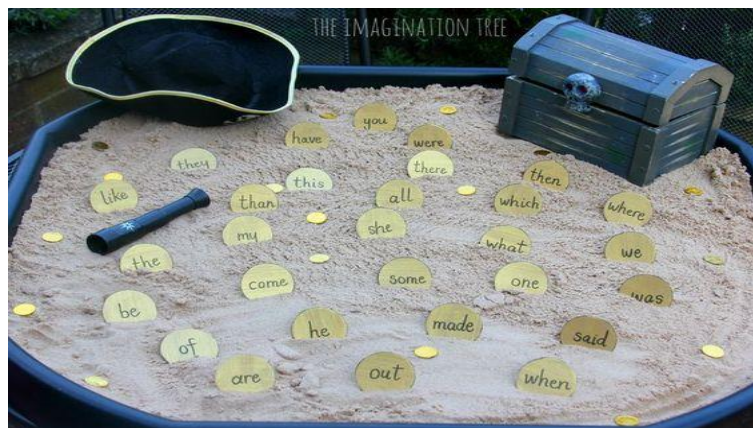
Junk Model Train



Billy's Bucket



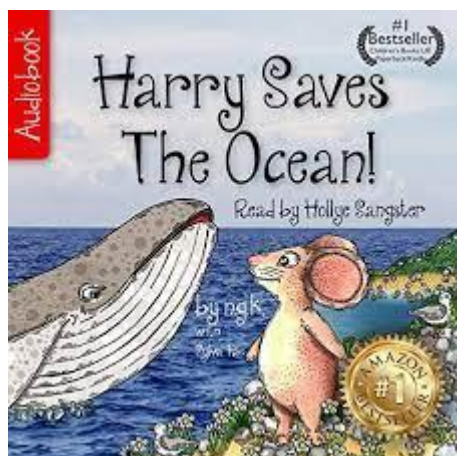
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What would you see in a magic bucket? Draw a picture and write a sentence to go with it.

19th June 2023

Harry Saves the Ocean



Youtube reading of the story:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=weqQkPIOA-Y>



Whale Spout Count

Ten Frame Match



Ocean Window Scene

FLOATING TURTLES



MADE FROM RECYCLED MATERIALS



Learn about pollution



Sea Creatures



Fishy Instruments

You will need

A selection of percussion instruments and bells; dowelling; strong tape; beads; lentils; rice; buttons; fabric; coloured/shiny paper; card; plastic bottles; yoghurt pots; kitchen roll tubes; tubs; wool; scissors; felt pens; pictures of fish and sea creatures.

What you do

Sing the rhyme together - "1,2,3,4,5,once I caught a fish alive" and encourage the children to use the percussion instruments to accompany the singing. Use books and pictures to find out about different types of fish and creatures which live under the sea. Invite the children to design and make their own musical instruments on the theme of the sea. Here are some ideas:

Sea Snake Shaker

Thread coloured beads, buttons onto string. Attach a card "face" to one end and a card "tail" to the other.

Turtle Drum

Attach a card "head", "feet" and "tail" to a round ice cream or margarine tub. Decorate the sides with brown squares.

Crab Scrapers

Attach card claws and eyes to a plastic bottle with ridges. Rub sticks along the ridges to make different sounds.

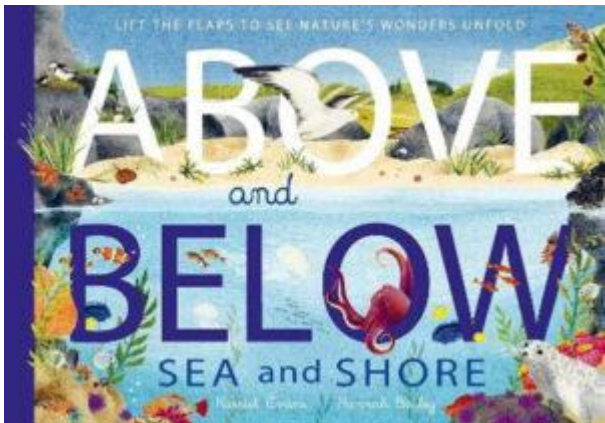
Octopus Maracas

Attach 8 fabric legs and wiggle eyes to a kitchen roll tube, seal one end, insert vice/lentils/small beads into the tube and seal up the other end.

Tropical Fish Bells

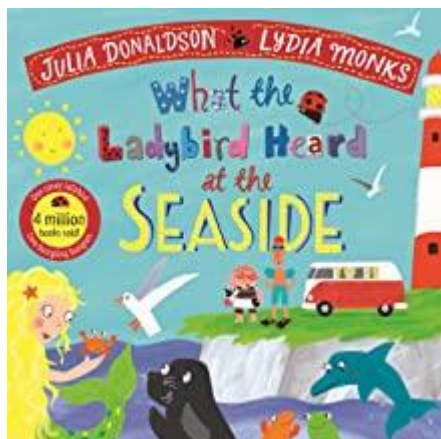
Tape or tie 3 or 4 lengths of string to a piece of dowelling. Attach some bells and small colourful fish cut from card/fabric/shiny paper.





10th July 2023

Oh I Do Like To Be Beside The Seaside



Youtube reading of the story:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PvquZ1YvKLw>



Creating Mermaid Tails with Play Dough



Ocean Foil Painting



Sorting shells by size



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