

Home Learning Ideas

Autumn 2



For our new History learning journey, we will be exploring the lives and work of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole. In Art we will be learning about still life drawings and discovering how to alter the thickness and shade of our lines using different types of pencil. In Science, we will be investigating everyday materials.

We will explore the properties and purposes of different materials.

Home Learning is encouraged so that your child can share with you some of the knowledge and skills learnt in school as well as allow them to learn more and follow their own areas of interest. It can also help your child to become more involved in the learning and become more independent with their thinking. If

you would like some ideas please use the list below, but these are merely suggestions, and it would be great to see what the children think of themselves.

We can't wait to see what the children produce this half term...

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- Do a material hunt around your house. Can you find and photograph materials made of metal, wood, fabric, rubber, polystyrene, paper? Are there different types of metals?
- Can you find the most suitable materials to make:
 - a toy boat?
 - a kite?
 - a scarf?
 - a towel?
 - a shield?
- Can you create a composition of different objects around your house, then draw or paint a picture of it?
- Plan a dance routine, using counts of 8. Think about what your dance routine could represent, for example, a dance about your favourite hobby, a dance that represents the weather or a dance that represents a place such as the jungle or the desert.
- Do some research about Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and nurses. Create an information booklet or leaflet.
- In computing, we are learning about data handling and the International Space Station. Can you research the Space Station and create an information poster?

