



## Suggestions for Tweed class week beginning 18<sup>th</sup> January 2021



Hi Everyone,

Hope you are all keeping well. We will continue a winter theme to our activities for a while. This term our numeracy will focus on shape and time. Lots of our Morning routine is linked to time (days, months ) so that counts as numeracy too. Remember to do as much or little as you feel able and I look forward to speaking to you all during the week

Janet

### Morning Routine

Each morning in class we start by choosing the correct word/symbol for how we are feeling and then the day month and weather. We pick the correct number for the date. Possible activities for home as appropriate to your child:

- Pick an emoji from a phone/drawing etc to describe how you are feeling
- Recite the days of the week together
- Recite the months of the year together
- Look out of the window and describe the weather
- Write/overwrite all of the above onto a piece of paper and stick it on the fridge? (or use your circle time symbols if you have them at home)
- Write the date in the 11/1/21 format

### Weekend Diaries

Pupils are encouraged or helped to pick 1 activity that they have done and enjoyed over the weekend (or previous week). The sentence can then be written or typed out for them and a picture chosen from the internet or drawn to illustrate the sentence. Depending on individual pupil ability then:

- stick the sentence and picture in the diary and read it together

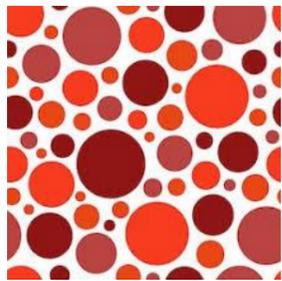
If appropriate

- Cut up a second copy of the sentence and ask the child to match the words in the correct order
- And/or Pupil to write out the sentence by hand
- Or Pupil to type the sentence on the computer

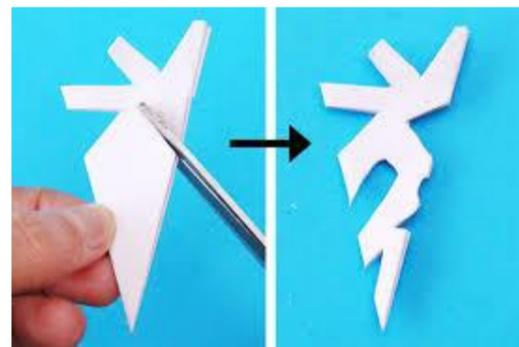
Creative Ideas

Can you make and circle patterns with your paints or pencils. You can get creative with what you use to make the circles: a plastic cup, a glue lid, sellotape roll, a cork!

Remember to save your pictures and bring them into school with you when we return



If you would rather practise your cutting skills why not make some snowflakes?



Literacy

This week you can do:

- Any of your activities from your work box
- For those of you who like stories this is a story called Little Owl's snow <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RQb7dhUHFqE>

How many animals did you see and can you name some of them?

Who liked to sleep through the winter?

Can you go outside and make fog with your breath in the cold air?

- Bit trickier - For those who prefer some facts watch the video clip link about how snowflakes are made.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7AeiwLhFuFQ>

Can you tell an adult how snowflakes are made?

Can you make a fact sheet about snowflakes?

Numeracy

H6BY 71 Number Skills: Shape (National 1)

If you photograph your work and email it to me I can use it as evidence for your National 1 award

This week we are going to focus on Circles:



Can you look around the house and find as many circle shapes as you can.

If you make biscuits (see recipe below) can you cut them in to circle shapes and photograph them?

Can you make circles from playdough?

## Outdoor Learning

Can you go for a walk and hunt for circles in the environment?



Can you collect some stones, leaves or twigs and make some circle patterns?



## Simple Shortbread Biscuits Recipe

- 50g sugar
- 150g plain flour
- 100g butter

- 1 Pre-heat the oven to 150c
- 2 Chop the butter into small pieces and rub together with the flour in a mixing bowl until you get small crumbs
- 3 Add the sugar to the bowl and mix it together to make a dough
- 4 Wrap the dough in clingfilm, and place in the fridge for 30 minutes
- 5 Roll out until they are a few centimetres thick and cut out into shapes and place on baking parchment on a baking tray
- 6 Bake in the pre-heated oven for 7-10 minutes - keep checking to make sure they don't overcook, all ovens can be different
- 7 Once cooked, leave to cool on a wire rack



There are also lots of resources for home Learning for children with complex needs that can be accessed via the CALL Scotland site using the link below:

<https://wakelet.com/wake/MAXXNtGBU3tQ4G4fqDRWR>