



Emerald Weekly Overview

w/c 10 October 2016

Here is an overview of some of the activities we will be doing next week, in whole class and small groups.

Topic

This week we made self-portraits and talked about what makes us unique. Next week, we will be talking about being part of a family and what links us together. We will also be celebrating the Harvest Festival and talking about being part of a bigger kind of 'family', a community, and how we help each other!



Literacy

Phonics We have been listening carefully to sounds around us. We will be moving on to sounds we can make with our bodies, rhythm and rhyme. Point out any rhyming words you hear or read together. Clap or beat out the rhythm of words. We liked cat-er-pill-er (4 'beats') from the *Tanka Tanka Skunk* book!

Can you find a word with more?



Writing

Next week we will be drawing our families, thinking carefully about how to represent people.

Maths

This week we met Muddles who is totally confused about numbers and the children have been helping him! We have counted to 10, matching one thing to one number and recognising numbers. Play the dice game *Don't Roll a Six* (where you're out if you roll a six) to encourage recognising dice dots.



Next week, we will be counting and ordering to 20 and matching numerals to quantities. We will use 100 Splat Square to find any numbers which are important to us (e.g. house number).

<http://www.primarygames.co.uk/pg2/splat/splat100.html>

or Google '100 splat square'