

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have recently assessed your child in school and they are currently working within the

12 months developmental milestones.

In order to help your child progress to the next age milestone there are some ideas below of how you can help at home. We will be working on these in school with your child too.

Thank you.

The EYFS team

<p style="text-align: center;">Communication and Language</p> <p>Sing action songs and rhymes to your child e.g. Humpty Dumpty, The Grand Old Duke of York</p> <p>Take turns in conversation – encourage your child to babble back to you when you are talking to them.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy</p> <p>Enjoy sharing books together – spend time each day reading stories and picture books. Talk to your child about what they can see in the book.</p> <p>Let your child investigate and play with musical instruments. Encourage them to shake the instruments and listen to the sound it makes</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Personal and Social</p> <p>Roll or throws a ball to an adult in ball – encourage your child to roll a ball back to you whilst sitting on the floor.</p> <p>Enjoys finding their own nose, eyes and tummy – play games like peekaboo and encourage your child to find their nose when you find yours. Show them their eyes, nose and tummy in the mirror too.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <p>Encourage your child to combine objects e.g. stacking cups or building blocks</p> <p>Encourage your child to put objects inside other objects and then take them out again e.g. shapes in a shape sorter, toys in a tub or box</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Physical</p> <p>Begins to pick up smaller objects using their first finger and thumb – encourage your child to pick up small items e.g. food with just their first finger and thumb</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Things you may need to complete these activities:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Story books Picture books Cups Shape and shape sorter Musical instrument Empty tubs/boxes and toys Ball Mirror Finger foods</p>

Please speak to a member of staff if there are any resources that you do not have at home and we will try our best to lend you some activities to help you to complete these activities with your child.