

Ballymoney Nursery School - October Blended/Home learning Ideas

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Below are some activities that you could carry out with your child at home. The activities cover a variety of curricular areas that link with themes being covered in class.

Play Dingle Dangle Scarecrow which can be found on Youtube: - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CtRgy- 8Q0SE Sing along to it and do the actions	Watch Miss Johnston's Sticky Kids video that will be put on our private Facebook page on 16.10.20 and dance with her at home.	With an adult take part in a daily mile at home. This could be around your garden or where you live. Try and do fast walking and slow walking.	Listen to Five little pumpkin song on youtube and sing along with it https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=trDl36m9pgA
Go to the shop with an adult and choose a pumpkin. Ask the adult how they paid for the pumpkin, e.g. money or a card	Draw a face on your pumpkin and ask an adult to carve the face for you. You can help scoop the insides out of the pumpkin.	Using the pumpkin that you have scooped out, you could make pumpkin soup with an adult! https://planningwithkids.com/2011/04/25/easy-pumpkin-soup-recipe/	Using what is left of the insides of the pumpkin, create your own potions and soup outside!
Go for an Autumn walk with an adult and discuss what you can see. Discuss the colours of the leaves, walk on them, jump on then, listen to the sound they make. What else can you see on the ground?	Gather some leaves on your Autumn walk. At home, sort the leaves by putting all the same colours together; the same shape (type) of leaves together.	Gather other items on your walk e.g. conkers, pine cones, twigs. At home, create some transient (moveable) art. Make a picture with the items then move them and make another picture! You can also stick them down.	Punch holes in a leaf that you have collected and using wool or a shoe lace, thread in and out of the holes.
With an adult, plant some bulbs (daffodil, bluebell, snowdrop, tulip) either in the ground or in a pot. Practise using words such as bulb, trowel, soil, compost.	Practise putting your wellies on and taking them off by yourself.	Read / Listen to the story we are going on a leaf hunt by Steve Metzger https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8XOPIzMO5qA Read / Listen to the story My Autumn Book by Wong Yee, Herbert https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kADiaeBPws0	Read / Listen to the story Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PHxGe44wSCI You can also watch it on BBC iPlayer