

Summer Term Week 1 – Class 1	East Anstey Nursery Activity suggestions... Please pick and choose activities and adapt to your Childs interests... Most importantly enjoy your time playing together.
Hello! Keep in touch...	Tapestry – Please log as much as you can about your child’s play during the next few weeks. If you can’t remember your login you can email the info and photo and we can attach to your Child’s tapestry file. Would be great to hear from you eastanstey@exmoorlink.org Let’s share play ideas too! Please send in feedback and play ideas; I can add to next week’s sheet. Thank you!
Colour Week 1 – Red	Each week let’s focus on a colour! <i>Week 1 – Red – Colour hunt; find red objects around the house, ‘We’re going on a colour hunt were going to find a red one, oh what will it be?’ Point out the colour red during meals/cooking and gardening together. Can you create a red sandwich? Place ingredients, red fillings out for child and invite them to create the sandwich independently, can they sequence without help?</i>
Personal, social and emotional development	Sharing game, Snap/pairs... What is a pair? Talk about same and different illustrations. Create your own snap game using drawings, magazine pictures, wallpaper glued onto paper or card squares. As your child wins or plays talk about/ validate how they are feeling.. ‘I can see your very excited when you win’, ‘when you turn away from me you feel sad’ .. Don’t let your child(ren) win each time!
Communication and language	Singing number rhymes, sat together. A few of my favourites inc, 5 little firemen, 5 little men in a flying saucer 5 little speckled frogs (anyone got tadpoles/ froglets?) 10 fat sausages What’s your favourite? Change or miss a word as you sing a familiar rhyme; can your child correct you/ play the teacher? See Literacy to extend further
Literacy	Extend number rhyme activity; Drawing props for number rhymes or making props. Creating a tally chart as you sing the rhymes teaching children that marks can represent a quantity or a meaning – e.g. 5 circles drawn represent 5 frogs cross one out or rub away one as they jump into the pool. Extend the Maths skittles game and create a tally chart when your child knocks over a skittle, model then encourage child to do mark tally chart, boost independence.
Physical development	Obstacle course (Under chairs, through table tunnels, jumping). As your child gets more confident add numerals and a sign to indicate what to do – e.g. throw 3 balls into the bucket, 5 star jumps... Create number skittles – recycle bottles (or flower pots?), help your child make number labels. Fill bottles with different weights water, soil, sand, glitter, secure tightly. Practice aim using balls, extend and use a hoop. Independent Toilet training - How’s that going? All Ok? https://www.eric.org.uk/Pages/Category/potty-training
Maths	Using chalk (or paper and pens) draw large numbers for your child to copy over. As you sing a rhyme or play encourage child to jump on or over the numbers. Using water on a brush can the child wash away the number that you say? Using favourite toys e.g. farm animals and blocks can you create fields/ or stables and compare how many in each? Can you make quantities the same? Prompt child(ren) to solve number problems.
Understanding the world	Using technology to play number games - https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ Number walk, point out and child(ren) collect photos of numbers you can find use a tablet to record? – Number plates, road signs/utility signs/ door numbers?
Expressive arts and design	Role play – Bakers shop. https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/playdough-recipe Make play dough together and set up your own shop (no ingredients don’t worry use empty food packaging –Easter egg boxes and label together with prices/ numbers read for customers! Musical beats – Teach your child that anything can be counted not only objects but noise too – collect a drum or kitchen objects (spoon and pans). Count the beat game, can child count how many beats? Take turns to drum or count. Refer to numerals as you play. Talk about speed of the beat. How many beats do you hear? Enjoy musical activities together; musical chairs; musical statues...

