



Home Learning for children with SEND

Communication and Interaction



- Spend time everyday sitting and talking to your child.
- Children thrive on routine and structure and love to know what is happening throughout the day.
- Share a story with your child everyday. Talk to them about what is happening in the story. Ask them simple questions about the story.
- Encourage your child to take part in a listening activity on the Cbeebies Radio -
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/radio>
- Play this game with your child to encourage and develop your child's understanding of language -
- <https://cavclosei.derby.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/What-Am-I-Guessing-Game.pdf>

Cognition and Learning



- Practice writing your letters of the alphabet. Make sure you use your 'froggy' fingers! Remember to start each letter in the right place!
- Start everyday by practising your name and surname.
- Have a go at writing a simple sentence about your favourite thing to do at home. Start the sentence with – 'I like.....'
- Make a number line with your child using the numbers 1-20. Have a go at counting forwards and backwards, pointing to each number. Use the number line to find 'one more/one less than'. Can your child point to the number on the number line.

Social, Emotional and Mental Health



- Young Minds is offering support on talking to your child about Coronavirus and have listed their top ten tips from their Parents Helpline to support family well being –
- <https://youngminds.org.uk/blog/talking-to-your-child-about-coronavirus/>
- Manuela Molina has written a short story to reassure children under the age of 7 regarding the Coronavirus
- [Covid-19 story](#)

Physical and Sensory



- Strengthen your fine motor skills by taking part in the 30 day Lego challenge!
- <https://www.freehomeschooldeals.com/free-printable-30-day-lego-challenge-instant-download/>
- Take part in some daily exercise using these simple Outdoor Activity Cards –
- <https://cavclosei.derby.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/Outdoor-activity-cards.pdf>

Information for parents

- If you have any worries, concerns or need a little support and advice, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Vincett on the email address – Leadership@cavclosei.derby.sch.uk
- Julie Fern (Autism Derby) is offering free support and advice (via phone/zoom/skype/facetime) for parents who have children with ASD. Julie also has an Autism Derby Facebook, Instagram and Twitter account on which she posts regular support/advice and activity ideas –
- <https://cavclosei.derby.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/Autism-derby.pdf>