



# Nursery Home Learning – Week beginning 15.03.21

Dear Parents and Carers,

We so enjoyed welcoming all the children back last week. It was great to see them interacting, sharing and playing with their friends. Please use this weekly plan to gain knowledge of what your child will be learning this week in nursery and to support learning opportunities at home. We would welcome you to continue share your child's success as home by emailing [nursery@cavclosei.derby.sch.uk](mailto:nursery@cavclosei.derby.sch.uk)



**Keeping safe,  
happy and  
healthy**

Get your child's fingers ready for writing! Make playdough using the recipe at the bottom of this page and open the hyperlink to [Dough Disco](#).

**We are looking at mixing yellow and red to make orange this week.**

We are returning to Van Gogh and looking at his painting 'Sunflowers'.  
Yellow was Van Gogh's favourite colour.



**I am a Speaker**

**Talking and playing with your child is the best way for your child to learn**

Please look at the website below for ideas and information on how you can help your child to learn.

Small Talk - <https://small-talk.org.uk/>



**I am a Reader  
Read every day!**

**These are the stories we will be enjoying this week in nursery.**

Follow the link to see Mr Roberts (our caretaker) read 'Oi Dog' by Kes Gray

<https://youtu.be/M0tOXR-exiM>

Mrs Roberts reads 'Shark in the Dark' by Nick Sharratt

[https://youtu.be/kDwR\\_CoN760](https://youtu.be/kDwR_CoN760)

**Children have their own login to Collins Ebooks.**



**I am Word Wise**

This week we are focussing on the colour yellow and orange. Can you find a collection of yellow and orange things in your home? Name the objects using phonic skills;

1. clap the syllables
2. emphasise the initial sound (phoneme) in the word
3. Think of a word that rhymes (it can be a nonsense word)

**Can you sort your objects? Which have 2 syllables? Group objects with the same initial phoneme together.**



**I am a Writer**

**Practice writing your name every day.**

Use the link to the letter formation poster on the school website:

<https://www.cavclosei.derby.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Letter-formation-sheet.pdf>

**Writing Challenge:**

Can you draw the yellow and orange objects that you found? Colour them in carefully.



**I am a  
Mathematician**

**Log on to Education City** and play some number games.

Watch [Numberblocks](#). We have been learning numbers 0 to 10



**Challenge Time**

**I am an Artist**

Find out about Van Gogh.

Have a go at painting your own pot of flowers.



**I am a Scientist**

Can you plant your own sunflower seed? You will need sunflower seeds, compost and a pot. Use the 'Sunflower Knowledge Mat' below to learn more about sunflowers.

Use these words to help your child develop a positive attitude to learning;

**Determined**

**Keep trying**

**Reach for the stars**

**Can you think of another way?**



# Sunflower Life Cycle



plant



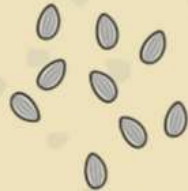
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petals



sunflower



seeds



grow



bud



soil



yellow



leaves