



Dear Parents

We are all into another week of home learning, I hope you were able to get some good out of the long

weekend with our sunny weather, it's a much needed bonus eh



. Please tell the children I miss

them all and send my good wishes as long as more school work



. As before please don't feel any pressure to complete all of these learning tasks. We are just working as best we can to tie in our Teacher plans with online resources to help support You the parents -With home-learning whilst schools are closed.

You are doing the most important job already , you are keeping your family safe, You are doing great.

Stay safe



Kathleen



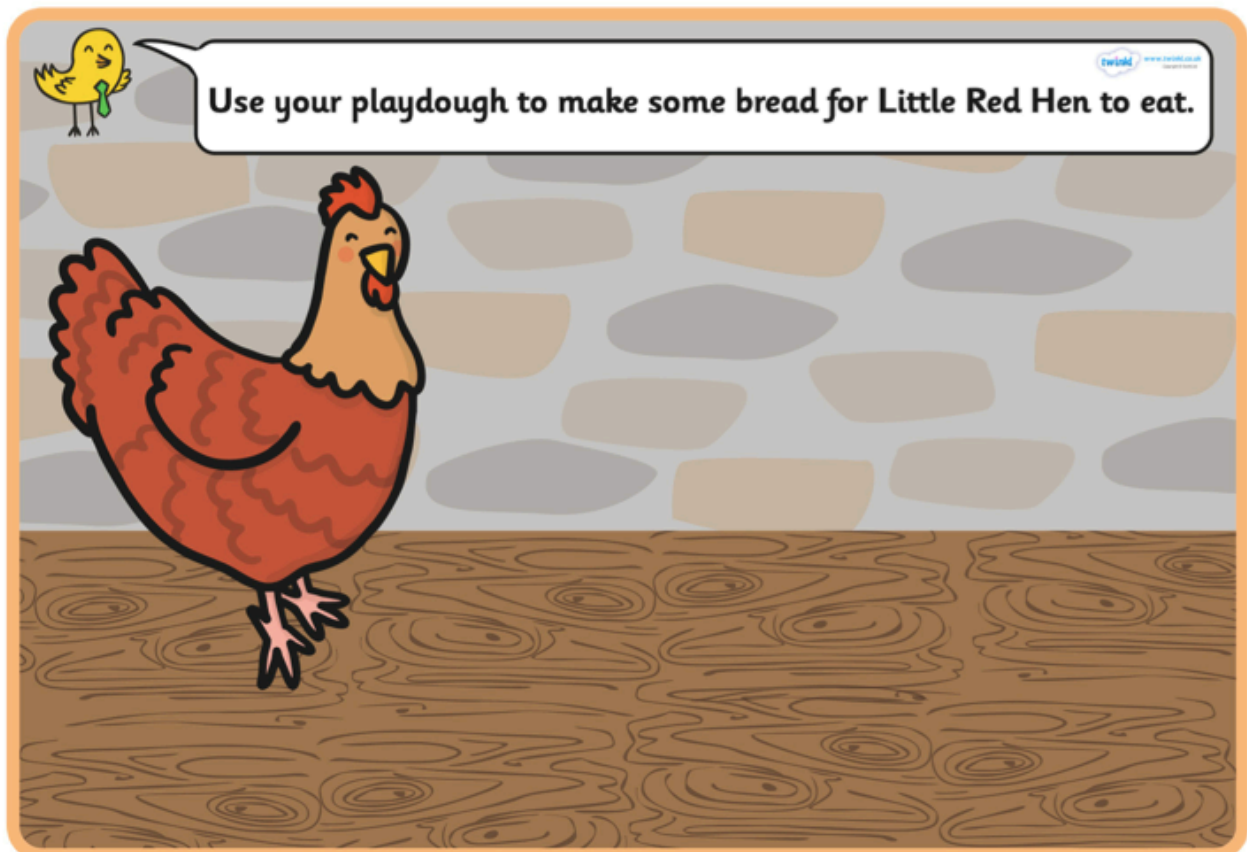
I'd love to see any photo of how you're getting on.

You can contact me on [kao2411@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kao2411@yahoo.co.uk)

We usual we start the school day by coming together and having **CIRCLE TIME**. It's a routine part of the day that is enjoyed by all pupils. It starts with greetings. I normally sing to the pupils and use a mirror where they can look at themselves and say good morning to each other. We go through the days of the week, weather and month of the year. There is a pop song to accompany each area along with props. The topic song we finish with before break changes on a weekly / fortnightly basis according to my focus for that period. I will upload it separately for you to listen and watch. Below is a circle time outline and tables for the various songs and props I use for each area. I am aware that you may not have access to all this at home but just adapt as you see fit. It's just to Support you and give you a general idea

<https://youtu.be/CLqGLE5zTIk>

**Literacy Activity** - After reading the sensory story make some play dough bread ( flour and water) for the little red hen. Download Twinkl's little red hen play dough mats or download pic below.



Numeracy activities. Sorting and matching colours

<https://youtu.be/xz5rA5ssww8>

Watch the video about sorting objects by colour. Set up the egg carton colour sorting activity for your child (picture below). Colour different parts of an egg carton. Collect coloured objects for sorting. Encourage your child to place the correct coloured object in the correct place in the egg carton.



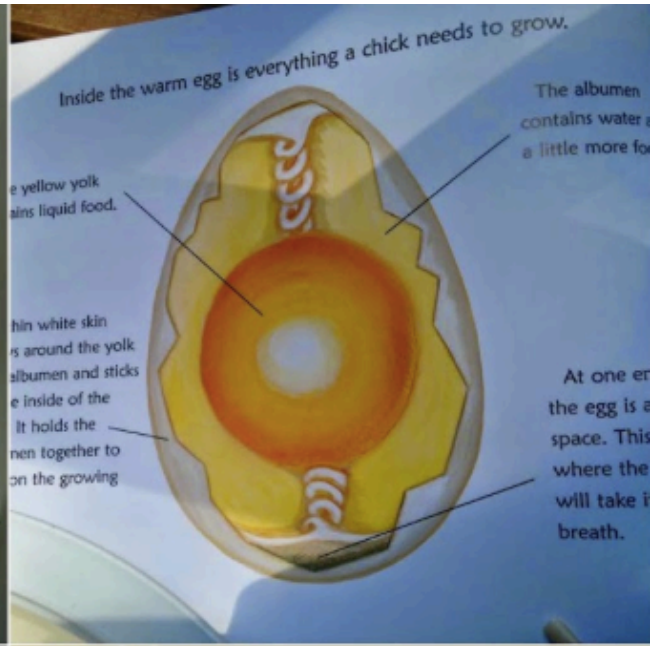


Items you will need for our science activity  
are:

Eggs

Plate

Crack open an egg and investigate inside. Talk about the shell, yolk and white of the egg. Smell and touch the egg. Examine a hard boiled egg. What are the differences? Taste the hard boiled egg.

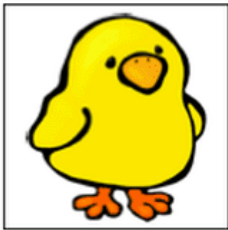


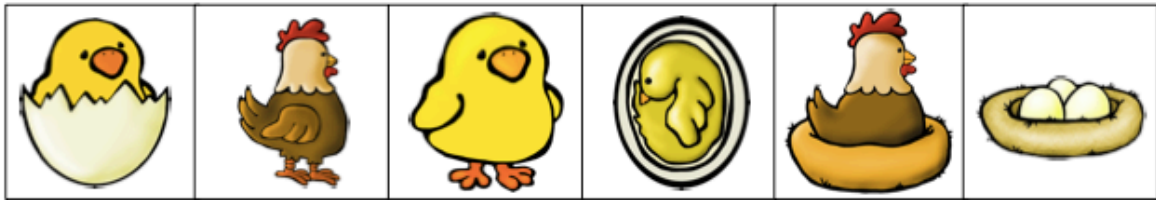
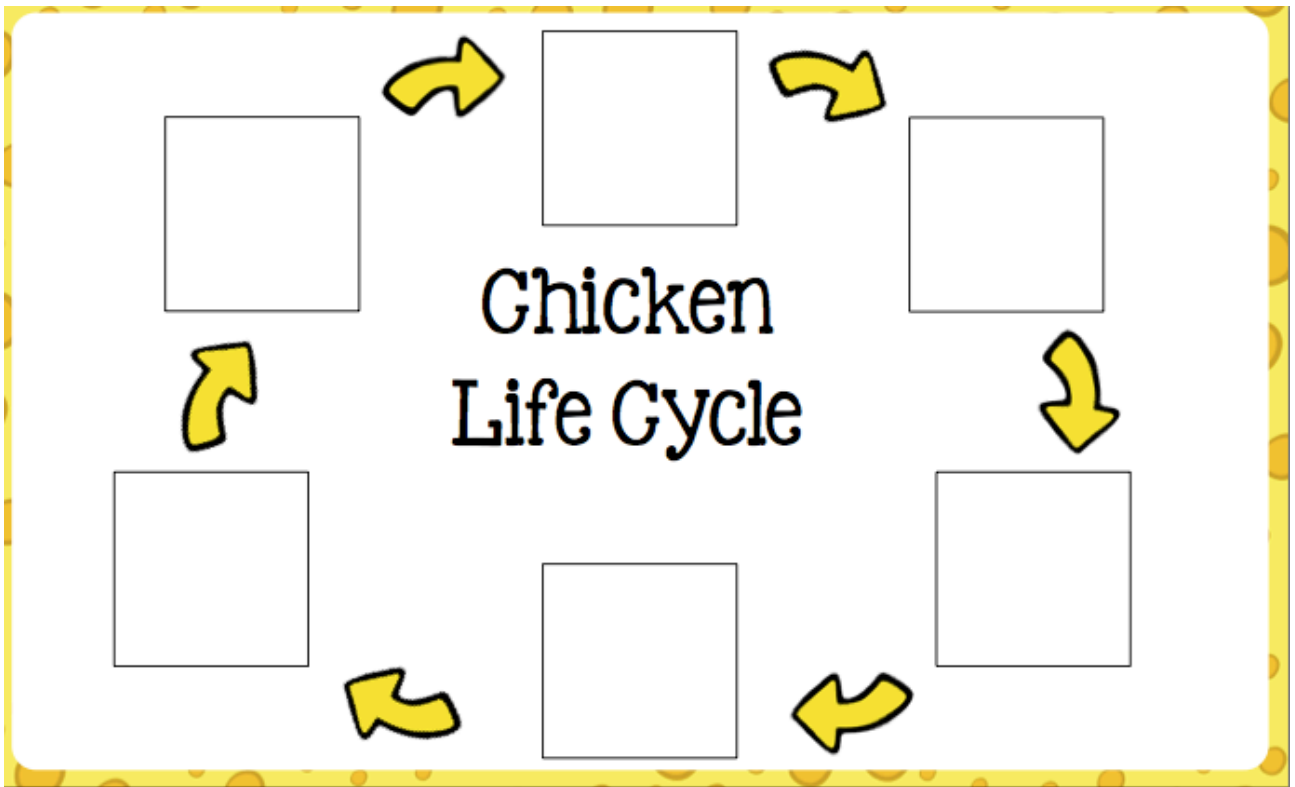
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**Lifecycle of a hen / chicken** - Watch the video about the lifecycle of a hen / chicken and then complete the matching activity found below. I've included two versions.. if you print the first one twice then you can use it as a picture matching activity. Below that is one without the pictures for your child to order themselves.



Chicken  
Life Cycle





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**Music** - Check out Soundabout's Facebook page for live music sessions at 2pm on Tuesday's and Saturday's for FREE! :)

**Art** - Complete the hatching chick craft by following the visual instructions below.





# Sensory Time



**Sphe/ sensory play** - Simple flour play. Add flour to a tray with bowls, spoons, cups and encourage sensory exploration of the flour. Experiment with filling, scooping, pouring and emptying. Try some simple mark making too!







**Bumble Bee Physio** - Checkout Bumble Bee Physio's FaceBook page where they have daily live Physio sessions. Perfect for completing with your child. They also have adapted Joe Wick's PE sessions for our children, so well worth going to their page for daily movement activities.

**Scarf activities** - Continuing on from last week continue with some scarf activities with your child to build motor skills. Explore these games with your child...

- Skywriting - can you mark make the first letter of your name? What other marks can you make?
- Let's go fishing! - hold scarf in both hands and pretend it's a fishing rod. Lift up the scarf saying 'Here, fishy, fishy!' and lift up the scarf slowly through the hands to see what you have 'caught!' (Use your imagination to pretend there are lots of funny things at the bottom of the scarf or even tie little toys etc to the bottom for your child to discover)

**Warm up – action songs on you tube**

Shake your sillies out - \_\_\_\_\_

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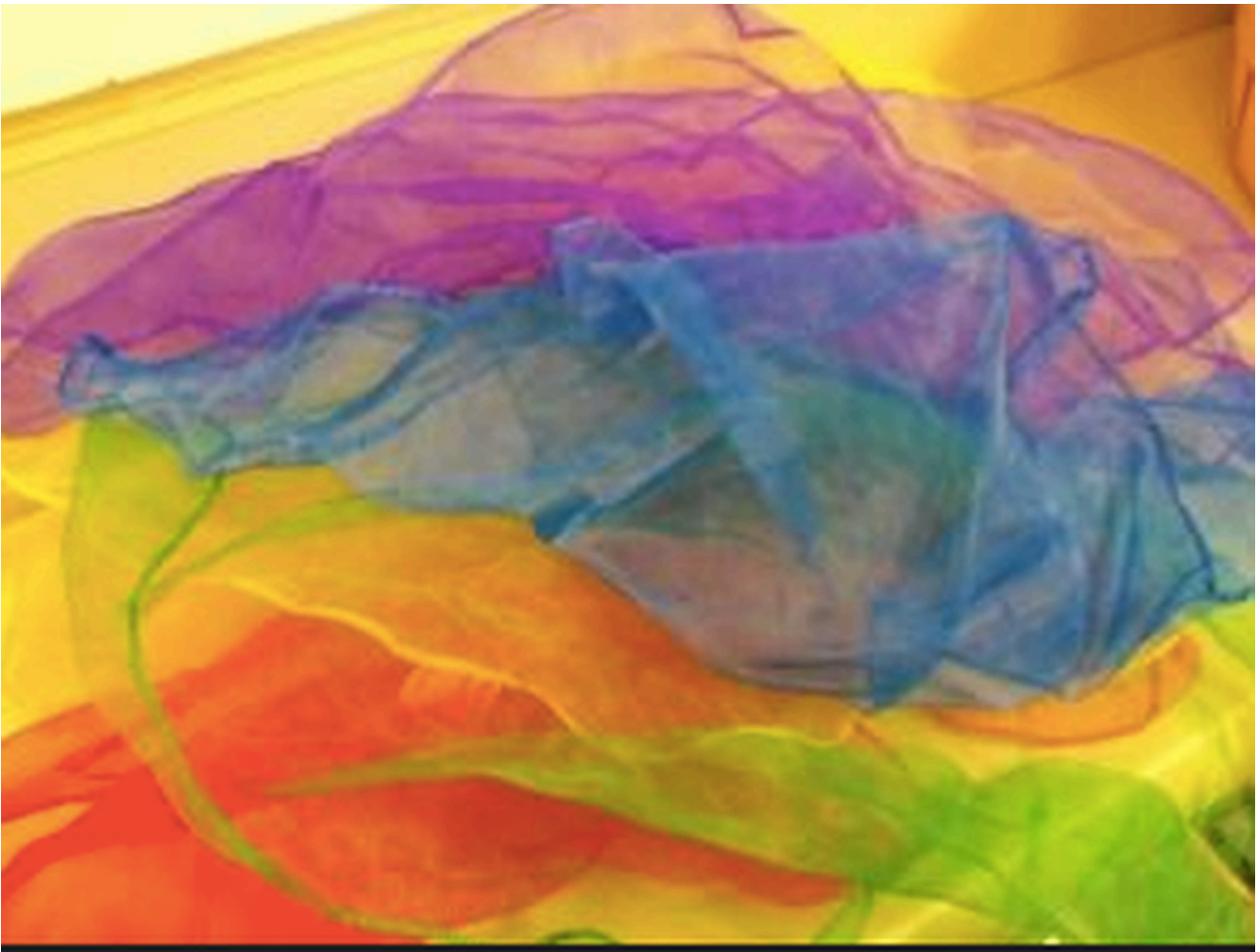
Move and freeze - \_\_\_\_\_

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**Cool down – relaxing music** - \_\_\_\_\_

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The Rainbow class is responsible for setting up the May altar in the entrance to our school. We usually go out on walks at the start of the month and collect foliage, buds flowers etc on the grounds and come back and make a little May altar to Our Lady Queen of Heaven in her special month