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Dear Nursery,

This week we are going to find out about light.

How many different lights can you find in your house?



Count how many different lights you have at home.

How many lights can you see outside?



Remember, don't look directly at the sun or shine lights into your eyes.



Ask your family if you can use a torch or even try the torch on your Mummy or Daddy's phone.

Collect some things from around your house and see if the torch light will shine through them. Here are some ideas of things you can try



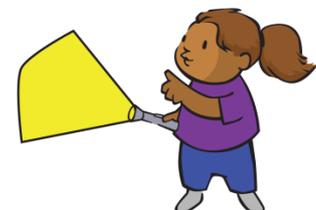
a piece of paper



a sheet from your bed



A piece of toilet paper



What does the torch light shine through? Why does it shine through? Can you find anything else the torch will shine through?

It is going to be very sunny this week so it is a good time to find out about Shadows!



Can you make a shadow with your body in the garden? What happens to your shadow when you move? Can you make a shadow inside? You could try and make some animal shapes your with hands to make shadow puppets.



You could try some shadow drawing. Put a toy on a piece of paper and trace around the shadow. You could then colour the shadow in and make a picture.



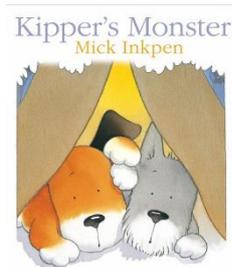
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There are 2 stories to enjoy all about shadows. This first story is called 'Kipper's Monster' by Mick Inkpen.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nCn-M1mV2qM>

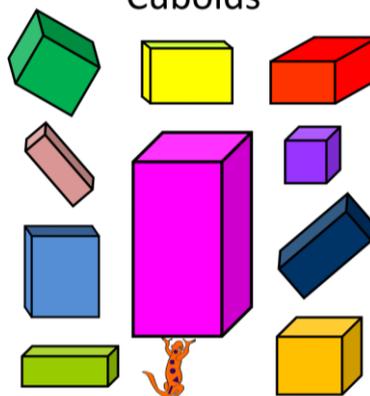
The other book is called 'The Shape of Me and Other Stuff' by Dr Seuss.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hg7mUpIYiI0>



We would like you to carry on with your shape hunt. We would like you to look for cuboids in your home, garden or if you go for a walk.

Cuboids

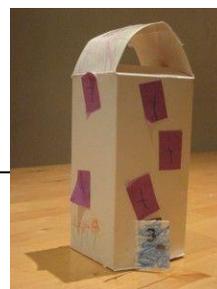


Here are some ideas about what you might find:



Count how many cuboids you can find inside and how many cuboids you find outside.

Ask Mummy or Daddy if you can have some cuboid shaped boxes. What can you make?



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Do you remember doing Yoga at Nursery? Ask your family to follow the link below to find 'Yoga Time'. You can learn lots of new yoga poses as part of a story. It is really fun and very good exercise.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YKmRB2Z3g2s>



Ask your Mummy and Daddy to follow the link below to go to the BBC School Radio. There are lots of fun activities and songs for you to listen to and they will really help to improve your listening skills.



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/eyfs-listen-and-play-scrumptious-sandwiches-and-delicious-drinks/zfwwcqt>

Follow the link to the Espresso website:

https://central.espresso.co.uk/espresso/primary_uk/home/index.html



Remember when you go to the page you need to click on login and click on Espresso then add the username and password below:

Username: student 23112 Password: grange

Don't forget to try out the activities on Purple Mash

<https://www.purplemash.com/sch/gp-infant>



And then put in the following username and password:

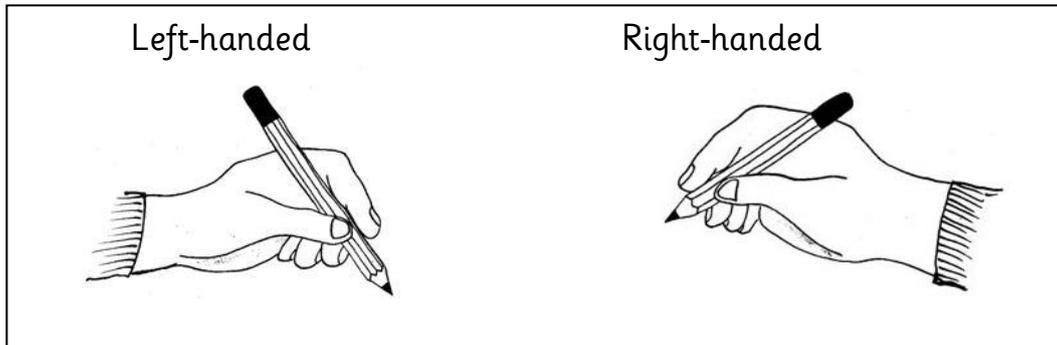
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Everyday Activities for Nursery

Remember to try and hold your pencils correctly when you are drawing and colouring



If you can draw the lines and shapes below it will mean you will find it easier to copy and then write letters.

PRE-WRITING SHAPES

Before your child can learn to write, he or she needs to be able to draw these shapes

 2 years	 2½ years	 3 years	 3½-4 years	
 4 years	 4½ years	 4½ years	 4 years 11 months	 5 years 3 months

 Children who can draw an oblique cross are able to copy more letters and numbers than children who cannot

Don't forget to use 'Get Squiggling letters' on the CBeebies page to help you write your letters.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/games/get-squiggling-letters-mobile>



Remember to use the Alphablocks to help you learn your letters.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/alphablocks>



Join in singing the Jolly Phonic Songs to help you remember the letters

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=26uXtUYssuo>



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Phonics on Espresso



https://central.espresso.co.uk/espresso/primary_uk/subject/module/frontscreen/item61932/graded/index.html

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Remember to share a song or rhyme and a story each day.

Book Trust

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>

Cbeebies

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b00jdlm2/cbeebies-bedtime-stories>

123

- Use the number packs we gave you to work on your number targets. If you achieve your target just go on to higher numbers. Remember to count the cubes and the spots and match the numbers. You can use anything to count with at home, such as pencils, cars, bricks.



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/numberblocks>

Numberblocks is a great programme on CBeebies each day at 7.00am. It might be a good idea to start from series 1 on BBC iPlayer or You Tube if you haven't seen any of the programmes before.

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Don't forget to keep fit. Have you tried Andy's Wild workouts on:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p06tmmvz>

