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Dear Parents and Carers,

If you or your child/children need to self isolate, attached are some suggestions for supporting your child's learning.

- Go on a technology walk around your home. What types of technology can your child find? What do we use these for? How did people used to do that job before this technology was invented?
- Practice writing numbers and letters as often as possible with correct formation. This doesn't need to be pen and paper. Chalk or water with a paintbrush on an outside wall is just as good.
- Make up a story using your toys. Can you record it or write it?
- Cutlery sorting. How many forks/spoons do you have in your house? Are they all the same length? Can you order them by size/colour/material?
- Draw yourself. Now draw yourself again using your other hand. Are the pictures the same?
- Estimating. How many radiators do you think you have in your house? Now count them. Same for windows, taps, beds stairs and anything else you can think of!
- Shape hunt. What can you find in your house that is a circle, square, rectangle or triangle? How do you know it is a square? Move on to 3d shapes.
- Rhyme. Collect ten things from around the house. What are they? Can you think of some other real or made up words that rhyme with them (e.g. coat - boat, float, boat, boat) Can you write them?
- Reading - listen to a story or read a book to an adult every day.
- Number bonds. Can you find 10 small toys e.g. lego bricks or beads. How many number bonds can you make using those toys. Can you write them down.
- Tricky words - practice reading and writing the tricky words using the cards we sent home earlier in the year.
- Junk modelling, what can you create from junk you can find around the house?
- Enormous art. Can you create a picture, drawing, painting or other piece of art that is bigger than you?

If you have internet access the following are useful:

- Teach your monster to read app
- Numberblocks videos (these link to our maths teaching in school)
- Geraldine the Giraffe phonics videos (Youtube)
- Jack Hartman videos on Youtube. E.g. number ones to 10 for maths and Tooty Ta for keeping active.
- Phonics games at <http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-2-games.html>.

Twinkl is offering a free month's access for parents and carers.

Setting this up is really easy to do - go to www.twinkl.co.uk/offer and enter the code UKTWINKLHELPS

Thank you

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