**Home Learning Project Reception Week Beginning 4th May 2020**

This week we will be following a Topic on ‘People Who Help Us’. To start with look at a video of ‘Clap For Carers’ on You Tube (even better take part in your local one) to get a discussion going about who helps them and how many different helping jobs they can think of eg doctors, nurses, care workers, Supermarket workers, post delivery, dentists, teachers, fire fighters, police etc. Talk about what job they would like to do when they grow up.

Don’t forget VE day anniversary celebrations this week too. Try making flags or bunting to celebrate, maybe have an afternoon Tea Party or learn to sing ‘We’ll Meet Again’! There are also lots of great ideas on Twinkl too. If you take a picture and send it in we will make a whole school display.

Literacy:

**Continue Daily** 20minutes practicing sounds or key words provided in the pack you received. Key words – Continue to build up and revise these and add 1 more each day. Look at the word, cover it up, write it then check if it is correct. Make it fun by using different coloured pens, pencils, paints or chalks, write in trays of glitter or rice, fill an old washing up liquid bottle with water and squirt it outside to write. Letter sounds - Make lists of words using that sound, try to write a few simple sentences using the words and then read them back. Use Phonic Bug and Bug Club computer games and books provided.

Make a card or even better write a simple letter to thank someone who helps you. Make lists: how many different People Who Help Us can you list, try one for every letter of the alphabet if you fancy a challenge! Make shopping lists.

Maths:

This week we will focus on learning about money. Make your own minimarket shop with real shopping if you can. Give them prices to 10p initially extending up to 20p if they are able. Look at the different coins you can get then try to make different amounts to 10p eg there is a 5p coin but you need a 5p and 1p to make 6p etc. If they can do this try adding 10p to make amounts to 20p. Practice giving change to 10p eg I know 6+4 is 10 so I can use this to work out change from 10p if I buy something for 6p.Try just using 1ps if they are struggling. It is quite tricky for young children so little and often to practice is the best approach. Look at different tins or bag of sugar for example. Think about their weight. Which of 5 items is heaviest/ lightest? Can you put them in order. Use a simple scales or balance together if you have one.

Knowledge and Understanding of The World:

Thinking about the emergency services and their emergency vehicles look at videos o fire engines, ambulances, police cars and talk about their sirens as a warning sound. You could also look at clapping and different instruments people use during the clap for carers. Go for a sources of sound hunt around your house draw pictures of what you have found and label them.On your daily walk outside listen for the different sounds you can hear.Find out about the new Nightingale Hospitals and research who Florence Nightingale was. Draw a picture and write a few simple sentences.

Creative:

Role play being someone who helps eg doctors, hospitals, shop, fire fighter, police, vet etc. Design and make a badge or get a big box that you can get inside. Decorate it as an emergency vehicle and make straps you can put over your shoulders so you can ride in it.

Music - Make a musical instrument eg shaker, pots and pans etc you could use during the next Clap for Carers. Try exploring clapping to different rhythms or words.

Wellbeing and RE

Reflect on what you would like to be when you grow up or choose someone that you admire who helps. Go onto <https://hwb.gov.wales/>. Find Just2easy then click on Jit and the mix tab. Use the drawing and writing package to make a picture and simple caption. I will individually send you a Dojo message with your Username and Password. Otherwise paper and pencils will do!

Find out about the Good Samaritan story.

Physical:

Look at some of the key workers who are dancing on internet (please watch first to check appropriate before showing to the children!) and make your own dance to celebrate NHS.

Welsh: Search for BBC Bliblob or Astro Antics for some fun Welsh songs and games.