

Hello again!

As we approach what would have been the Easter holidays, please find below some more ideas for activities that can be done at home. For those on Facebook **FAMILIES LOCKDOWN TIPS & IDEAS** is a useful resource as activities are updated daily. Don't forget computer activities on **PurpleMash** (you have individual logins in the Home/School books) and **Busy Things** <https://busythings.co.uk>

Login: rhspupil

Password: 12345

Additional ideas can also be found on our shared school activities page - <https://www.richmondhill.luton.sch.uk/home-learning/>

These are just ideas and suggestions of things to do, you probably have found all sorts of websites with resources of your own as well, keep up with the wonderful work you are doing! Hopefully we are in for some good weather so your children will be able spend lots of time outside having fun too.

Wishing you and your family very best Easter wishes.

Be careful and stay safe.

Siobhan

READING

Keep looking at all kinds of books with your children, read to them, read with them and ask lots of questions.

CLEANING

Children could do their own washing up and tidying each day, help you with the washing and importantly wash their hands regularly.

Tidy Up Song:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gPq7wzGEjqE>

Washing Hands Song:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dDHJW4r3eIE&vl=en>

ART

Draw a crazy character by giving your children step by step instructions. For example: 1. Draw a triangle, 2. Add 3 eyes, 3. Add 3 feet, 4. Add 2 wings. 5. Add a tail (You can vary the instructions).

MUSIC

Teach your children a song that you remember from being a child.

SPEAKING & LISTENING

Do you know a different language that your children can't speak? Teach them a few words in that language.

SCIENCE

Learning about germs

Take 2 slices of bread and 2 sandwich bags. Rub hands over an area that isn't clean very often (behind the sofa is a good place) and then put a hand print on one of the slices of bread and place in a sandwich bag. Label this one "dirty". Then go and wash and dry your hands and before touching anything else make a handprint on the other slice of bread and place it in the other sandwich bag. Label this one clean. Leave them out on the side and watch the difference between the 2 bags,

Growing a carrot

Chop the top off a carrot and place in a saucer of water. Watch it grow roots over the coming days and weeks.

FINE MOTOR SKILLS IDEAS

- Hang the washing out using pegs
- Do the washing up wearing washing up gloves
- Practice cutting / colouring /writing your name or anything
- Get the children chopping ingredients for your family meal

GROSS MOTOR ACTIVITY/EXERCISE IDEAS

Cosmic Yoga Dance - Bunny Bounce:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9gV85rd3yTc&authuser=0>