

## Greenvale Primary School – School Closure Home learning plan

### Nursery – Butterfly Class

#### Gross and Fine Motor Activities:

Here is a link to a Christmas movement activity we have been doing in class to warm up:

[https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=Av\\_U0SP2aBI&vide=5727&autoplay=1](https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=Av_U0SP2aBI&vide=5727&autoplay=1)

Here is a link to a Christmas themed dough disco session:

<https://youtu.be/DDsrTLfWKc0>

If you don't have playdough you could make some, follow this simple recipe:

Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup of salt
- 1 cup of plain flour
- 1 tablespoon of cooking oil
- 1/2-1 cup of boiling water
- Food colouring (optional)
- A teaspoon of cream of tartar (optional)

Mix all ingredients together in a bowl, then knead the dough on a flat lightly floured surface, do this until the dough is no longer sticky. The mixture cools quickly for little ones to join in but please check the temperature.

#### Creative:

Please pick a tricky challenge from below:

1. Make a Christmas card for a friend. Can you design the front and practise writing or tracing over letters in your name inside the card?
2. Find a toilet roll tube to make a reindeer, can you add 1 red nose, 2 antlers, 2 eyes and 4 legs?
3. Letter to Santa- If you have a toy shop catalogue such as a Smyths catalogue, look inside to see what you might like Santa to bring you for Christmas, with an adult's help can you cut out the toys you would like and stick them on a piece of paper? Or you could use a pen to practise drawing circles around the toys you would like?
4. Find some old recycling such as a cereal box or empty milk carton, can you practise wrapping it up using some newspaper or Christmas wrapping paper and tape?
5. Make your own Christmas wreath, you will need a piece of cardboard and 2 different sized plates, draw around a plate to create a circle, then get a grown up to cut it out. Next place a smaller plate inside and draw around it, ask your grown up to cut along the lines. Now decorate your wreath.
6. Can you make a Christmas decoration for our tree at school?

I cannot wait to see all of your amazing creations Butterfly class!

If you would like us to see any of your work, please use our year group email: [nursery@greenvale.medway.sch.uk](mailto:nursery@greenvale.medway.sch.uk)