



## PSED

On Thursday 30th April 2020 Captain Tom Moore will celebrate his 100th Birthday. If you would like to make him a card to say Happy birthday and well done for all that he has done over the last week or so the address to send it to is:

Captain Tom Moore, Marston Moretaine Post Office, 67 Bedford Road, Marston Mortaine, Bedford, MK43 0LA.

*Parents: This activity was suggested on the school facebook site and I know foundation children do love card making.*

## Art/DT Salt dough fossils

Make up the dough. Think about what size fossils you are going to make. You can use a small dinosaur to make an imprint, or use the end of a pencil or stick to make it. Once finished you can leave them to dry.

*Parents: I have put the recipe on page 2. You can use any flour and adjust the recipe if needed. A nice link with maths, measuring out the ingredients and they could write the maths sum if they wanted to 😊*

## P.E Move like a Dinosaur

Warm up. See guide on 2<sup>nd</sup> page.

Find a space- indoors or outdoors. You can do this with/without music. You are going to move like a dinosaur. What kind of movements do you think a dinosaur might make? How many dinosaurs can you think of? Do all dinosaurs move in the same way? How might dinosaurs move differently? Now move around like a dinosaur. Can you say which type of dinosaur you are?

*Parents: Encourage them to talk about what they are doing, what noises might they be making, can they describe their dinosaur? Words such as stomp, stamp, march, stride, tramp, clump, plod, trudge, clomp, bang, thump, wallop, biff, bash, swish.*

## Topic Activities

Date: 27.04.20

Focus: From fossil to farm



## Science Sorting out dinosaurs

You could use your actual dinosaurs, print off or drawn your own. If you have 6-8 different dinosaurs, can you sort them out? **When we are sorting out animals or plants the word used is classification.** Can you classify the dinosaurs? With /without horns, Carnivores/herbivores. What do you notice about the different groups?

*Parents: We have sorted out objects at school including flying saucers in maths week. Encourage the children to talk about the similarities and differences.*

## Geography/History People who help us: Firefighters



What do you know about firefighters? Do you know when firefighters were introduced in this country? What equipment did they use? Can you see how their uniform has changed? What about fire engines, do you think they have always been red? What equipment do you think a fire engine has and could you draw one?



*Parents: have a discussion with your child to find out what they already know about firefighters. Where is your local fire station? There are some websites : Essex Fire Museum + London Fire Brigade with information about the history of firefighters, which you could read and discuss some key facts.*

## P.E. Warm up

### Action People

- Give the children the name of a character and they should pretend to be that character:

**Mrs Rush**

Move fast.

**Mrs Small**

Crouch down and move.

**Mrs Strong**

Flex your muscles.

**Mr Muddle**

Walk backwards.

**Mr Tall**

Stretch up tall and move.

**Mr Jelly**

Shake your body.

- Play the game for about 5 minutes.



### SALT DOUGH DINOSAUR FOSSILS



## Salt Dough

### Playdough Recipe

#### You will need:

- 2 cups flour
- 1 cup salt
- 1 cup water
- Food colouring (optional)

#### Method

- Mix together the flour and salt in a large mixing bowl.
- If desired, add 5-10 drops of food colouring to 1 cup of water.
- Stir the water into the flour and salt in the large bowl.
- Roll out the dough on a flat surface and knead it together. It should be soft and pliable.
- Make models and ornaments.
- The dough can be left to air dry or dried in a low oven 120-150°C. The time the dough takes to dry will depend on the size and thickness of your creations.

