

Monday – (Personal, Social & Emotional Development – also theme for the week)

Activity: – Make a sensory bottle for use this week.

Story: – My Happy Mind Story with Diane

Physical/Mindful movement – Mindful Walk with Debbie

Song: The My Brain Song.

Tuesday – (Expressive Arts & Design)

Activity: Salt dough creations with Maria

Physical/Mindful movement: – Dough Disco

Story: Peace at Last with Sarah

Song: Paul Scourfield is with us for Feeling Good Week with his Melodium, singing some non-sense song to make you smile.

Wednesday (Maths)

Activity: Make a smoothy – count and measure out the ingredients.

Physical/Mindful movement: Yoga with Emily

Story: Harry and his Dinosaurs story. How many dinosaurs has he got?

Song: Number songs with Paul

Week beginning – 7/2/21
Feeling Good Week

Our children have been interested in:

Playdough, dinosaurs (always!), Yoga, maps, drawing, marble run, space, lego, farm animals, Paw Patrol. Cake.... We all like cake!

This week is to calm and help cope with the world today.

2 Live lessons with your Key Teacher on Zoom – see Tapestry for details.

Thursday (Literacy and Communication & Language)

Activity: - Letter from your teacher, can you write back or send your teacher a picture. Use the Nursery's address.

Physical/Mindful movement:

Zen Den – Cosmic kids
Story: The Ugly Duckling
Song: More from Paul

Movie Night – have a cozy family film together: Try 'Inside Out' or 'The Incredibles'.

Friday (A little less screen time)
Some ideas for activities:

- Make some fairy cakes.
- Toy tea party, cake real cakes, or use biscuits and share them fairly.
- Make a card for someone you love – ready for Sunday.
- Friday night disco! Dance to your favourite sounds.

Phonics:

Listening to the length of sound made by a singing bowl.

Introducing Reading Eggs – an online phonics and Maths platform for parents. Log in detail should be with you shortly.
Have a play over half term.

These activities are there for you to dip into any time, more than once if you like! Use the ones that you think your child will be interested in, you don't have to do them all – there are lots, we do not wish you to be overwhelmed. If you 'like' or comment on the post, your key teachers will endeavor to reply and help extend your child's learning. We also have a Facebook page with activities, tips and events. [facebook.com/YorkRoadNurserySchool](https://www.facebook.com/YorkRoadNurserySchool)

Your feedback from last week: The volcano activity from last week was great fun for some of the children, we had explosions all over Hitchin! Some of you have been making play dough ready for dough disco this week. Children were ordering boxes and finding shapes around the house. Ruth did share her biscuits with staff and made a good choice! Zoom meetings have been fun – teachers report how lovely it is to see the children in their group. Feedback on stories and songs has been very positive also. We will show the pictures more clearly in future videos we make. Thank you for your support.