

**IF YOU HAVE ACCESS TO THE SCHOOL WEBSITE,
ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DOWNLOADED
FROM THE RECEPTION CLASS WEBSITE, ALONG
WITH WORKSHEETS TO HELP LEARNING.**

<https://www.st-matthias.hackney.sch.uk/home-learning/reception/>

Daily Activities

MATHS

Finding one more/one less than a given number
Using language of distance i.e. which is furthest away?

READING

Please read a bedtime story each day. If you have internet access, stories can be found on YouTube.

Physical, Social & Emotional Development

Talk about things that might scare you. Why is it scary? Do we all have the same fears? How does it feel to share your fears with someone else?

Think of something you're afraid to try and imagine doing it. How would it feel? Draw a picture of you achieving your goal.

Understanding the World

Choose your favourite animal (any animal at all) and do some research on it. Find out some interesting facts and decide on how you want to present your findings to Ms Rosser! You might want to make a poster, fact file or video!

WhatsApp a picture of any completed work to me and we'll share it during our celebration zoom on Friday!

Nursery & Reception's Book Corner

Here is Ms Rosser reading this week's story, 'Beware of the Crocodile'.



Most of the activities are based around this story, so please watch this video first:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vg5Rvaaz8oQ>

Would you like to meet a crocodile? Why/why not? What does 'beware' mean? Why do you think a crocodile might be dangerous? Can you share what you know about crocodiles? What was your favourite fact from the story?

Virtual Tour of the Week

Can you spot any other **dangerous** animals at San Diego Zoo?!

<https://zoo.sandiegozoo.org/live-cams>

Get Creative!

Can you paint your own swamp filled with crocodiles? What other animals would you find? What else would be in the environment?

See if you can draw and cut out your own crocodile. Can you turn it into a puppet and create your own crocodile story? What other characters could you make? What will happen in your story?!



Mini Mash

Visit: www.purplemash.com/sch/stmatthiasn16 and login with the details sent to you. Select 'Mini Mash' when you log in.

Complete these activities by the end of the week:

When you log in to Purple Mash, look at your '2dos' (red button in the top left corner) and complete what you can. Continue to explore 'Mini Mash' and look at the 'art' section.

REMEMBER TO STAY SAFE WHEN YOU USE THE INTERNET AND TO TALK TO A TRUSTED ADULT IF YOU NEED TO.

Maths

- Grab a handful of toys. What you had one more? What if you had one less? Practise finding one more and one less than a given quantity
- Can you think of 20 different things (absolutely anything!) to put in your lunchbox?!

- Can you arrange your toys in different ways? Can you make a pattern with them?

For more learning, I'll send some worksheets but please also look at White Rose Maths, week 11.

Writing

Using your whiteboard and whiteboard pen, or a piece of paper and normal pen, choose one of these writing tasks:

- Write some of your favourite facts from the story
- Write a description of a crocodile
- Draw and label the life cycle of a crocodile
- Create your own crocodile fact file!