

Please try to complete at least 4 of these activities over this half term at school.

They link to our topics 'Starry Night' and 'Winter Wonderland'.

Remember to share your home learning on Tapestry so that I can see it!



RECEPTION Home Learning: Spring 1

Share the *Starry Night Did You Know?* facts and key words (attached in email) with a family member. Choose three of the keywords and write a short sentence using each.

Make an ice decoration. Choose a range of outdoor natural materials such as berries, twigs, leaves. Place into a shallow container with water and freeze. Hang your decoration up outside and watch how quickly/slowly it melts? Why?

Make a room dark. Shine a torch onto a wall and make shadows by putting objects in front of the torch. You could play a guess the object game or trace shadows onto paper.

Make ice paints. You can make the paints by mixing water and paint and placing in containers to freeze, add a lollipop stick.

Nocturnal animals are awake during the night time and sleep during the day. Choose one nocturnal animal to focus on. What special features does the animal have which help it at night? Draw a picture of your chosen animal and label the features.

Go on a short walk somewhere familiar during the day and then go on the same walk after dark. Take a torch on your night walk so you can shine it at different features. What do you notice that is the same? What do you notice is different?