

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

- Learning to talk to my friends about the ways we play together.
- Learning to use words when I am upset or frustrated

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Encouraging to negotiate and put across my own point of view.
- ✓ Talking to me about naming the causes of my emotions.

### Literacy:

- Naming objects that start with s, a, t, p, i and n.
- Learning that we read from left to right.

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Encouraging me to sing the Jolly Phonics songs for each initial sound.
- ✓ Encouraging me to turn the pages when we read together and continue to walk my fingers beneath the text.

### Communication and Language:

- Talking about people and places in familiar stories in more detail.
- Learning new vocabulary related to colour and unfamiliar festivals, such as Holi

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Practising the rhymes in my rhyme book each week.
- ✓ Talking to me about my favourite stories and asking me to recall some of the characters and places that they went.

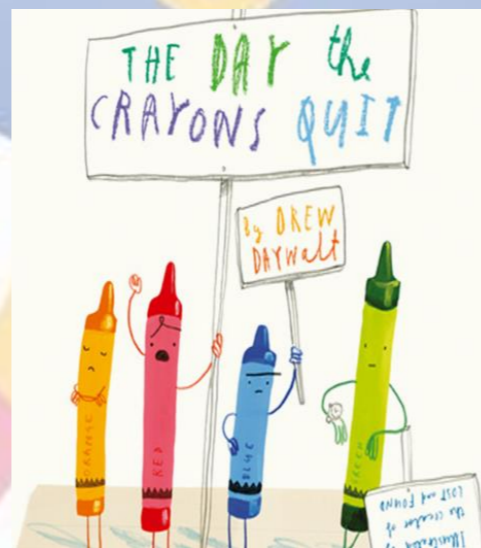
### Mathematics:

- Identifying numerals to 9.
- Beginning to link the numerals to amounts to 9.
- Using fingers to identify 6,7,8,9 and 10.

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Asking me to point out numerals in my environment.
- ✓ Talking about what numeral would match an amount I have counted out.
- ✓ Encourage me to use my fingers to represent numbers to 10.

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This half-term we are:**



### Physical Development:

- Beginning to use scissors with more independence.
- Working with our peers to transport large equipment we use for gross motor play.

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Encouraging me to use 'thumbs up' when holding my scissors, to ensure my thumb is in the top hole.
- ✓ Giving me opportunities to move washing baskets and other large objects with adult support.

### Understanding the World:

- Talking about Holi, Mother's Day and Easter.
- Exploring springtime.
- Helping to care for Bambi and Thumper.

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Talking to me about how I celebrate Easter at home.
- ✓ Giving me chances to explore wet weather and the regrowth of plants and trees around me.
- ✓ Discuss the importance of feeding and cleaning for animals.

### Expressive Arts and Design:

- Exploring colour and colour mixing.
- Continuing to build a library of familiar songs
- Exploring how to represent emotions in our creative work.

#### You can help me by:

- ✓ Encouraging me identify the colour of objects around me and talk about how these colours are made.
- ✓ Giving me opportunities to sing as often as possible.
- ✓ Help me to label the emotions I give to people I draw.