

TERM 3

RELIGION CRAFT

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MAY CRAFT

Month of Mary

✓ Share familiar Bible stories about Mary.

✓ Watch the video of a sand drawing of The Nativity Story. *Mary played a key role in this story and it links back to our memory of our Christmas Production.* <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories/lets-celebrate-christmas-story</u>

- ✓ Make a May Altar.
- \checkmark Paint or draw a picture of Mary to add to the altar.
- ✓ Collect or create flowers to decorate your May Altar.
- ✓ Pray the Hail Mary with a family member. Decorate the prayer.



When I Think of Mary

May is the month of Mary. What do you think of when you think of Mary? When I think of Mary, I think of...



JUNGLE CRAFT

Food Art: Can you create a funny Jungle picture using your breakfast, lunch or dinner? If so, please photograph it!









PIC.COLLAGE

You could make binoculars and an explorer's hat in order to explore your surroundings!

Imagine you are in the Jungle... what would you like to see?



A range of bright Jungle animals! You could create suncatchers using tissue paper or even a play set for your and your siblings to share and explore a 'small world' Jungle setting.





Jungle backdrops and Rainforest landscapes are so beautiful! You could try using a cereal box to create one of your very own!

Making and using your own puppets would also make for hours of fun too!

STUDY OF A FAMOUS ARTIST

Henri Rosseau



Tiger in a thunderstorm

- ✓ Find out a little bit about Henri Rosseau
- Discuss this piece of work- Which colours can be seen? Talk about shades too.
- Discuss the weather in this painting and how is it shown through the art piece?
- Discuss how the tiger might be feeling or what he might have been doing?
- Think about the 'medium' the artist used- did he use markers, oil pastels or paints?
- \checkmark Now have a go at trying your own 'Tiger in a thunderstorm' \bigcirc

I would love to see them when your masterpiece is complete!

IMAGINATION WORKOUT

Design and make animals using junk material and 2D/3D materials.

Make props for role play – animal masks and puppets.

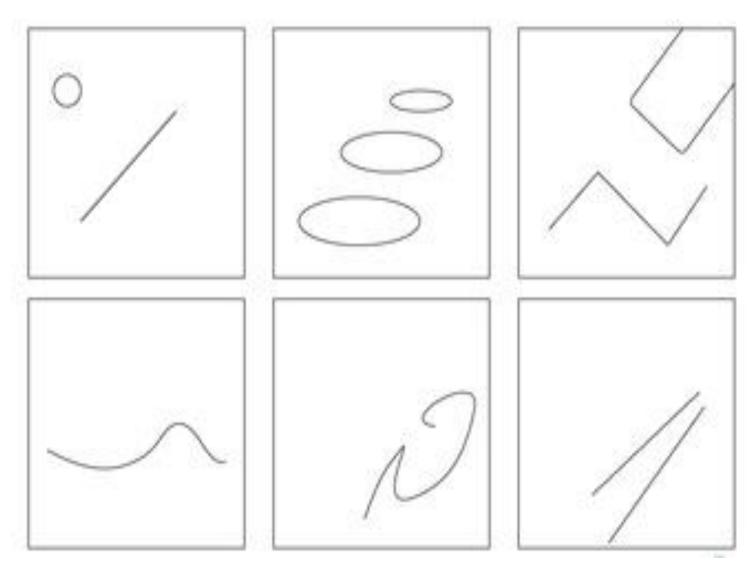
Use junk materials or construction toys to make a safari ranger vehicle.

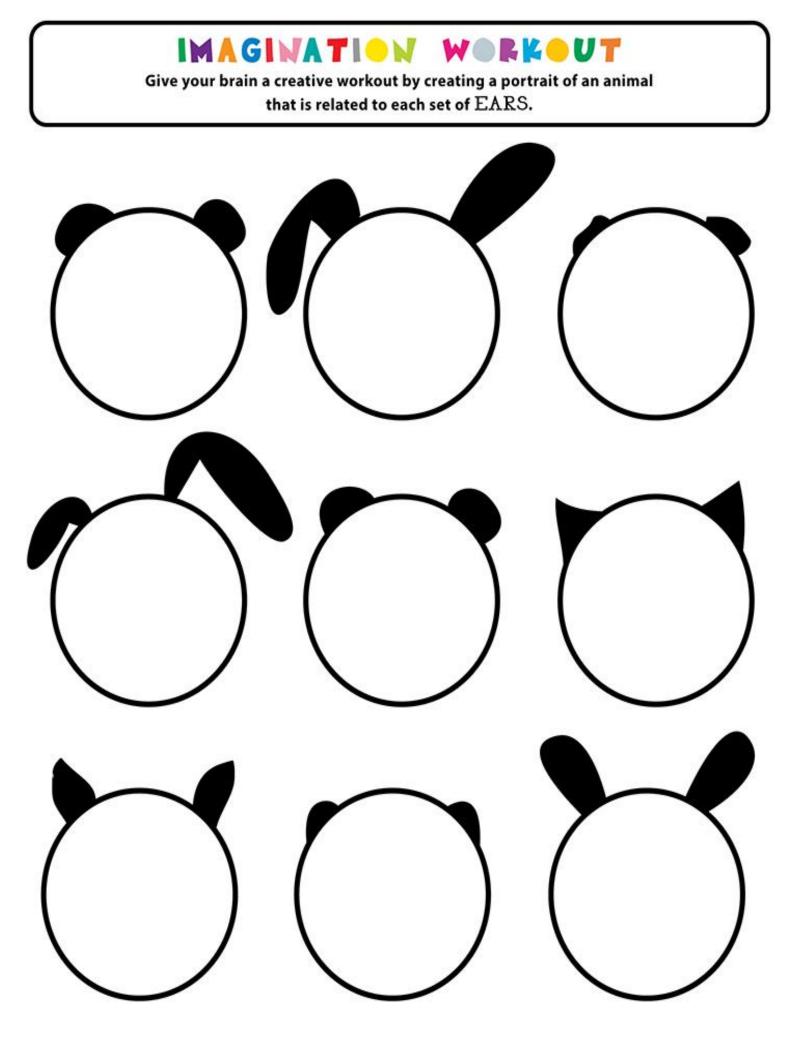
Make a home for a jungle animal outside.

Make jungle animals using playdough.

Make food we find in the Jungle using playdough.

Complete each drawing below. It can be whatever you want it to be!





LEGO CHALLENGE

Build a bridge	Make a robot	Build a castle	Use only YELLOW lego
Make something in 1 minute	Make a pattern	Build an animal	Build with your eyes closed
Build your name	Build a monster	Make a house	Use only RED lego
Use only GREEN lego	Build a car	Build a boat	Build with only BLUE lego

EXPERIMENTS

Jumping Frog

Science Experiment

Method

- Before you begin the activity, you will need to cut lots of small frog shapes out of the green tissue paper, about 4cm tall. It may be easier to fold the tissue paper in half and cut the shape so that it is symmetrical, as shown in the images below.
- Snip 2cm up, along the centre fold of each frog. This will help the frog to balance on the edge of the bowl when the children do the experiment.
- Set up the working area for the children. You will need the ruler, bowl of water, frogs and cloth. Balance a few of the tissue paper frogs on the edge of the bowl.
- 4. With the children, get them to make the frogs jump. Ask the child to give the ruler a big rub with the cloth, to build up the static electricity, then carefully hold the ruler a couple of cm over the frog. The frog will jump onto the ruler.
- With a little flick of the ruler, the child can make the frog 'hop into the pond'.
- 6. Ask the children to try using the wooden block to make the frog jump. Can they 'charge up' the block like they charged up the ruler?



You will need:

Green tissue paper

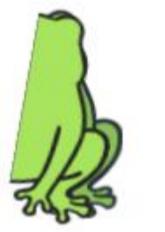
Plastic ruler

Scissors

Bowl with a small amount of water in

Duster or cloth

Wooden block





Shaving Foam Rain Clouds

Science Experiment

Method

- Fill the small bowls with water, then add a different food colouring to each. The more food colouring you add, the darker the colour will be.
- Fill your large glass or vase up to about 2/3 full.
- Squirt a generous amount of shaving foam on top of the water to create a 'cloud'.
- Drop small amounts of coloured water onto the 'cloud' using the pipette or syringe.

You will need:

- Clear glass or vase with a wide brim
- Food colouring
- Shaving foam
- Small bowls
- Water



Colour in Green Leaves

Science Experiment

Method

- Take the children out to collect 5 green leaves.
- Put the leaves into the jar. Use scissors to snip the leaves into very small pieces. Use the scissors to bruise the leaves.
- Adult job Pour rubbing alcohol into the jar so it just covers the leaves.
- Cover the jar with cling film and place the jar high up so the children cannot reach the jar. Leave for 1 hour.
- Cut a strip of coffee filter paper and place 1 end into the jar so that it is just touching the rubbing alcohol.
- Leave for a couple of minutes and then check. You should see a greenish colour on the coffee filter paper.
- After 10-15 minutes, the rubbing alcohol will have moved up the filter papers and left bands of colour along the paper.

You can also extend this experiment by repeating it with different coloured leaves and comparing the different colours and lines they make on the coffee filter paper.

You will need:

- 5 large green leaves
- Rubbing alcohol
- Glass jar
- Cling film
- Scissors
- Coffee filter paper



Camouflage Exploration

Look around outside at evidence of camouflage if you can. Watch this video about the everchanging chameleon-<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aZuxerppygM</u>





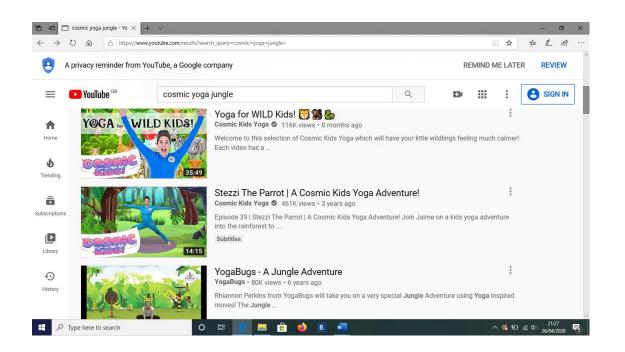


You could have a go at creating some of your own camouflage pieces!

P.E CHALLENGES FOR P2

Yoga to help with balance, coordination and mindfulness

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lFbWNmzPByQ



Cosmic Kids Yoga has a vast amount of videos for you to enjoy!

JUNGLE YOGA USING A CHAIR



GARDEN YOGA FOR KIDS







Tree Pose: Stand on one leg. Bend the other knee and place the sole of your foot on your inner thigh. Sway like a tree in the breeze. Now the other side.

Pretend to be a frog

Squat Pose: Come down to a squat with your knees apart and arms resting between your knees. Touch your hands to the ground. Jump like a frog.

Pretend to be a seed

Child's Pose: Sit back on your heels and bring your forehead down to rest on the floor. Pretend to be a seed in the garden.

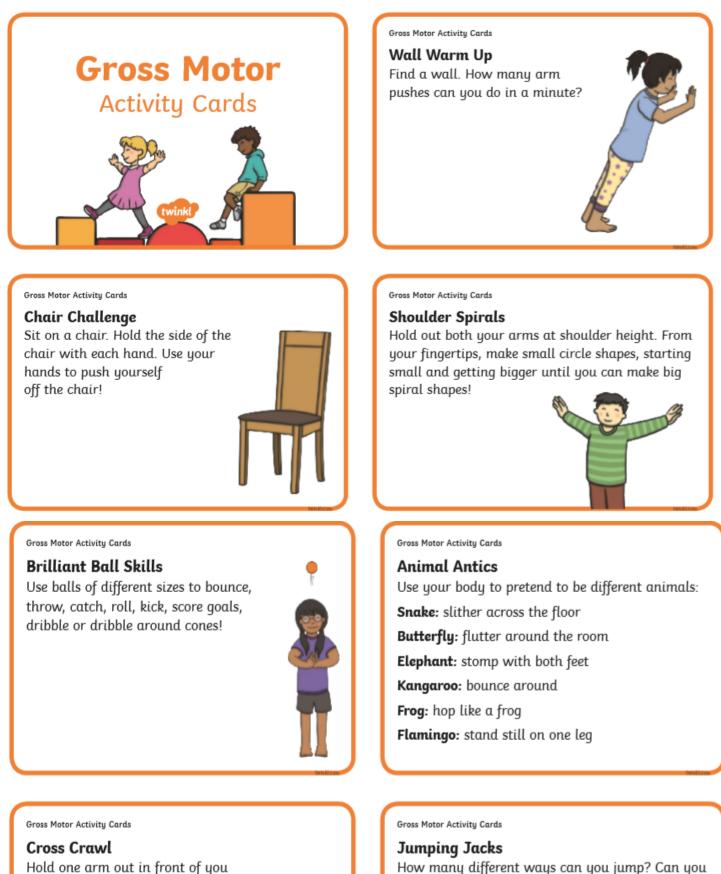
Pretend to be a butterfly

Cobbler's Pose: Sit on your buttocks with a tall spine. Bend your legs with the soles of your feet together. Flap your legs like the wings of a butterfly.



Pretend to be a flower

Flower Pose: Lift your bent legs, balancing on your sitting bones. Weave your arms under your legs, palms up. Pretend to be a flower in bloom.



With your index finger pointed. Draw the number 8 with one hand. Change arms. Can you draw a number?

jump on the spot (small jumps/ big jumps), side to side, star jumps, bunny jumps, backwards, forwards, with eyes open and eyes closed!



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Wonderful Walking

Walk forwards, backwards, eyes open, eyes closed, sideways, on tiptoes, heel to toe and then take giant steps.



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Marvellous Mats

Lay out a PE mat. How many different ways can you move across the mat? Can you jump, skip, roll, crawl or slide?



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Bubble It!

Use a piece of bubble wrap to:

- · Walk, hop, crawl or roll along.
- Use a roll of bubble wrap to roll it backwards and forwards.
- Lie on top of a thick roll. Can you move forwards and backwards?



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Bean Bag Challenge

How many bean bags can you throw in a hoop, a bucket or at a target? Can you change the distance you throw from?



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Happy Hoops

Use a hoop. See how many ways you can use the hoop to jump in, hop, skip, spin, throw, crawl, catch, hula-hoop!

Gross Motor Activity Cards

Whirl and Twirl Use ribbons on sticks to make different patterns in the air.

Can you write letters, numbers, make shapes?



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Chalk It!

In an outdoor space, use chalk to make big patterns! Chalk wavy, curly, zig zag lines,

numbers or letters. Can you then hop, walk or skip over the lines you have chalked?



Gross Motor Activity Cards

Chair Aerobics

At your chair or desk, stand up and see if you can do the following exercises:

- Stretch both hands above your head. Press your palms together for 10 seconds.
- Stretch out your legs in front of you. Place your heel on the ground and lift each leg 10 times.
- Raise your right hand and touch your left shoulder. Repeat 10 times.