Pick and Mix – Home Learning experiences – Puddles and Rainbows

These activities are for you to do at home, you can do all of them or choose the ones that you find most interesting. Bring in or post your finished work to your portfolio, so that we can share and celebrate it with your classmates. I will post this document on to our Reception Class Dojo 'Story.'

Go on a walk on a rainy day. Have fun jumping in and over muddy puddles. Take a photograph of your rainy walk and send it over to Class Doio!



Make a weather chart to show what the weather is like each day. Use the weather symbols to help.

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In spring, the weather can change every day.

What is your favourite type of weather and why?



Rainbows appear in the sky when it is rainy and sunny at the same time.

Draw a rainbow using the colours below.

Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue, Indigo and Violet.

Go on a colour hunt and find objects for each of the colours. Draw or write what you found in the chart.

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Springtime plants grow in the spring, when the weather is sunny and rainy. Plant some seeds in pots and care for them so that they can grow.

What do plants need to grow?

What would happen if we didn't water the plant?

Make washable pavement paints by mixing 1/3 cup cornflour, 1/3 cup water and several drops of food colouring.

Put the paints into plastic pots and provide brushes for outside painting fun. Mix the different colours in puddles.



Use red, yellow and blue paint, to see what different colours you can make by mixing two colours at a time.

What colour did you make when you mixed blue and red? What colour do yellow and blue make? What colour do red and vellow make when they mix?



Useful websites

CBeebies Numberblocks – Days of spring song

CBeebies – Nelly and Nora

CBeebies – Nelly and Nora make a picture

Good reads

Title	Author Anna Llenas	
Colour Monster		
Mixed: A World of Colour	Arree Chung	
When I Coloured in the World	Ahmadreza Ahmadi	
Weather	DK	
A Windy Day in Spring	Charles Ghigna	
The World Made a Rainbow	Michelle Robinson	