**Early Stage 1**

**Learning at Home**

**Reading**

As you currently do, please read with your child every day and encourage them to read to themselves.

**Sounds**Each day choose a different letter/sound. Practise writing the letter and then draw 5 things that start with that sound.

**Word Work**Choose at least one activity to do each day.

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| Choose 5 sight words and write them in rainbow colours.Image result for rainbow words | Spell your words out loud while bouncing a ball or jumping on the trampoline.  Image result for trampoline | Choose 10 sight word cards to play SNAP (You may need to write a second set of words).  Image result for SNAP game | Put 10 sight words around the back yard. Have someone call out the words and run and tag the word. | Write your words with a paintbrush and water.  Image result for paint brush |
| Choose 10 sight word  cards to play memory (You may need to write a second set of words). | With a scrap piece of paper make a paper chain and write your words on it.  Image result for paper chain | Use newspapers or magazines to cut out letters to make your words.  Image result for newspapers and magazines | Practise writing your name.  Image result for name tracing | Challenge yourself to write a sentence using a sight word.  Image result for lego |

**Maths**

Use the cards provided or dice and choose some games to play from this list:

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| Play snap with your number cards (You may need to write a second set of number cards). | Practise writing numbers from 1 to 20.  Image result for writing numbers | Play MEMORY with your number cards (You may need to write a second set of number cards).  Image result for memory game clip art | Roll two dice and add them together. | Flip 1 card. Use counters, marbles, pencils etc to represent the number.  C:\Users\ttoplis\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\36BAA608.tmp |
| Pick one card, draw that number of things. | Pick two cards and add those numbers together. | Watch an episode of Numberjacks or Number blocks on Youtube | Play GO FISH with your number cards (You may need to write a second set of number cards). | Pick two cards and tell your family – the total of my cards is “\_\_”. The family member needs to work out what your cards are. Show them 1 card if they get stuck. |
| Build towers from blocks. Ask your little learner to build with 8 blocks and then ask them to build a tower with 8 blocks that is different to the first. | Put your number cards in order as fast as you can. Have a race with someone in your family-counting forwards and backwards.  Image result for number cards | Make a pattern with different shapes.  Image result for colour patterns | Make a list of all the short and long objects in your house.  Image result for short and long | Sing counting songs.  Image result for jack hartmann |

**Free Choice**

Choose at least one activity to do each day.

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| Play a board game with someone at home.  Image result for board games | Take the dog for a walk.  Image result for walking the dog | Help out in the kitchen, wash up, vacuum the floors.  Image result for vacuuming | Make an indoor / outdoor cubby house.  Image result for cubby house made of cushions | Plan a picnic in your backyard with your family. Think about what you need to pack- food, drink, games etc.  Image result for picnic |
| Find some recyclable materials and make them into something new.  Image result for construction out of cardboard boxes | Graph the weather each day – did it rain? – was it cloudy?  Image result for weather graph | Walk around your house and backyard looking for natural and built features. Record your findings by drawing pictures of what you find.  Image result for natural and built environments | Count aloud forwards to 20 or 30 and backwards from 20 whilst skipping with a skipping rope (one jump for each number). You could also do this jumping on the trampoline or bouncing a ball. Try challenging yourself to count by 2s, 5s and 10s.  Image result for jump rope | Draw a floor plan of your house and label it – you can also include some comments about each room if you like.  Image result for floor plan |
| Create a 3D artwork of a chosen bug or insect.  Image result for 3d art of a bug | Call a family member on the phone and talk about your day.  Image result for child on the phone | Make up a dance to your favourite song.  Image result for kids dancing | Make a list of 5 items that are heavier than you and 5 items that are lighter than you.  Image result for weights | Find 3 things that produce light and 3 things that produce sound in your house. Draw and label a picture of each.  Image result for light and sound |
| Make a musical instrument using things from home.  Image result for musical instruments | Look in the mirror and draw what you see. Don’t forget what is around you.  Image result for drawing of child | Cook something with an adult.  Image result for child cooking | Clean your room.  Image result for child cleaning their room | Learn to tie your shoelaces. Relace them and tie them differently. |

**Free Choice activities: (online)**

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| Art for Kids (Directed drawing)  C:\Users\cthornton11\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\52B737D3.tmp  <https://www.youtube.com/user/ArtforKidsHub> | Just dance  C:\Users\cthornton11\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\AEB718D5.tmp  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ziLHZeKbMUo> | Jack Hartmann  Image result for jack hartmann  <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVcQH8A634mauPrGbWs7QlQ> |