

Homework Project 1



- Watch or read your favourite fairy tale or a Disney movie.
- Can you use drama to act out the beginning, middle and ending of the story?
- Ask an adult to take a picture or a video of the beginning, middle and ending of your role play act.



- Think about how the characters feel; how will you show that through body and facial expressions?
- Think about your speech; how will you change your voice to suit your character?
- Explore and describe the main characters; why are they good or bad?



- Extension: watch or look back at your video and reflect on your work. Think of one thing you are proud of and one thing you could do better.



- Share your homework on Tapestry by the first week back.

Homework Project 2

As part of your child's homework we would like you to look through the Fine Motor Skills (FMS) and Gross Motor Skills (GMS) activities and slides. It would be great to see children attempting them throughout the year.

For your second homework task please pick at least one FMS and GMS activity to do with your child and upload a picture or a video of them completing it on Tapestry.

There are many benefits to these activities as mentioned below:

Fine motor skills: involve the use of the small muscles that control the hand, fingers, and thumb. They help children perform important tasks like feeding themselves, grasping toys, buttoning and zipping clothes, writing, drawing, and more.



Gross Motor Skills: helps a child gain **strength** and confidence in his/her body. It also helps them get **exercise** and physical activity, which is important for a healthy lifestyle. Developing these skills helps a child's ability to do more complex skills in future activities, such as playing sport with a team. It also supports with **balance and coordination**.

Please see below links for FMS and GMS

<https://theimaginationtree.com/40-fine-motor-skills-activities-for-kids/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DrBsNhwxyzgc>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BOLR3pQt8zg>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2tOKxUqut-c>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I2oCE1tf13c>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gc27LaapJV0>

<https://www.yourtherapysource.com/blog1/2020/03/23/gross-motor-skills-and-activities/>