



# Kaeo School at Home

Hi from Mrs Molesworth,

Here is your plan for today. I have loved seeing all the work you have done and the photos of your home activities, keep me posted. Some things are easy for you to do and some may be a little more difficult. It's ok to get Mum or Dad to help you—they may enjoy it! Your job is to work on the tasks over the next two days, your parents job is to help you out and to check that you understood the activity and that you completed it. I hope you are remembering to keep your work so you can share it when we are back at school. I hope you are enjoying your home packs and playing the games, these are helpful to help you retain your learning of alphabet and number.



Share another book with someone in your whanau, maybe one of your Duffy books or one online, and talk about something in the story that was funny or sad. Try to explain WHY. Do you think your story had a good ending? Think about another story you have shared that might have had a sad or happy part and discuss this. In your Activity Pack I put some poems in, you can share these as well. You will notice some little words you are learning in these poems. Sharing them often will really help you learn these words, they are in your little readers at school.



Shadow Fun! On a sunny day get a piece of chalk and go outside with someone from your whanau and stand on some concrete with your arms and fingers outstretched, like a star jump. Get your helper to trace around your shadow. Count all your fingers, there should be 10. Count your arms and legs. Can you see your ears? You could swop and you draw your helper. Who is the biggest? Have fun.



Lets try some Instructional Writing! Wow we haven't done this before! Don't worry it's not hard. Think of something you have helped someone do. It could be you have baked something or cleaned the car or blown up a balloon or planted a seed or got the firewood for the winter. Draw a picture that shows you doing it. Tell your adult all the steps you did to do this task and they will write it down for you. They can put a number beside each step. I wonder how many steps it took to complete this task? If I followed your steps would I get your task done correctly? This is really important if your are baking cookies or a pizza!



Push Up

Remember this is called our Alphabet Work. We have been practicing Magic C letters and letters and Bunny Jump letters and Big Line Down letters, so this week lets practice Zig Zag letters. The Zig Zag letters are made up of diagonal writing movements. Their lines zig zag at an angle. The Zig Zag letters are A, X, K, Z, N, M, W, V, Y. These can be tricky so get someone to help, especially to start the letter at the correct place. If you have a whiteboard in your pack use this, never worry if you make mistakes, you are only learning. Having a go is the most important thing.



I love Autumn so I have another activity for you about this wonderful season. Remember we talk about the seasons on our class calendar. If you can get youtube I want you to get the story called Stick Man by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheppler. After you have enjoyed watching and listening to this story I want you to go outside and make your own Stick Man! Gather your sticks and glue or Sellotape them to a piece of paper, showing the body, arms and legs. Draw a head at the top with a face, smiling or sad. Put 1 or 2 leaves for his hair! Think of how you will position his arms and legs. Have another look at the story. I can't wait to see what you have done, love Mrs M.