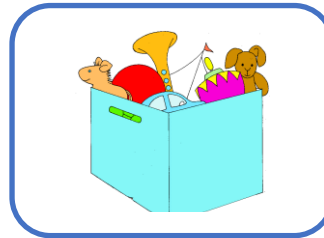


SHARED LEARNING

Autumn Term 2

What can we find in the toy box?



Talk to parents and grandparents to find out which toys they played with when they were young. They could ask questions and the adults give them the answers.

Create your own toyshop. Give some of your toys price tags. Then have a go at being the shopkeeper and customer. Use real money and count the coins.

Play a board game and practise taking turns

Collect some autumnal natural resources. Can you make a picture or model using what you have found?

Design a simple Christmas tree decoration together. The decoration can be made of any suitable material, paper, fabric etc. Use your design to make your Christmas tree decoration. Please bring it into school on **Monday 1st December** to add to our class decorations.

Encourage your child to talk about the 2D and 3D shapes you find around the house and while you are out and about. Can you go on a shape hunt and name them all?

Choose 10 toys from home and investigate what they feel like. You can sort them into hard and soft, or think about the materials they are made from and why.

Visit your local library and see if you can find a favourite book from your parents' or grandparents' childhoods. See if you enjoy it together.

We will be been reading 'Traction Man is Here' by Mini Grey. It is a story about toys having adventures. Use one or more of your toys to create your own adventure story.

Draw a picture of your favourite toy. Explain why it is your favourite.

Compare a toy we use today with a toy from the past, using your computer skills if possible. If you do not have access to a computer, have a go at doing it on paper instead.

Play games to practise counting to 10, then 20.

Please complete one or more of these activities each week.

- Don't forget to list all your shared learning in your learning diaries or upload pictures to ClassDojo
- Read your reading book every week and return each **Monday** along with your shared learning book.
- School Library books are returned and changed every Wednesday by our very helpful volunteers.

Discuss together the key vocabulary linked to this topic:

toys, old, new, past, present, modern, change, fashion, technology, clockwork, electronic, batteries, wooden, plastic, metal