

Suggestions for activities for Buttercup Class:

<p><u>Messy and Sensory Play:</u> During a normal day in Buttercup Class, our students are able to play with: -Rice, flour cornflour, water Children are encouraged to request these using PECS. Objects can be hidden inside (small toys.) Our children enjoy filling and emptying using small cups, spoons, sieves etc.</p>	<p><u>Early mark making:</u> Children are encouraged to use a range of mark making tools: -crayons, pencils, paint brushes, playdough tools, small rollers, toothbrushes.</p>
<p><u>Communication, Social and Interaction:</u> The use of SCERTS and PECS is crucial to develop interaction and communication. Please continue with this at home (requesting toys, food, specific objects.)  I have provided lots of ideas for play skills, messy play, attention and listening activities, opportunities for communication, ready, steady, go ideas and choices.)</p>	<p><u>Independence:</u> Please encourage your children to continue to develop their independence skills by: -helping with dressing and undressing -developing feeding skills and using forks and spoons -washing hands (see below)</p>
<p><u>Use of IPADS and the internet:</u> - CBEEBIES - Barefoot Books on You Tube (PECS symbols attached) - A fantastic resource called Busy Things are providing 1 week free trials for families: <a href="https://www.busythings.co.uk/take-a-free-trial">https://www.busythings.co.uk/take-a-free-trial</a></p>	<p>Please make use of some the fantastic suggestions that have been compiled by us and other agencies.</p>



flour



water



cars



dinosaurs



paint



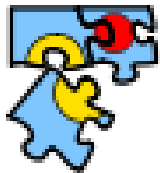
rice



shaving foam



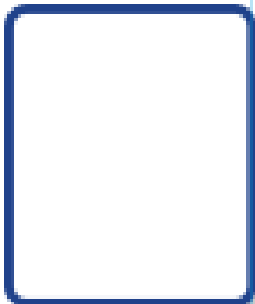
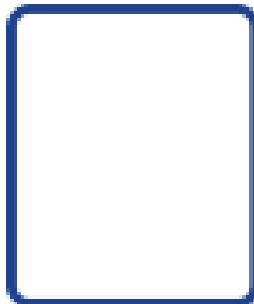
books



jigsaws



ipad



1



wet both hands

3



rub hands together

2



soap both hands

4



wet both hands  
again

5



dry both hands

Below you will find some PECS symbols to match 'Barefoot books' on YouTube:

