

# Activities at home



Dear Parents,

The activity for week beginning on is:

## **He we are- My city**

### **The activity we will be covering involves:**

- Looking at the map of Europe and showing the location of United Kingdom
- Listening to the story of 'The Queen's Hat' by Steve Antony
- Watching a short video about the Queens' hats
- Looking at the panoramic play scene of London and its landmarks featured in the story
- Participating in an art activity

### **Our activity includes:**

- At first the children will be shown a map of Europe and the location of the United Kingdom on the continent.
- The children will have opportunity to listen to the story of 'The Queen's Hat' by Steve Antony. They will be encouraged to retell the story using vocabulary from the book.
- Later they will be shown the picture of the Queen and members of the Royal Family. The children will have the opportunity to watch a short video about the Queens' hats.
- The children will be shown a panoramic play scene of London. They will look at famous landmarks featured in the story as well as other well-known buildings such as The Tower of London.

- At the end the children will have opportunity to participate in an art activity and they will be able to choose to make a bus or a taxi. They will have to follow instructions in order to complete the task and further develop their scissors skills.

**You might wish to help your child to explore this topic at home or when you are out and about. Please feel free to approach the teachers for further explanations. Our suggested activities are:**

- Visit the Museum of London or London Transport Museum
- Watch the changing of the Guards at Buckingham Palace
- Go to the library and look for stories for children about London and history of United Kingdom