

Activities at Home

Project: 'Marvellous Me'

Dear Parents,

The activity for week: 5 beginning: 9th October 2023

Is: **'My Lovely Face'**

The activity we will be covering involves:

- Talking about how everybody looks different and that these differences make us unique and special
- Sharing the Twinkl story '*We Are All Different*'
- Creating a self-portrait using a photograph as support

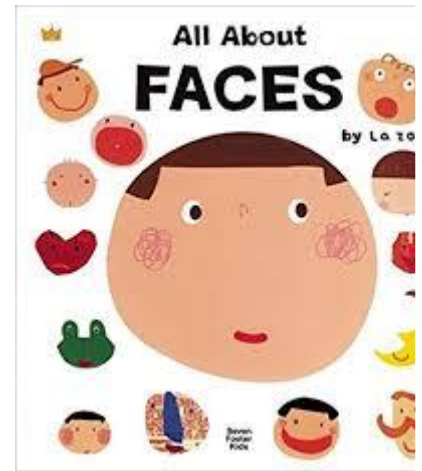
Our activity includes:

- First we will read the ebook '*We Are All Different*'.
- The children will then be encouraged to compare themselves to the characters in the story and peers, identifying features that they have in common and features that set them apart and make them unique
- Creating a self-portrait. As this can be quite tricky, the children will be given a sheet of paper with a photograph of half of their face on it. They will then be encouraged to complete the face themselves, looking at the features on the photograph, such as eye colour, hair colour, nose shape, mouth fullness etc in detail

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:

- Encourage your child to look in detail at their faces using a mirror. This can be used to encourage independence, for example after eating or if they have a runny nose, as they can use the mirror to ensure that they have cleaned their face properly.
- Encourage your child to take pride in the things that make them unique by asking them to identify their favourite feature about themselves, and then offering your favourite of their features.



The Big Question: Ask your child.....

What is your favourite thing about your appearance?