



Activities at Home

Project: “Wild and wonderful”

Dear Parents,

The activity for week: 5 beginning: 5th Februarys: ‘Slithering snakes’

The activity we will be covering involves:

- Learn about snakes and their various habitats
- Explain where snakes lives
- Learn new vocabulary and communicate their ideas and thoughts
- Encouraging critical thinking
- Sustaining attentive listening, responding to what they have heard with relevant comments, questions or actions
- Working creatively during the activity and following instructions
- Developing fine motor skills.

Our activity includes:

- Start a conversation with the children about snakes
- Read “Snakes Have No Legs” by Kelly Tills to the children
- Discuss with the children about different types of snakes, their lifestyle and various habitats
- Followed by craft activities where children will create their own Slithering Snakes.

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:

- Read books with snakes such as:
 - “ The Greedy Python” by Richard Buckley
 - “There’s a Snake in My School!” by David Walliams
 - “The Day Jimmy's Boa Ate the Wash” by Trinka Hakes
- Play “Snakes and ladders ” with your child
- Visit the local library to look and read some factual books about snakes

Big question:

Ask your child:

Would you rather walk or slither?