

## PLC Home Learning Tasks

Hello PLC

I hope you have all had a lovely Easter and enjoyed some delicious chocolate!

I have some more working memory tasks for you to try this week.

We need our working memory for lots of activities that we do, for example: writing sentences, spelling, mental maths, remembering information and following instructions so keep up your practice and I hope you enjoy these activities.

This first set of games are a good way to build up your auditory memory (remembering things that you hear).

### Expanding Sentences.

- Remember this is a speaking and listening activity.
- You need a partner for this activity and you add information to each other's ideas.
- When it is your turn you have to recap the sentence that has been created and add a new piece of information.

Here is an example:

"I played Minecraft."

"I played Minecraft on Saturday."

"I played Minecraft on Saturday and built a house of sandstone."

"I played Minecraft on Saturday and built a house of sandstone and a creeper blew it up."

### Recall a spoken sequence

- Ask a partner to list some items and see if you can remember them.

You might choose numbers: 7 5 9 5 2

You might choose colours: red blue yellow green

You might choose animals: cat dog duck wolf

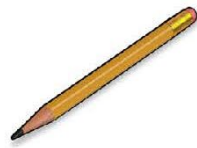
Be as creative as you like with your chosen list.

How many items can you remember in order?

Try to increase your score each day!

Your next challenge is to build up your visual memory (remembering things that you see).

- Look at this picture for 1 minute.
- Try to remember as many items as possible.
- Once your time is up, look away from the picture and see which items you can remember.



You can also play this game with objects that you have in your house. Ask a partner to choose some objects and put them on a tray or a plate.

Look at them for one minute and then cover them up.

How many items can you remember?