

# Home School Boxes

## Activities with torches

- Turn off the lights and dance with finger torches and ribbon.
- Make coloured telescopes using cardboard tubes, coloured cellophane and elastic bands. Try using bits of bubble wrap too.
- Make shapes with wire and use a torch to create Shadow Sculptures, try using sheets of coloured paper as backgrounds and take pictures.
- Using tin foil and a tray, pour/drip water over the foil. shine the torch on water and foil.
- Use different coloured cellophane to put over end of torch and explore. Try shining through the bubble wrap.
- Build a cave, using chairs, sheets and blankets, shine torches inside. Try using the foil blanket for this.
- Blow bubbles in the dark and shine torches through them.

## Activities with household objects

- Using what's around, make the longest line you can through your home. Imagine it's the Great Wall of China!
- Make a sculpture using forks and spoons – take pictures.
- Make a city using packets and tins from the kitchen cupboards
- The floor is lava! Using cushions, squares of paper etc... move around the room without touching the floor.
- Don't let the balloon touch the floor.
- Cover a tray or work surface with flour and use it to draw in.
- Fill a bowl with water, drop in different objects to see what floats and what sinks.
- Make a spider's web under the table, or around the room using a ball of wool.



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Dear parents

We hope you are all doing well and finding ways to enjoy this unexpected time with your children. We've put together this box of resources and ideas for you to explore. We are hoping it will be fun, don't feel any pressure to do activities that don't suit you and feel free to use the resources any way you want.

We know you are doing an amazing job during lockdown and we send our best wishes to you and our wonderful learners at home.

If you need anything from Greenside please call our COVID helpline on 07748774301.

We are here to help.

## This box contains

- 1 Torch
- 5 Finger Torches
- 1 Cardboard Tube
- 6 sheets of Coloured Cellophane
- Elastic bands
- Aluminium Wire
- Wool
- Foil
- Balloons
- Coloured paper
- Foil blanket
- Dance Ribbon
- Bubble Mixture
- Cork
- Bubble Wrap

## Spotify Playlist

- Search for **Greenside Home School Box Playlist** on Spotify or follow the link on the Home School section of our website.

