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THE PEARL ACADEMY

**Foundation Stage 2**  
**Homelinks 1**

**Who are we? & Who will we meet in the woods today?**



**Introduction:** Along with Guided Reading, we would like all children in Foundation Stage 2 to complete 4 Homelinks tasks by the 1<sup>st</sup> of December. We look forward to celebrating the children's home learning at school; as they complete a task, please can they bring something into school to share with us (this may be a photograph or a video, sent by e mail, if it was a practical task with no end result). Thank you for your support.

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<b>Curricular Area</b>	<b>Who are we?</b> We will explore our favourite things and how we are special. Children will talk about their friends, family and people that are important to them.	<b>Who will we meet in the woods today?</b> We will learn facts about real bears. The children will read stories about bears, teddy bears and their adventures.
<b>Communication and Language</b>	Draw a picture of some of your favourite things and bring it in so you can tell us all about yourself eg. favourite colours, toys, food, superheroes.	Use your imagination to tell us about an adventure that your teddy bear went on. You can bring the teddy bear or draw a picture to help you tell us about it at school.
<b>Physical Development</b>	Practise taking your socks and shoes off and putting them on by yourself. You can show us in class and during your swimming lessons.	Practise playing on new playground equipment that you haven't used before – balancing on a beam, sliding down a fireman's pole, moving yourself on a swing independently.
<b>PSED</b>	Learn how to brush your teeth independently every morning and evening by putting toothpaste on the brush and making sure you clean all of your teeth.	Have a Teddy Bear's Picnic with your friends or family in the garden or at the park. Help to plan and pack healthy food and drinks.
<b>Literacy</b>	Use a variety of objects from home to spell out your name creatively – lentils, pasta shapes, string, paper shapes. Show us a photo or bring it to school for our display.	Practise writing the letters we are learning at school in sand, glitter, shaving foam, by finger-painting, etc. Write some words if you can.

<b>Mathematics</b>	Make a pattern by drawing or sticking a variety of 2D shapes. Try to use the new shapes we have learned – pentagons, hexagons and semi-circles.	Play a game with your family that will help you with numbers and counting – Snakes and Ladders, Dominoes, Bingo or Hopscotch.
<b>Expressive Arts</b>	Make a collage by cutting out pictures or colours from magazines. Make a rainbow, a self-portrait or anything else you like.	Teach your family and friends the words and actions to the 'Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear' song. Practise together! <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RAud61H5JYQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RAud61H5JYQ</a>
<b>The World Around Us</b>	Look for 3D shapes in the environment when going for a walk or playing in the park. Take pictures if you can.	Choose another animal that you would find in the woods and tell us three things you know/have learned about it eg. What does it like to eat? Where does it live? What colour fur/feathers does it have?

