


Individual Activity Lesson Plan

Date: Thursday 28 th May 2020	
Activity Title: Wide Awake	
Learning Intention: To discuss and learn about the natural world and the environment.	Activity Overview: To make a poster about a nocturnal animal.
Links to EYFS: -Looks closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change. (Understanding the World)	
Equipment : -Colouring pencils -Crayons -Felt tips -Poster template	Key vocabulary: Nocturnal, night, day, animal, facts, poster, awake.
ACTIVITY IMPLEMENTATION (including key questions)	
<p>Introduction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watch/listen to today's story: <i>Peace at Last</i> by Jill Murphy. • Discuss the story and ask the questions below. <p>-Can you remember what sounds Mr Bear heard? -Which <i>animal</i> sounds did Mr Bear hear? -Do you know what we call animals who are awake at night and sleep during the day?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nocturnal - remind your child that we explored this word in the story 'Owl Babies'. <p>Main Activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain to your child that they are going to make a poster about a nocturnal animal. - Can you think of a nocturnal animal? • Support your child with selecting and researching a nocturnal animal, using the computer. • Focus on: <p>- Where does the animal live? - What does it eat? - What does it do at night time?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using the poster template ask your child to draw a picture of their chosen animal and have a go at labelling or writing short sentences to share facts about the animal. <p>Activity review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did you learn anything interesting about nocturnal animals? • Looking at your poster, what do you like best about it? • If you were going to make the poster again, would you do anything differently? 	
Additional ways to support your child: Support your child with hearing and writing initial letter sounds.	Extension: If you could stay up all night what would you do? How would you be able to see in the dark?