

November 20, 2020

Dear Pre-K Families,

As we have completed our topic on Our Five Senses, this week we have two family engagement activities for you to try out, plus a bonus Thanksgiving activity.



1. Create your own "feely box" at home using a shoe box or similar size, make a hole just large enough to place your hand inside without seeing. Put some items inside that match our vocabulary words, including objects that are soft, hard, bumpy, smooth, rough and spiky. Encourage your child to feel what is inside and describe or guess the objects.
2. Continue discussions with your child on why our senses help keep us safe. Talk about being able to see the traffic/crossing lights to help cross the street. Our sense of touch tells us not to go near the stove. Our hearing helps tell us when an alarm bell goes off. Our sense of smell helps us know that the milk is expired. How else do you use your senses in and around your house?



3. Help your child draw around their hand to create a hand turkey. Color or decorate it. Ask your child to suggest four things of which they are thankful and write it on each finger for them.

Don't forget to share your activities/pictures on Google Classroom!

Thank you.

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