**Ideas for nurseries to keep in touch and offer learning in the event of a closure.**

I have compiled a list of ideas for managers and practitioners to use in light of the school and nursery closures. Please use and adapt as you wish. ☺

* Set up and use an online learning platform such as:
  + Seesaw
  + Facebook nursery/parent page
* Provide a ‘cheery’ daily update for children/parents:
  + This could take the form of a video, voice recording or typed post
  + Sing a familiar song/rhyme
  + Teach a new song/rhyme
  + Set an activity/challenge for the day
* Provide opportunities for the children/parents/carers to check in with nursery staff:
  + This could be offered at specific times/on specific days
  + Children/parents/carers could share their learning/activities/pictures/videos
  + Children/parents/carers could ask questions
  + Children could share feelings
* Provide a place to share ideas for learning:
  + This could be done by emailing parents or by using an online learning platform such as Seesaw or your nursery Facebook page
  + Share PDFS/Activities that parents could try e.g. nursery rhymes, counting songs, nature hunt record sheets etc
* Other ideas:
  + I saw this on a facebook page and thought it was a lovely idea…



* I am happy to source resources/support. Please just let me know if there’s anything specific you’d like and I’ll try to my best to accommodate. ☺
* Feel free to use the parents/carers ideas sheet as you wish as well as the nursery rhymes, counting songs and other resources for home learning.