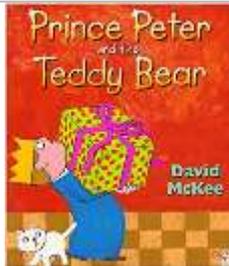




Please try to comment and add photos onto your Learning Journal and we're also asking families to tweet using #ConnectingColinton or #BearHuntEdin with any achievements @ColintonPrimary

Literacy



This week we have the story of **Prince Peter and the Teddy Bear** read by Mrs Hill on your Learning Journal. Look at the front cover ... **I wonder** what will happen in this story? Can you guess what might be in the box? What does this picture tell you about the book?



Another way this week to **make your own teddy bear** ... Try this **Origami teddy bear finger puppet**. Cutting, folding and drawing/sticking on details are great ways to build up our motor skills. You could also use your little bear to make up your own stories and adventures.

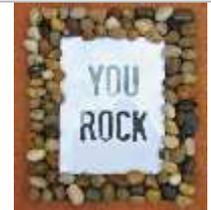
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LyFmwxF334k>

Remember...The Colinton School post-box is open at the school gates during the day

Inter Disciplinary (Topic) and Other Learning



This Sunday, 21st June is Father's Day and it's another great reason to **celebrate families** of all shapes and sizes. Who is special to you on this day and who would you like to say thank you to? You might like to make them a 'YOU ROCK!' craft like these ...



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5JvPcazTiws>

Who has caught our eye this week? Miss Mitchell had so much fun with an unexpected Bear Chase in the woods – thank you to those children, you really made her day! **Calder** – we are so pleased to hear you are on your pedal bike now. **WELL DONE EVERYONE!**

Health & Wellbeing



Look out for details of **Our Nursery Teddy Bear Olympics this Friday 19th June** on your journals, the school website and twitter.



www.bearhuntedinburgh.wordpress.com has more exciting **transition activities**. This week think about your 'back up team' ... Who is here to support you through these exciting new times? It's ok to talk about how you are feeling with someone special. Enjoy this lovely video with children's author Rachel Bright reading her book, **The Worrysaurus**, this is a fun and reassuring tale about dealing with worries.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GYV_o9Uj2jc

Numeracy / Maths & Science



This weekend is **summer solstice**. It's the longest day of the year and the official start of summer. What can you find out about this special day in the year, and how will you celebrate? <https://kidengage.com/blog/2017/06/summer-solstice/> Do you know about **sunset, sunrise, sunlight, hours, days, seasons**? Check out your learning journal for some interesting sun facts and beautiful photographs from Ms Falconer.



Did you know ... The **Sun Bears** at Edinburgh Zoo are called Babu and Rotana? Sun Bears are classed as '**vulnerable species**' which means they are likely to become **endangered or extinct** if we don't help to look after them. Wow! Those are **new words**, I wonder what they mean? And what we can do to help the Sunbears? <https://www.edinburghzoo.org.uk/news/article/15289/rescued-bear-finds-love-at-edinburgh-zoo/>

