**WEEKLY LEARNING ACTIVITIES AT HOME**

**Our commitment to our families continues while your child/ren are not attending the centre. To support ongoing learning, we have created a calendar of ideas. These ideas are a guide. You can change and extend on these ideas. We would love for you to share what you have been learning about. Please send us photos and stories. Contact us if you have questions, ideas or require support.**

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| **BABIES & TODDLERS WEEKLY LEARNING ACTIVITIES- WEEK 2** | | | | | |
| **Areas of learning** | **MONDAY 17-8-2020** | **TUESDAY 18-8-2020** | **WEDNESDAY 19-8-2020** | **THURSDAY 20-8-2020** | **FRIDAY 21-8-2020** |
| **STEAM**  Children participate in a variety of rich and meaningful inquiry-based experiences | **SCIENCE**  Go outside on a clear night and find the moon and count 5 or 10 stars. Can you count more than 10? | **TECHNOLOGY**  Make a musical instrument using a plastic bottle and fill it with objects found inside or outside. | **ENGINEERING**  Create, construct or stack using boxes or containers. | **ARTS**  Collect leaves and/ or flowers and make a collage. | **MATHS**  sort your toys by colour and/ or shape. |
| **SENSES**  Children use their senses to explore natural and built environments | **SMELL**  Smell different herbs and flowers. | **SIGHT**  When you go outside for a walk or in your backyard identify and collect different colour leaves, flowers, or fruit/ vegetables. | **TASTE**  Taste foods that are sweet and sour at mealtimes | **TOUCH**  Gather items that are soft and hard to touch | **HEARING**  Close your eyes and try and identify the different sounds you hear. |
| **MUSIC & MOVEMENT**  Children combine gross and fine motor movement and balance to achieve increasingly complex patterns of activity including dance, creative movement, and drama | **SINGING**  Listen to and sing along to counting songs in 2 different languages | **DANCING**  Dance with ribbons, streamers, or scarves. | **SOFT & LOUD**  Sing “Head and shoulders” Can you sing it fast, slow, softy and very loud? Now try to sing it in Japanese | **YOGA**  Try some yoga moves   * Tree * downward dog * star   Play calming music | **ANIMAL DANCES**  Dance to the chicken dance and baby shark.  Can you find other animal dances? |