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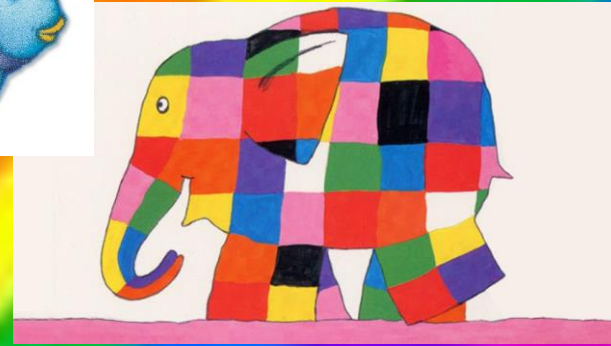
Elmer / Rainbow fish – retelling story, sequencing, puppets – lots of resources on Twinkl

Writing and pre-writing:

List of words beginning with... e.g. R, E, D

List of 5 red (coloured) animals, foods, objects

Tracing, making shapes in paint, coloured sand, gloop



Colours Theme

Holi – festival of colour in India – link to art activities and sensory overleaf

Spring festivals around the world

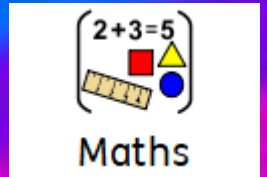
What does a rainbow mean?

Meaning of colours in different countries – e.g. in China red = happiness – think about what makes you feel happy

Learn to say the colour words in another language – French, Spanish, German

Hide coloured objects in the garden, use position and direction words for clues to find them

Grow your own rainbow – explore capillary action – see attached idea sheet

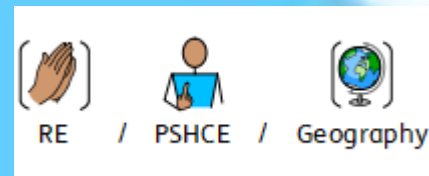


Sorting and matching by colour
Treasure hunt – find 5 (red) things that; roll, are circles, squares, triangles etc

Find a set number of coloured objects around the house

Elmer / Rainbow fish addition / colouring sheets – Twinkl

Counting songs related to animals





Arts

Milk jug Elmer project

Hand, finger and foot prints in different colours

Printing with found objects, flowers

Bubble printing / marbling

Colour mixing – can you make orange, pink, purple?

Modelling from coloured salt dough, plastacine

Weaving with paper

Making rainbow spinners

Using prisms

Face painting



PE

Throwing coloured objects into buckets – target practice

Yoga – animal poses – lots of resources for this on Twinkl including yoga stories

Circuits in coloured activity zones – red = jumping, yellow = catching

Colour walk – how many red, yellow etc objects, flowers, plants, insects can you spot?



Food Technology

Fruit smoothies – using different coloured fruit

Try three different red (colour) foods each week

Make a rainbow plate of food – and eat it!

Red velvet cupcakes, Smartie cookies

Exploring food textures, smells and tastes



Sensory coloured bottles

Coloured gloop / slime

What do colours smell like – red = spicy? – make sensory scented playdough

Songs – I can sing a rainbow, Sing up / Singing hands – 'True colours' – YouTube

Coloured bubbles / glitter etc to add to playdough / slime / bottles

Coloured fabric to peer through / fabric colour mixing

Get an empty plastic bottle and cut off the end. Cover it with an old sock and secure it by folding the sock over or use an elastic band. Dip the sock end of the bottle into bubble solution and blow - look at the shapes of the bubbles and if there is any sunshine look at the colours

