

HOME-SCHOOL LESSON PLANS

KS1 AND KS2

Cover how the changing seasons affect hedgehogs. We have to be aware of the time of year in the hospital as each season brings different problems for the hedgehog. Use the colouring sheet attached to see what the hedgehogs will be doing at different times of the year.

LITERACY

We use descriptive words all the time to explain how a hedgehog is looking and behaving. Use your descriptive words to describe what the hedgehogs do during the seasons. For example: Winter – cold, dark, sleep. Spring – wake-up, hungry. Summer – warm, lots of food, babies. Autumn – hungry, nest building, raining.

MATHS

We use maths every day in the hospital to work out the correct food and medication. You can practise your weighing skills at home. The average adult hedgehog weighs around 800g. What can you find around the house that weighs the same as a hedgehog?

COOKING

We love cookies and cakes in the hospital especially if they are hedgehog shaped, see if you can bake a hedgehog cake!

STORY TIME

Every hedgehog that comes through our doors has a story to tell. What is your favourite hedgehog story you have read? Or have you written one? Have a look at what hedgehog stories are out there, and have a go writing one yourself!

CRAFTS

There are so many hedgehog craft ideas including pebble-art, pom-pom hedgehogs, leafy hogs, and pine-cone hedgehogs. There are activity sheets on our website you can check out to help you get crafty!

Whatever you do and make, please share it with us! We would love to see your hedgehog lockdown ideas.

HAVE FUN!









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