



# Home Learning

Hi Hummingbirds, happy Wednesday. Only 2 more days of home schooling before a 3 day weekend as Friday is VE day. Are you doing anything at home to celebrate? I know lots of you are using busy things to play games on. Ava's mummy managed to get a generic log on for all of nursery so if yours doesn't work you can try this one: Username – home61 and password – red61. Thank you again Alida.

Have a lovely day,

Mrs Wolfreys

Today is: Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May

**Today's tasks are** (please see the timetable sent out previously for a recommended structure of the day however this is not a structure you need to follow for nursery but just guidance):

**Pencil Control/Fine Motor Skills:** Some more pattern drawing today, this really helps with pencil control and movement. If your child is finding this easy, making the pattern smaller. If your child is finding it tricky, make the pattern bigger. Check the end of this letter for some pattern ideas. Encourage them to use a pencil/pen for these patterns although you can also use one finger and draw them in a tray of sand/flour/shaving foam.

**Maths/Literacy:** Today we are going to be looking at adding. For adding we count each side and then we count altogether. First listen to this story called 'animals on board' which is all about adding. The link is: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JkDzsmMhwBc> Then have a go at the adding worksheet at the end of this letter. Grown-ups, children can find it easier using objects to count and add. If they are finding the pictures tricky give them objects to use instead. It is easier because they can move them so know when they have been counted. You can also do this if you don't have a printer, or you can just count the pictures on the screen.

**Phonics:** Time for another sound story all about the sound 'f'. Can you hear the sound? Can you spot the sound? Can you think of any other words starting with an 'f'? Can you write your own story using words that start with 'f'?

Frank the Frog swam up the river following his friend, Fred the fish. The river had flooded and water has flowed over the flowers. They had fun playing in the flowers. "I can see a face" said Frank, he was frightened.

"It's just Finlay the Fox" said Fred. Finlay was a friendly fox who loved finding out facts about minibeasts! Suddenly, Frida the Fat Fly flew over

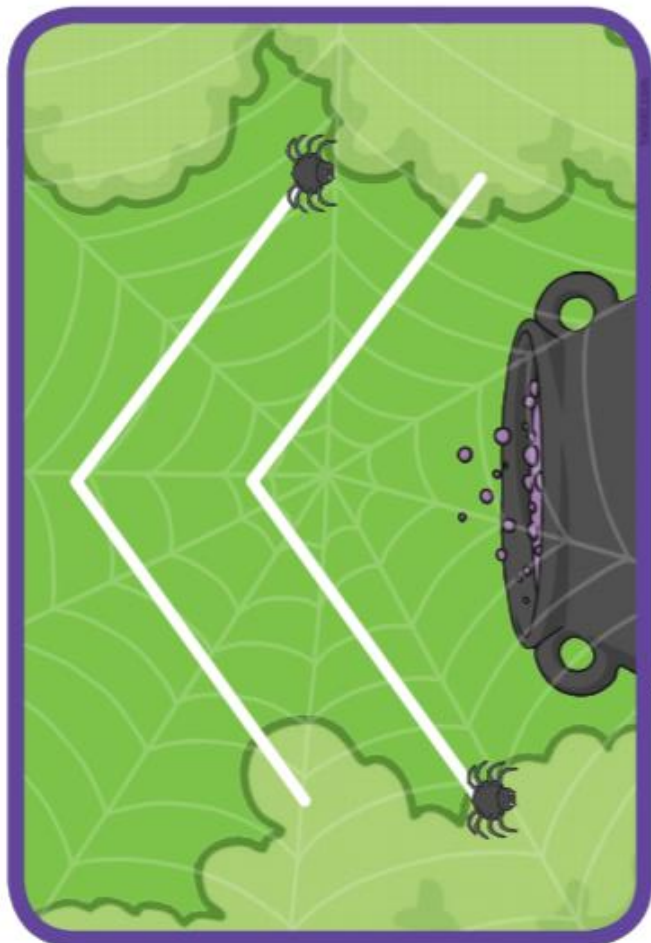
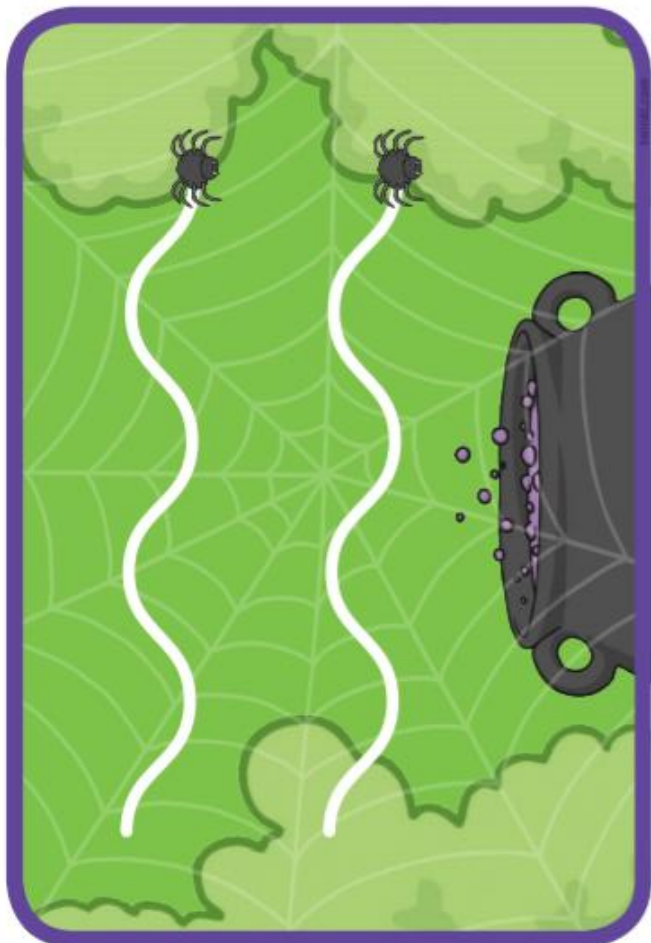
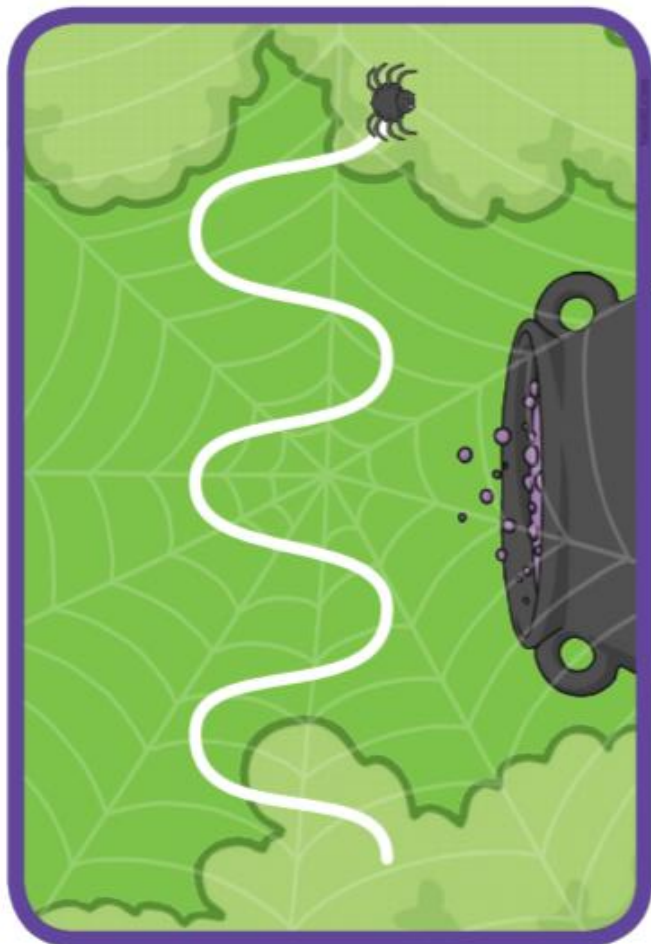
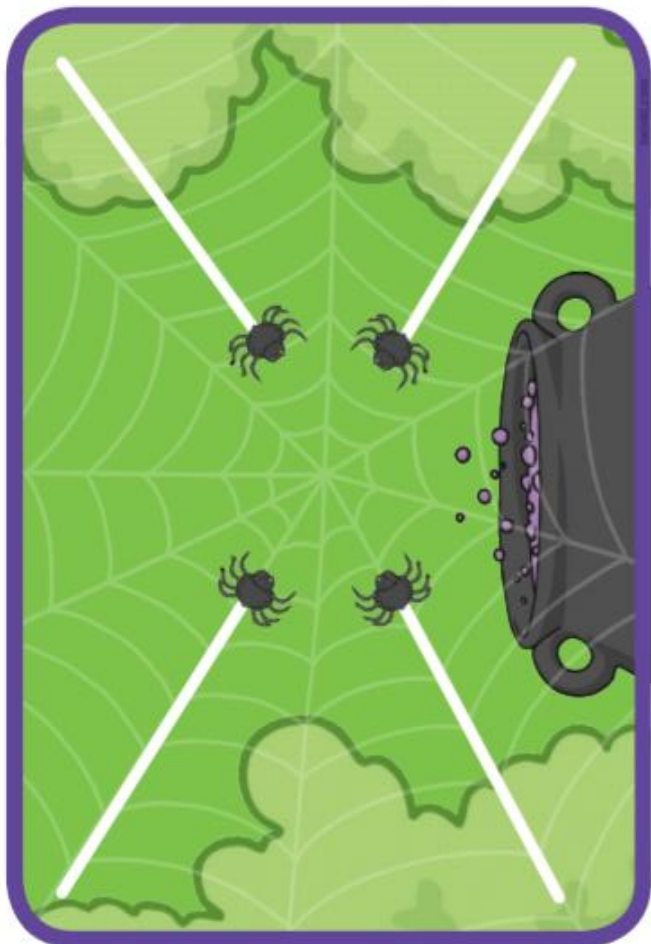
to them. She had brought a bag of food. She loved food. Together the friends fed on figs, fruit and French fries. They had such a feast.

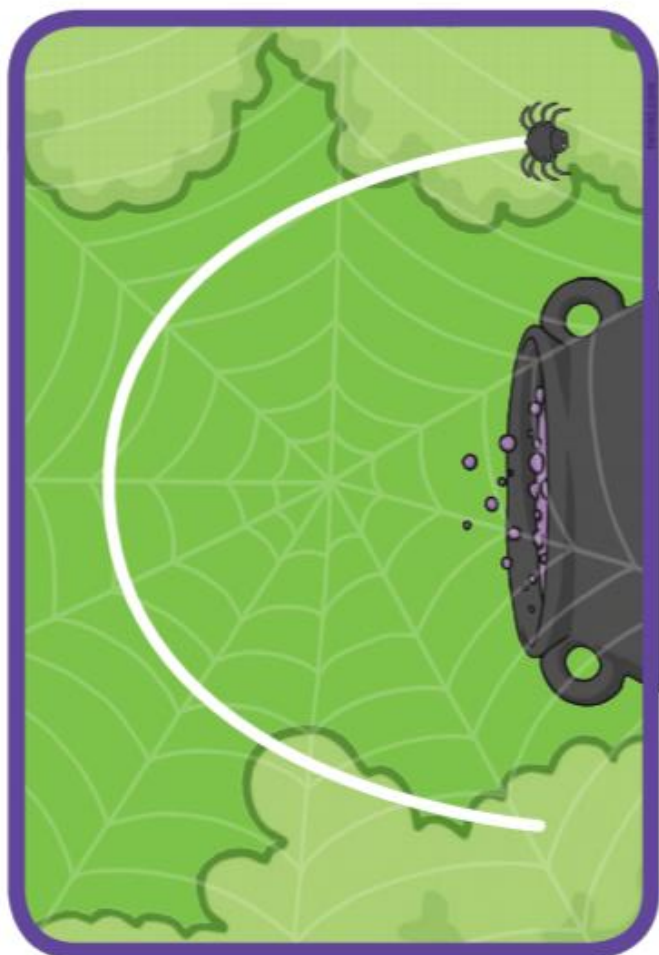
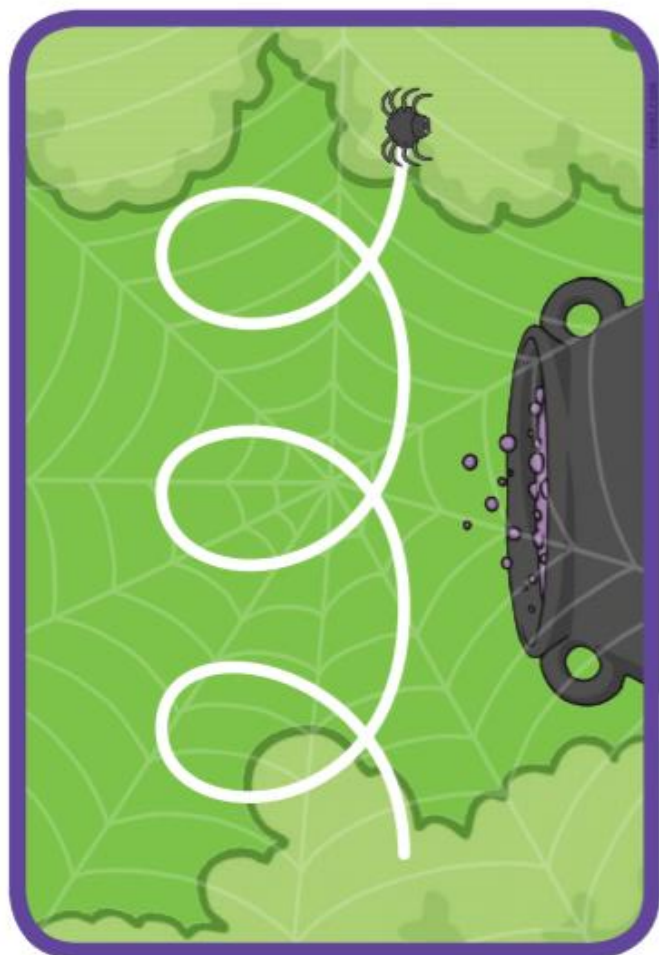
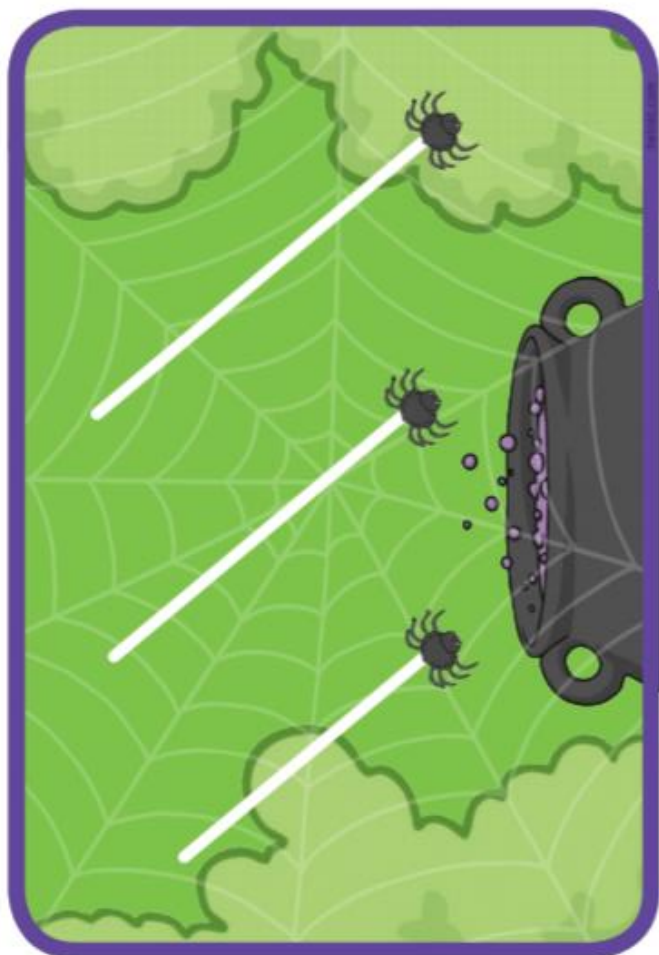
**Topic:** Today I want you to think about the number 8. I wonder why we are thinking about that number. What has 8 legs? Of course, a spider! Can you think of anything else that has 8 legs? Do you know a shape that has 8 sides? So today I would like you to count objects in your house to 8. I wonder what you can find 8 of.

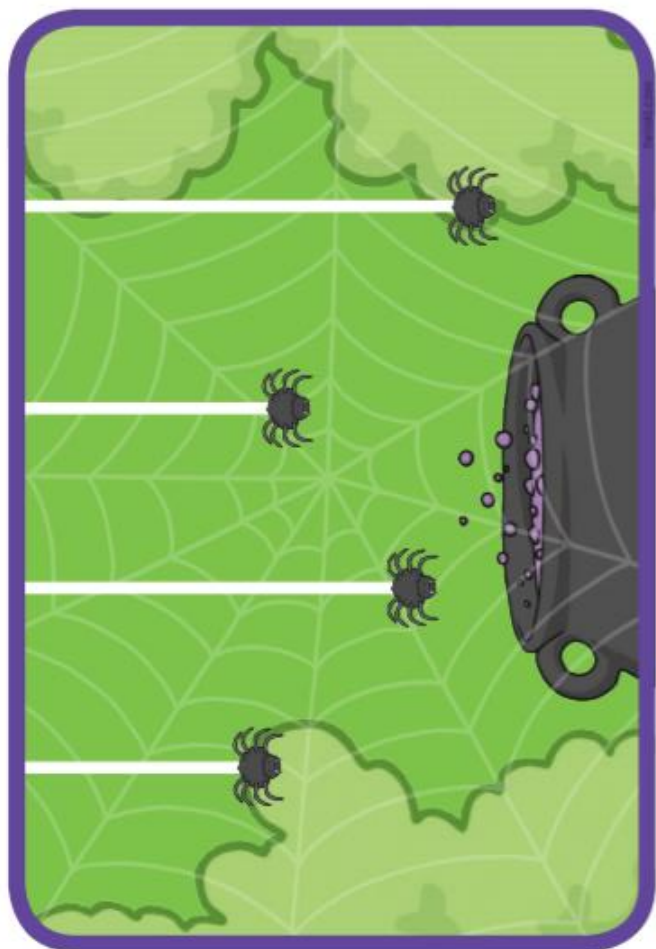
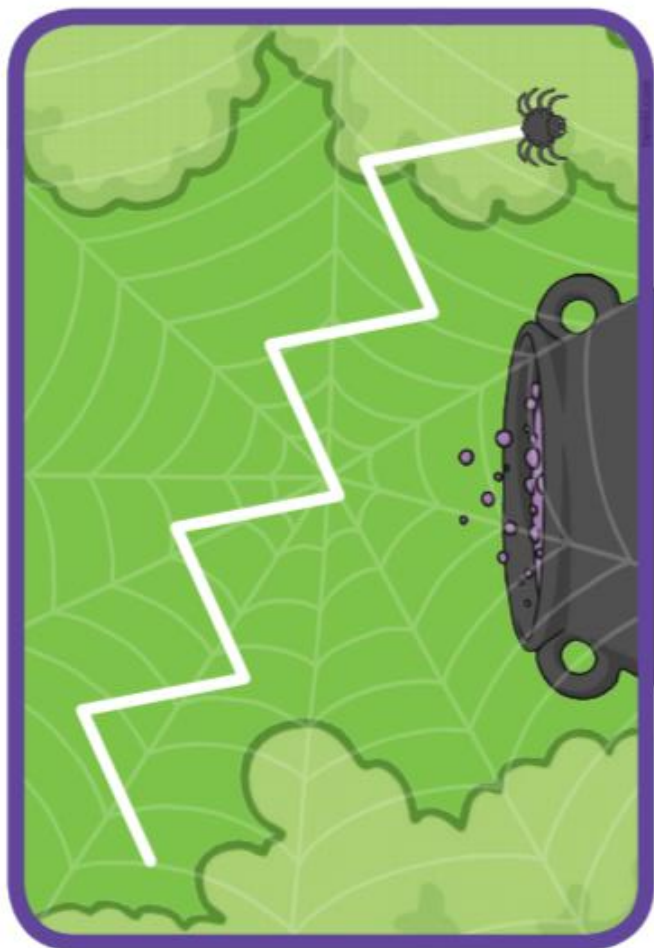
**Daily Challenges:**

- An extra phonics challenge today. Watch this video on blending and see if you can join in with reading the words with me. The link is: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= Z295RIIWnY>
  - A rhyming game today:  
[http://www.literactive.com/Download/live.asp?swf=story\\_files/washing\\_line\\_rhyme\\_US.swf](http://www.literactive.com/Download/live.asp?swf=story_files/washing_line_rhyme_US.swf)
  - You can also find rhyming games on busy things!
  - Have a go at playing 'feed the monkey' on busy things. When logging in go to the nursery page, then maths, then counting. You will find the game here.
  - Parent challenge: Don't forget to email me for your log in and password so you can access the games on busy things!
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- Any questions please do email me I will be in school on some days but I will try to respond ASAP.

Fine Motor Skills:

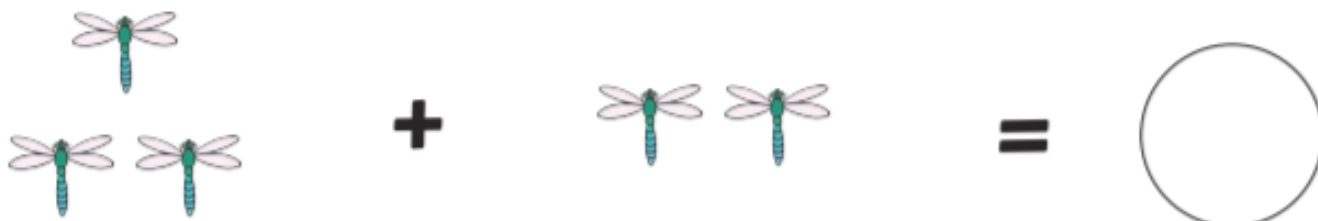






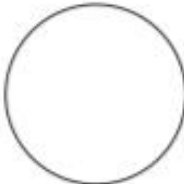
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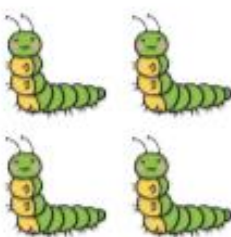
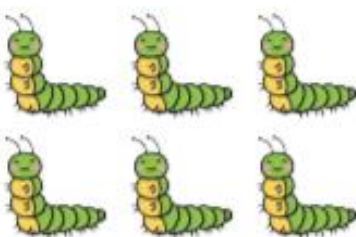
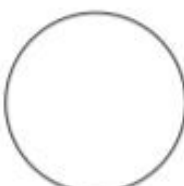
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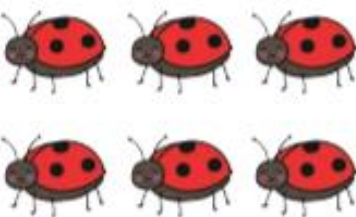
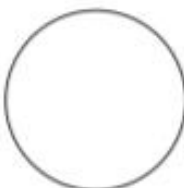
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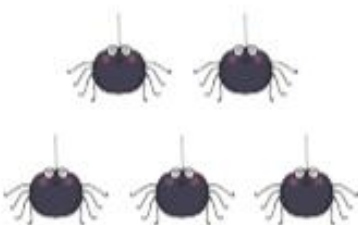
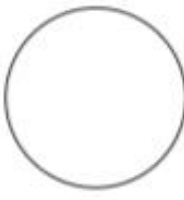
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# Garden Missing Sounds

Can you fill in the missing sounds to complete the words, using the letter combinations below?

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