Challenges - Reception

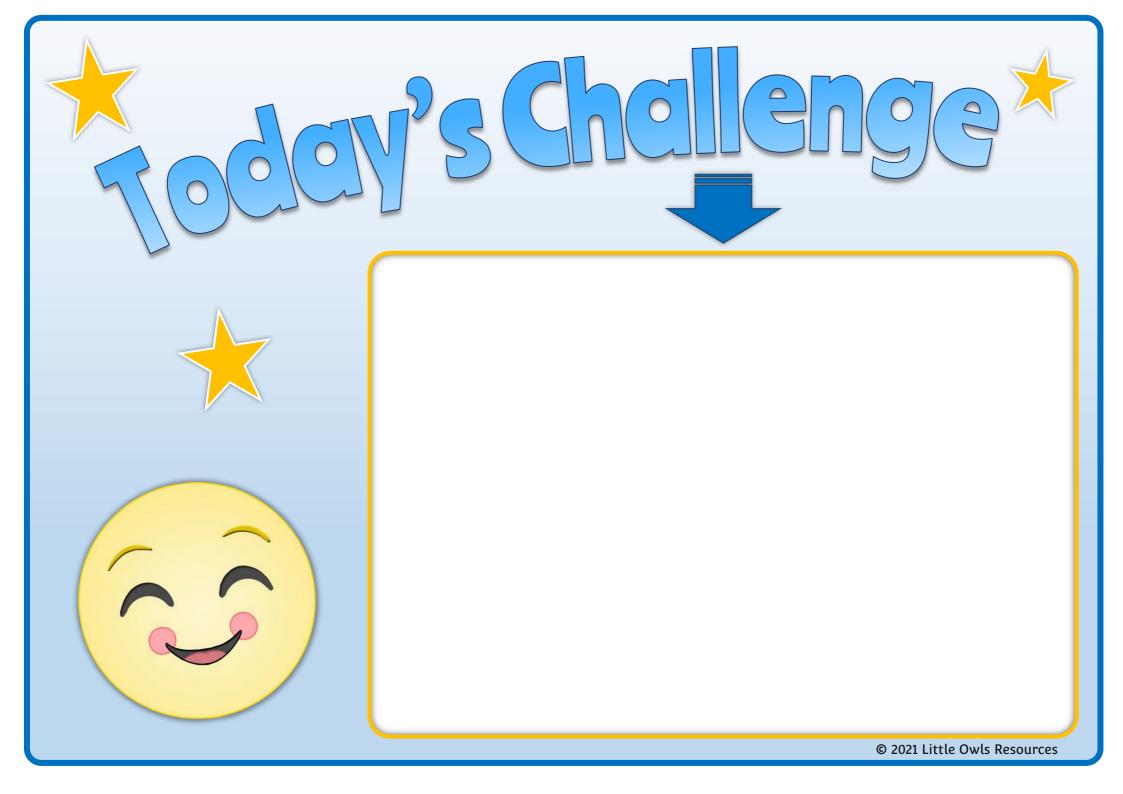
This pack is intended to be used as an interactive challenge display. The first two sheets have a space that, once laminated, can have challenges written in using a whiteboard pen.

Alternatively, the challenge cards later in the pack can be cut and laminated and stuck on the display as a challenge starter.

For many of the challenges, some measure of independence is intended, however, the younger the child is the more scaffolding their learning will require.

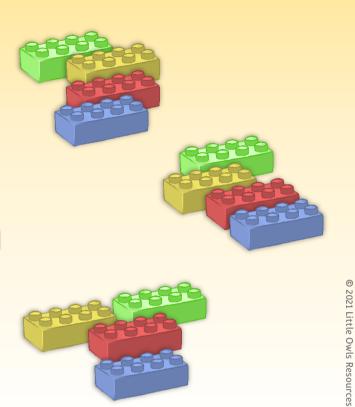




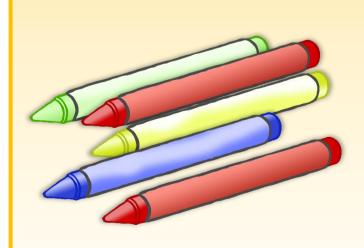




Put the same number of bricks in each pile.



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Grab a handful of crayons.

Estimate how many there are before counting them to check.

Roll the dice.
Count the dots.
What is one more than that?



+1

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-1

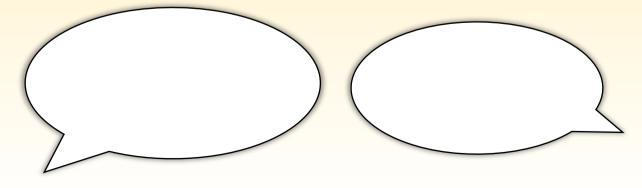
Roll the dice. Count the dots.

What is one less than that?

Look at a photograph. Talk with a friend about what you can see.

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Have a chat with a friend about what you watched on TV last night.



Talk about a



occasion that happened at your home.

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Tell someone about your favourite story.
What happens?

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Tell a friend something funny that happened to you.



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Talk about your family using a funny sounding voice!

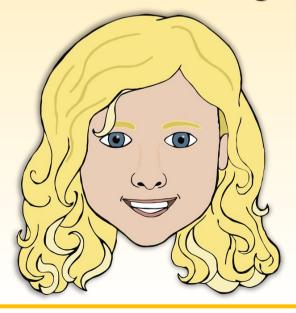
Say something very kind to someone else.



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Sit with two friends. Take turns to talk about what makes you happy.



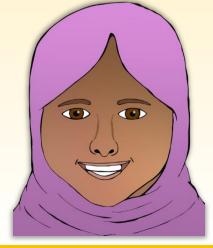
Draw a picture of a time you were sad.

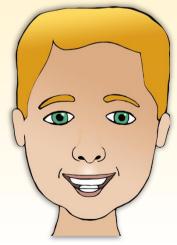


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Smile chain!

Pass a smile to a friend and then tell them to pass the smile on!





Feel your heartbeat.

Now run on the spot whilst you count to 10.

Then jump 10 times.

Then hop 10 times.

Now feel your heartbeat again.

Is it different?



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Play throw and catch with a friend. Count your catches!

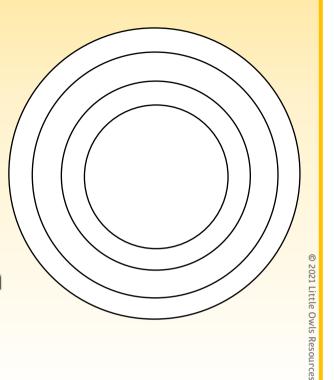






Draw a circle on a page. Now draw a circle inside the first one. Now draw another circle inside that.

How many circles can you draw before they get too small?



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Talk with a friend or a grown-up about all the ways you keep yourself healthy.

Write some letters and sounds that you know on a piece of paper.
Now challenge a friend to read them.

Did they get them right?

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Write a list of any words you can see displayed around you.

Can you sound them out?

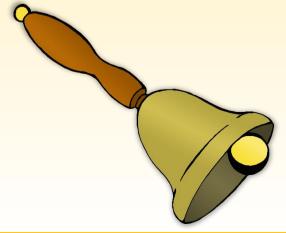
Talk about your family.

How is it different from your friend's family?

How is it different from your Teacher's family?

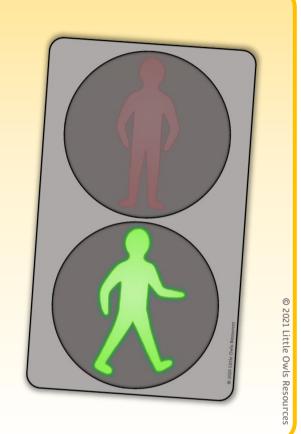
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Draw a picture to show what school was like for your parents or your grandparents.



Talk with a friend about what you see on your journey to school in the mornings.

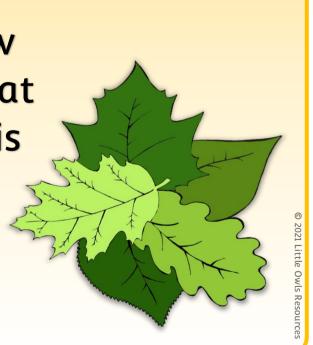
Draw a picture to show your journey.



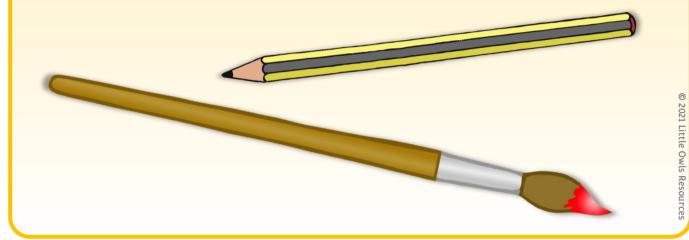
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Investigate the outdoor area. Draw and write about what you can see. What is natural?

What is made by humans?



Draw or paint a picture of the outdoor area.

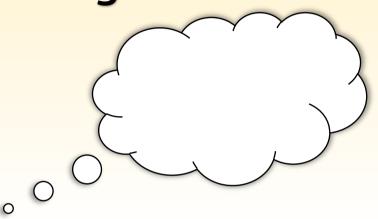


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Clap a short pattern for your friend to copy.

Now copy their short clapping pattern.

Use playdough to make a new animal from your imagination.



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Sing a song to a small group of friends.



Pretend to be your teacher and ask your teacher to pretend to be a child.

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Can you make a model of a spaceship that could take you to Mars?

