Home Learning Tasks - Week beginning 11th May

This week we are thinking about how we grow and change. Adults, here are a few ideas for activities that you could try with your child:

Can you encourage your child to talk about how they have changed since they were a baby? What can they do now that they couldn't do as a baby / a toddler? Look at a family photo if you can. What differences do they notice? E.g eye colour, hair colour, height, size.

Ask your child to draw a picture of their family. Can they add some initial sounds for names, e.g 'm' for 'mum', 'd' for 'dad' or the first letter of brothers' or sisters' names to label the people in the picture?

Talk about the people in the picture. Which people are the oldest / youngest? What about their grandparents? Talk about relationships e.g that grandparents are the children's mum's & dad's parents.

Look at the resources for this week. There are colouring pages showing people at different stages of life. Children could colour them in & then cut them out & place them in order. If you prefer, there is a cut and stick sheet, where the children can cut out the pictures and stick them in order on the sheet. They can choose a boy or a girl — or both!

We are thinking about using words to describe where something is. Ask your child to choose a favourite teddy or toy & play a game with them: ask them to put the toy on, under, on top of, next to, in front of, behind etc a chair / table / bed. Then you hide the toy and ask the child to say where it is — who will be the winner?

Look at the F1 tasks on the website and find the 'Teddy cut & stick' folder. Let the children cut out the furniture and place them on the picture. Then play a game - read the instructions and see if they can put Teddy in the correct place. They could earn a point each time they are correct. Maybe they can count their total number at the end of the game.