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Literacy

This week, the children will be looking at recapping past events and be supported in making marks to represent these events. The children will be encouraged to talk about the work they have done and show confidence in sharing this within a small group. Making conversations about things you may have done over the weekend is a great way to support this. We will also be supporting our pre-writing skills this week by wrapping elastic bands around pine cones. This allows the children to explore their pincer grip and build on their fine motor skills.

Pre-writing skills

This week, the Hedgehogs' class are going to be developing their fine motor skills, through large mark making. They will be holding paint sticks to create large marks on large paper. Including straight lines, circles and wavy lines. At home you could provide the children with large paper or chalk in the garden. Ask the children to create circles, wavy lines, horizontal and vertical lines too.

Maths

This week, the Hedgehogs' class will be exploring shapes. They will be identifying a rectangle and its different properties. For example, how many sides a rectangle has and how many straight sides. At home, you could ask your child to find rectangular objects. Remember to explain that a rectangle has 4 pointed corners.