

## Daily Activity



### A germ experiment & number hunt at home - 06.07.21

Children are becoming more aware of the importance of washing their hands.

This activity will provide an opportunity to talk to your child and answer some questions about the importance of hand hygiene.

Here is a scientific but fun way to visually see the impact of cleaning products.

#### You will need:

- Small tray or plate
- Beaker
- Pepper
- Cotton buds
- Washing up liquid
- Small pot
- Food colouring



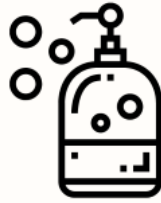
Let your child add the food colouring to the beaker of water. Pour this onto the tray/plate. Let them shake the pepper (representing the germs) on top of the coloured water. Dip a cotton bud into a small pot of washing up liquid (representing the soap we use to wash our hands). Then place the cotton bud into the middle of the peppery water. Watch the pepper spread and move away from the cotton bud with the washing up liquid on it.

#### Talk about:

- What happens when we use soap?
- How long should we wash our hands for?
- What could we use to wash hands?
- How can we help from spreading germs?
- Does it help us remove germs from our hands when we use soap?

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## Number Hunt at home



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Challenge your child to be number hunter!  
You will need pen/pencil and paper.

1.

Pretend you've  
lost numbers  
around the  
house.

2.

Help your child  
look around the  
house to find  
numbers.

3.

Write the  
numbers  
down as you  
find them.

See if your child can try and write the numbers  
too. Maybe you could even sort the numbers in to  
order.



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