



Reception Homework - 24.03.17



This week at school your child has been learning about money. The children have sorted coins up to the value of 20p and have been encouraged to identify and name them. They have also bought items from a shop up to the value of 10p or 20p selecting the appropriate coins to pay for the item.

Please support this learning by allowing your child to handle money at home and encouraging them to use language related to money.

Ideas for activities at home could include: -

- Sorting and naming coins in your child's money box.
- Encouraging your child to count coins. Act as a role model by tipping out the money and counting aloud the number of coins: 'One, two, three, four, five pence.'
- Playing shops. Most children love playing shops because they can use previous experience of family shopping. Children will learn through role play to associate price tags with the value of the coins in their purses / wallets. It also helps to develop their confidence in using the quantitative, technical and descriptive language of money and shopping and makes them more conscious of the function of shops in our daily lives.

Have fun with these activities at home and it would be fantastic if you could share your child's learning at home in a "WOW Moment" to share in school!

