

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May

Today's home learning activity:

LO: We are learning to recognise coins and understand their value.

Today I would like you to spend some time learning about money and the coins we have in the UK.

Gather a small amount of money, if possible get at least one of all of these coins:



Look carefully at the coins think about and describe their:

- Size
- Shape
- Colour

Play some games to help you remember and recognise the coins. My favourite game is to put the coins in a bag, sneakily take one coin out and hold it in your hand. Describe the coin you are holding e.g. 'It is a small silver coin and it is a circle.' Can your partner guess which coin you are holding? Here are some other ideas:

Ask someone to hide the coins around the house for you, find the coins and put them order of value (1p to £2).

Play a game a bit like rock, paper, scissors (you would need quite a few coins). Play with a partner; you each need a little bag or purse of coins. Say "1, 2, 3, show" and each pull a coin out of your bag. If they match, put them in the middle of the table. Keep going until somebody has run out of coins.

If you think of some interesting games please let me know and I'll share them with the class.

*Parents – if your child can already confidently recognise the coins and say what they are worth they may enjoy the more challenging questions and activities on the Twinkl PowerPoint I have uploaded.*

Have a good day,

Mrs White