



Enrichment Activity: Knitting club	Description:	
Objectives: To raise self-esteem and confidence. To develop fine motor skills. To learn about knitting from a range of cultures and why people knitted.	Date: Spring 2	Duration: 1 hour.
Programme of Study: Art D and T		
Progression of Learning and Teaching: Key Teaching Points		Resources needed
Week 1: Watch you tube clip on knitting, discuss what they could make and what things are knitted and there use. Show children a picture of an egg pouch for Easter they are going to create. Have prepared sets of needles with 30 stiches cast on. Show children how to knit a stich and pass over to next needle. Children to practise knitting a row. Explain to ch that they can start again. Emphasis the need to not drop a stich.		Knitting needles Different colour of wools.
Week 2: Children to practise how to purl. Once leant, practise knit a row, purl a row.		
Week 3: Children to decide which knitting pattern they want to use, all knit or knit a row and purl a row. Children to either continue or begin their egg pouch.		
Week 4: Ch to complete knitting. When complete, show ch how to cast off. Ch to place a cream egg in their pouch and tie a ribbon around.		
Outcome: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To develop levels of self-esteem and confidence in knitting. • To develop resilience when faced with a challenge. • To produce a knitted egg pouch for Easter . 		