How you can help your child at home.

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Many parents have asked me how they can support their child at home within their learning. Here are some suggestions for you. Should you require any further support please don't hesitate to ask me. Thank you.	Practise your reading every day! Read your book, talk about it and then answer questions about the characters, setting and events. Share a bedtime story.	Practise counting forwards and backwards to 100 in ones. Practise counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.	Find 2d and 3d shapes around your home. Record the object that you found, what shape it is and whether it is 2d or 3d.
Solve addition and subtraction facts.	Discuss coins and notes. Can your child identify all of the coins and notes? When you visit the shop, can you discuss the change?	Ask questions such as, if today is Friday, what day will it be tomorrow? What days are the weekends?	Can your child tell the time to the hour and half past the hour?
Practise your spellings.	When walking down the street discuss odd and even numbers.	Encourage your child to sit letters on the line and use cursive handwriting.	Write a sentence that contains a question mark.
Match uppercase letters to lowercase letters.	Write a shopping list. Write a story. Write a poem.	Bake a cake together discussing weight and ingredients.	Read, read, read! Read anything from lists to stories.

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