

# WALL SPACE

EVERYDAY ACTIVITIES TO REINFORCE  
LITERACY AND NUMERACY SKILLS



## MEASUREMENT



### Child's Play

*What's the time  
Mr Wolf?*

**ESTIMATE** how much  
vegetables and fruit  
**WEIGH** and check the  
weight at the supermarket  
or at home.

- **HEIGHT CHART:** Record your child's growth on a height chart and discuss how much they have grown
- **TIME:** Talk about events in terms of time
  - Clock time - (refer to the clock)
  - Calendar time - days, months, seasons
  - Length of time to complete an activity - half an hour, 45 minutes

- **BAKING** with your children helps them to develop
  - Measurement skills
  - Understanding of Fractions
  - Co-ordination
  - Oral language
  - A love of cooking

- **TAKE A TRIP**  
Estimate how long it will take to read a destination travelling at a set speed and time the trip.  
e.g. to travel 60 kms at 100 kms per hour

I would love to hear how these activities worked for you, ideas that you have found beneficial with your children or areas that you would like to hear more about.

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leave suggestions in the box in the office.

