



# Children's Centre Activity Chests



Based on The Early Years Foundation Stage Principles

## Learning and Development 4.4 Areas of Learning and Development

### Creative Development

- Making play dough and playing with it
- Mixing paint colours
- Making collages of different colours
- Using shakers try to make different sounds
- Tasting and making different food used in the celebrations of different festivals

### Problem Solving, Reasoning and Numeracy

- The honeycomb game
- Shape sorter
- Sorting the items which belong in each of the different coloured boxes
- Puzzle



## Colours and Festivals

### Communication, Language and Literacy

- Puppets
- Stories
- Role play
- Discussing different festivals and sharing own experiences

### Physical Development

- Parachute games as a group
- Role play
- Using the shape sorter ball babies may be encouraged to crawl/ move after it
- puppets



### Knowledge and Understanding of the World

- Making play dough with the children letting the experiment with the different food colourings, using the coloured aprons
- Looking at the book what's my colour and discuss the different animals colours
- Talk about the different festivals and what happens during them,
- Kippers birthday book

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Puppets
- Sharing
- Taking turns
- Favourite colours
- What festivals to you celebrate?
- How do different colours make you feel? What do they remind you of?