

Cumbria County Council

*Early Years Team*

**What can I do  
today?**



**This week it is...socks**

## **Thursday – words and rhymes**

- How many words can you think of that rhyme with sock or socks? Here are some ideas - rock, block, fox, clock, shock, box, locks, dock, flock.
- When you have come up with some rhyming words can you put them in a rhyming sentence? Such as, “I spied a fox in purple socks.”
- Can you now make a short or longer poem? Such as “I spied a fox in purple socks, when he saw me, he jumped in a box.”
- Can you think of words that alliterate? That is words that have the same first letter. Here are some ideas – silly socks, slipy socks, soft socks...can these be added to your poem?
- Can you remember sock sentences? Take it in turns to add a new word and remember the other words such as - I have a red sock - I have a soft, red sock - I have a soft, red, jumping sock...each person adds a new word. It can be as silly as you like!
- You could read *Fox in Socks by Dr. Seuss* for more rhymes.