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| Bunbury Aldersey CE  Primary School**Rural Church School Academy Trust**  Fine Motor Skills Progression | | | | | | | | |
|  | **1.5 – 2 years old** | **2 – 2.5 years old** | **2.5 – 3 years old** | **3 – 3.5 years old** | **3.5 – 4 years old** | **4 – 4.5 years old** | **4.5 – 5 years old** | **5 – 5.5 years old** |
| **Expectation** | Can put rings on pegs  Begins to hold a crayon with finger and thumb  Removes pegs from a peg board  Marks or scribbles with a crayon/pencil  Open loosely wrapped packages  Can turn pages in a book one at a time  Can build a tower 3-4 blocks high | Manipulates dough with fingers (pinching, rolling, stretching)  Can build a tower 4-7 blocks high  Makes scribbles on paper  Can turn door knobs | Can complete 3 piece puzzles  Can build a tower 9 blocks high  Can wash hands independently  Able to string large beads  Able to use a spoon correctly  Screw lids on and off containers | Can copy some pre-writing lines (vertical and circle shapes)  Able to string ½ inch beads  Can sort objects by colour, size, type etc.  Big tweezers for large items | Can copy most pre- writing lines (horizontal, wavy, zigzag)  Able to complete lacing cards  Able to fasten and unfasten large buttons.  Can draw a circle after being shown model  Big tweezers for medium items | Can touch the tip of each finger to their thumb  Fasten and unfasten large buttons  Completes puzzles of 4-5 pieces  Can copy shapes, right and left oblique lines ‘/’ ‘\’, square and x shapes  Cut curved and straight lines  Big tweezers for small items  Begins to print name  Use a knife to chop fruit and veg | Get dressed and undressed without support  Use a fork correctly  Colour a picture with more accuracy  Uses dominant hand  Cuts out circles and squares  Small tweezers with resistance for smaller items  Writes own name  Spread using a knife.  Grate foods with a variety of textures and hardness using a mini grater | Grasps a pencil correctly  Write name with accurate letter formation  Copies a triangle shape  Cuts out complex shapes  Opens a lock with a key  Draw a diamond when modelled  Draws a person with at least 6 different body parts  Combine cooking ingredients using a variety of tools (fork, spoon, whisk) |
| **Resources** | Rings/mug trees  Crayons/pencils  Large pegs ad peg boards  Loosely wrapped packages  Board books  Wooden blocks | Dough  Blocks  Paper and crayons/ pencils  Door knobs/bolts | 3 piece puzzles  Blocks  Large beads and string  Spoons  Screw on lids and containers | Pre-writing lines  ½ inch beads and string  Sorting objects and containers  Big tweezers and large items (2inchs) | Pre-writing lines, lacing cards and string, large buttons on material with button holes  Paper, crayons and pencils  Big tweezers and medium items (1-2 inches) | Finger rhymes,  Large buttons on material with button holes,  4-5 piece puzzles  Copy shapes and lines  Big tweezers for small items (<1inch)  Safety knives  Copping boards | Dressing up clothes and PE kit  Forks  Colouring sheets and pencils  Small tweezers and small items (<1inch)  Safety knives  graters | Pencils  Paper  Shapes to copy  Locks and keys  Shoes with laces  Forks, whisks, spoons |