

## Queen's Birthday Activities

On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April we will be celebrating the Queen's 94<sup>th</sup> birthday, our nurseries for a day of fun, cooking, crafts and community.

We'd love you to join us. Here's some activities for you to do at home. Please do share what you have been up to on our Facebook @inspiringkindrednurseries.

Join us for the Tiger came to Tea story time at 3pm on our Kindred Facebook page.



### Activities for the day:

- ✓ Plan a royal Red White and Blue tea party with your family and teddies.
- ✓ Bake some scones ready for your party
- ✓ Make a crown or tiara
- ✓ Write a birthday card to the Queen
- ✓ Join our Storytime session at 3pm @inspiringkindrednurseries

We'd love to see your creations, please share them with us!  
Have fun!

Creating **awe** and **wonder** in every moment

# Delicious Scones fit for the Queen

## Ingredients

225g self raising flour

- 55g butter
- 25g caster sugar
- 150ml milk
- Pinch of salt
- Milk to glaze



Enjoy with some tasty clotted cream and jam!

## Method

- ✓ With help from your grown up turn on your oven to Gas Mark 7/ 220 to preheat .
- ✓ Mix the butter salt and flour together.
- ✓ Next stir in the milk and sugar this will begin to form a dough.
- ✓ Sprinkle some flour onto a worksurface and begin to knead the dough.
- ✓ Roll the dough out until it is roughly 2cm thick.
- ✓ Use a circle cutter to cut out your round scones.
- ✓ Brush the cut-out circles with milk.
- ✓ With help from your grown-up place on baking tray and put in the over for 15minutes or when risen and golden brown.
- ✓ Cool and serve with yummy cream and jam.



## Resources

What can you find outside on your daily walks?

- ✓ Leaves in all shapes
- ✓ Fallen Flowers
- ✓ Stones – for royal gems
- ✓ White Paper

If you have arts and craft materials at home, you can use these too!

## Instructions

First search for some natural fallen materials whilst on your daily walks or maybe from the garden. This could be leaves or fallen flowers and discuss how you could use these items on your crowns.

Use the white paper to make a band round your head. Cut to size and style you would like.

Decorate your crown using your natural resources and stick by using glue.

You can add other arts and craft materials that you may have at home and add some colour with colouring pens/pencils.

## Learning Goals

This activity provides an opportunity to explore the natural environment looking at the effects from when leaves/flowers fall.

It enables children to be creative with making their own crown and encourages them to think about how they would like their crown to look whilst on a search for these items.

There are many teaching moments you can include to support your child's learning and imagination. Here is some question you might like to ask whilst doing this activity together:

- ✓ **How many items did you collect?**
- ✓ **What do they feel like?**
- ✓ **What do they look like?**
- ✓ **What might this be?**

# Send the Queen a birthday card

Create the Queen a beautiful birthday card. You can use the template on the next page or create your own one.

Send it in the post to:  
Her Majesty, The Queen  
Buckingham Palace  
London  
SW1A 1AA

Why not take a picture of your cards and send it to us, we'd loved to see them!



# Happy 94<sup>TH</sup> Birthday

## Queen Elizabeth

I have drawn you a picture of.....

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From .....