



Interventions at St James' Infant and Nursery School

LDA Cutting Skills Programme

How it works

Many children come to us in school with poor fine motor skills. In the Early Years we support this through many activities such as Funky Fingers, Loose Parts, Finger Gym, Dough Disco and Squiggle while you wiggle.

However, often the issue lies with basic cutting skills. When this has been identified we use the LDA programme which supports this skill.

It is delivered in a fun way which allows the pupils to build robots, design flags, make spinning snakes, pack for a journey and learn how to develop scissor techniques without even noticing.

"Cutting Skills" contains imaginative and challenging activities to help children to develop hand to eye co-ordination, motor skills and scissor control. The varied activities introduce and extend a wide range of cutting skills in a fun and original way.

