



## Winterbourne E.L.P

Hello, we do hope that you are all keeping well and staying safe.

Some of you have had a go at Bucket Time after watching the Gina Davies videos. You may have run into a few problems and have some questions. Here is the next video from Gina Davies explaining what to do when things get tricky.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gRqDVHqG75o#action=share>

At school your child has learnt to anticipate what is going to happen next at Bucket Time. In the next video, Gina Davies explains how you could adapt this approach to use at home.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1SBbofzKNxM#action=share>

Now that the weather is getting warmer, some of you may be embarking on helping your child to make the transition from nappies to using a potty or a toilet.

Using a visual timetable can help your child understand what is going to happen next and the order in which this is going to happen.

The Twinkl website provides lots of useful resources including visual timetables for various home routines.

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/>

Visit their site and type in 'visual timetables using the toilet'.

# *Singing Hands*

Singing Hands are a singing duo, who have released a number of DVD's and can also be found on YouTube. They each have a child with additional needs. They use Makaton signing when performing songs and rhymes, including some that your children will be familiar with, as well as other popular music. These are a brilliant way to improve your signing and help your child, at the same time!

They have organised a programme of events across the week on either YouTube or by Zoom and your child may find these entertaining.

**MONDAY 10.30AM**

Makaton signed story on YouTube and Facebook

**TUESDAY 10.30AM**

Pre-school Rhymes and Action Songs on Zoom\*

**WEDNESDAY 10.30AM**

Makaton signing with topic focus on Facebook

**THURSDAY 10.30AM**

Makaton action songs on Zoom\*

**FRIDAY 10.30AM**

Makaton Songs and Games on YouTube and Facebook

\*If you go on the Singing Hands website, then follow the links 'What we do' and 'forthcoming events', you can sign up for the 30 minute Zoom sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays

If you go on their Facebook page and look under videos, you will find lots of signed songs and stories.

Remember you can always get in touch with us via email if you have any questions you would like to ask us.

**Stay Safe!**