

**BUTLER
DIARIES**

A circular, cracked, and damaged object with a blue and gold pattern. The pattern consists of intricate, repeating floral or geometric motifs. The object is heavily cracked, with several large, irregular white gaps where the surface has broken away, revealing a lighter, possibly white, material underneath. The edges are jagged and uneven. A bright white highlight is visible on the lower right side of the object.

PROMPT 2: REPAIR
MEND AND FIX DAY
RESOURCE PACK

Instructions

1) Invite families. Invite families to participate by bringing in items to be mended. Asking families to attend the day and help mend and repair will assist in making the day more successful.

2) Have resources ready. Have lots of mending resources ready such as glue, sewing kits, toolboxes, etc. You can even ask families to bring these in on the day.

3) Set up 'Mending Stations.' On the day, set up mending stations so clothes go to one for sewing, another station is set up for gluing, and another for larger items requiring tools, etc.



A close-up photograph of a hand holding a metal hook, likely used for felting wool. The hand is positioned at the top left, and a piece of bright orange wool is being worked on at the bottom. The background is a soft, out-of-focus white.

You're Invited Family Notice

We are holding a 'Mend and Fix Day' and we want you to join us! Please bring in an item on the day to be mended and stay and lend a hand mending something!

We would love it if you could let the educators know beforehand what you will bring in to mend and what you would be happy to help mend on the day.

Some ideas include; clothes, small furniture, toys to be fixed, etc.

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Kind regards,

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Extension Ideas

Expand this to the community

If it goes well, expand your Mend and Fix Days to get the whole community involved!

Hold a Restoration Day

Invite families to assist in a day that focuses on restoring the Service.

Don't forget to record all your learning in your Our Sustainable Year Wall Calendar.

