

Early Years and Primary Home Education – Summer 2 weeks 3 and 4
Story Time – Healthy/Active ME!



Wherever possible, adding creative elements to stories will extend your child's attention and inspire communication.

Don't worry if you don't have some of the resources for storytelling, allow yourself to be flexible and adapt to suit you and your child.

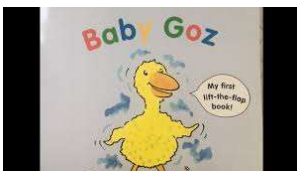


Makaton

At school we encourage and promote Makaton every day.
During the 'Singing Hands' videos join in with the signing wherever possible and Remember – Have Fun!

A simple story

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NPAzOEtkZIQ&t=11s>



Goz sets off to find his Mother. Listen and watch as they lift the flaps to help him on his search! Your child will enjoy the simple, lively stories and vivid, witty illustrations

Singing Hands

A more complex picture book story:



They laugh, they sing, they dance. They are amazing - just like you are!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tSy8KNwcjno>

Strathmore learners love...



Barefoot Books!

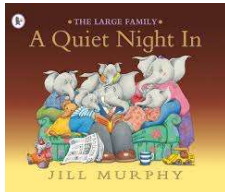
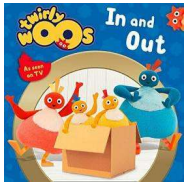
<https://www.barefootbooks.com/kids/animated-videos/>

This website provides videos and songs with lively animations, simple lyrics and catchy tunes. Their singalong songs are a great way to develop reading and listening skills.

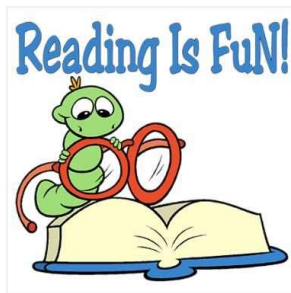
We recommend 'Animal Boogie' – click below to see!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=25_u1GzruQM&t=27s

Every fortnight Mike (who is a familiar teacher to pupils across all 3 of our campuses) will be reading some of his favourite children's stories and uploading them to our YouTube channel. This fortnight he has chosen:



Please follow our Strathmore YouTube channel and search for the above titles to have them read to your child.



Stories

With



Mike

Sensory story to try at home!

All of the resources needed are outlined on the video. The story was chosen specifically considering what household items you may have.

Our music teacher has provided singing too which will support you with the story and will be brilliant for your child to further develop an understanding of how music can help them engage and enjoy the story experiences!

Have fun 😊

Please search on our YouTube channel for Sensory Story: Primary & Secondary.

Strathmore's Recommended Websites **Weeks 3 & 4.**



Book Trust:

Here you will find a selection of classic children's stories that we think you and your family will love. Their storybooks and games are free to use!

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/>

Free Children Stories:

A large selection of animated stories for your child to watch and listen to. Browse stories by age to find one that suits best. Also available in Arabic and Spanish.

<https://www.freechildrenstories.com/>

Differentiated Reading stories:

For those who are able to read, this website has simple stories with sentences and pictures to support early reading.

<http://www.clarkness.com/Single%20Page%20First%20Grade%20Stories%20Collections.htm>