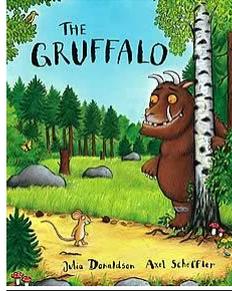


Butterfly class home activities



The story for this week is *The Gruffalo*. You can find this on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s8sUPpPc8Ws>

Once you have watched the story discuss the following with your child :

- How many animals did the mouse meet? Can they remember them all?
- How many warts did the *Gruffalo* have on the end of his nose?
- How many purple prickles can they see on the *Gruffalo's* back?

See if your child can have a go at representing the numbers using their fingers.



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Can they have a go at forming the numbers? You can use pens and paper or try something fun and use their fingers in a tray of flour, sand , salt etc.

This week we would also like you to explore the letter p. Have a look at the link below to see how we pronounce the sounds.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4t9OJI6eX_w

Practise the 'p' sound with your child. Can they point to the pictures that begin with 'p'? Now talk about the other pictures and see if your child can remember the sound they begin with?



Look at our letter formation sheet and see how to form the letter p.

Support your child to form a large letter p in the air with their finger.



Now see if your child can form the letter p . Remember you can do this in a tray of flour, rice, lentils or sand. It doesn't have to be on paper with a pencil. How about making a pizza. You can use a slice of bread and cover it with your favourite toppings.



When your child has learnt the 'p' sound see if they can remember 's', 'a' and 't' from previous weeks.

See if your child can draw a picture of a Gruffalo. They may like to make it a friendly Gruffalo or a scary one



Don't forget to take a photo and email it to us!

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The following link will take you to the Gruffalo website. Once on it if you click the section marked 'posters' (2nd section down) you will find some story pages that may help you explain the importance of staying safe during this time. There are also many different activities on this site to have fun with!

<https://www.gruffalo.com/activities/activities>