



Book to read- 'Aaaarrgghh Spider!'

Listen carefully to the story and discuss. Ask questions to extend your child's learning. There are a number of other great spider books such as -'The Very Busy Spider'

Below are some ideas to develop the different areas of learning, as we do in nursery. Try something new each day.

## Have fun with phonics

Phonics-initial sounds/SATPIN

We are learning to hear and say initial sounds, this week the sound is 'p'

'p' popcorn popping p,p,p

Big Cat phonics -song of sounds <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ZfjUQ6IEQs>

We sing the song of sounds every day in nursery, practise the actions and saying the sounds

<https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/> for some fun phonics games

Can you write the letter 'p' using shaving foam, with chalk on the pavement outside?

Practice writing their name-tracing/copying and independently

## Get Counting!



You can make this game, recognising the numeral and matching quantity to numeral by putting the correct number of pegs on each spider

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/> has some good resources and is free for parents currently



You can make playdough spiders, (recipe on week 1) using pipe cleaner or stick legs to practice counting- legs or eyes!

## Reading

Share story books every day. Turn the pages and talk about what they can see in the pictures.

Listen to stories on cbeebies <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/guide/cbeebies>

## Get moving!

Name writing- Practice writing your name-tracing/copying and independently dressing and undressing

Try Just Dance kids-Itsy Bitsy spider

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J955AqqCJKU>



## Weave a web





Can you make a  
around your hands

If you cut it out and

Hole punch holes

have a big plastic needle, winding sellotape around the end to hold makes it easier. You can use wool or string.



spider handprint? If you don't have paint you can draw

stick it on a paper plate, you can then make a web.

around the edge then use wool to weave a web. If you don't

have a big plastic needle, winding sellotape around the end to hold makes it easier. You can use wool or

string.

## Spider Facts!

How many facts can you learn about spiders?

Baby spiders are called spiderlings.

The book *Are you a spider?* By Judy Allen and *'Spider'* by Alison Steadman has facts on each page.

Watch- Come Outside-Spiders <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UQ2RzDI0vvM>

## What can you hear?

Develop your listening skills by listening to <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/radio>

Play a listening game of your own. Close your eyes, what can you hear outside? Can you hear any sounds in the kitchen? The bathroom? The lounge?

Enjoy listening to stories at bedtime. Talk about the pictures. Listen at bedtime.

Remember you should still be going to sleep at 7pm. There are some lovely sounds to listen to, on Cbeebies radio that will help you fall asleep.

## Learn a Nursery Rhyme - Can you learn a nursery rhyme?



Incy Wincy spider climbed up the water  
spout,

Down came the rain and washed the spider out

Out came the sunshine and dried up all the rain

And Incy Wincy spider, climbed up the spout again

