

## Home Learning Literacy Activities for P2 and 3 Children

Read a variety of books or enjoy the online stories on the website and try some of the activities below:

- Tell someone at home the most interesting event or fact.
  - Design a front cover and blurb.
  - Find words that you recognise in texts and highlight them. Try to find out their meanings.
  - Retell the story to a member of your family and think about super expression when telling your story.
  - Design a front cover.
  - Draw a picture of your favourite part of the story.
  - Think about the beginning, the middle and the end of the story. Try to write a sentence for each part.
  - Be a reading detective and hunt for nouns, verbs and adjectives. (find videos here about [adjectives](#), [nouns](#), [verbs](#))
  - Use an illustration and make a list of all the things (nouns) you can see.
  - Find doing words (verbs) in the story. Try to write your own sentences with these verbs.
  - Find describing words (adjectives) in the story.
  - Write a description of one of the characters.
  - If you have a children's dictionary find some interesting words and look up their meanings.
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- Get a grown up to write a silly sentence with the words muddled up. Cut up the sentence and put the words in the right order.
  - Practise reading and writing CVC words – these are words which are spelt consonant, vowel, consonant e.g. hat, top, bin
  - Make a rhyming pairs game using these words by drawing pictures and labelling them.
  - Choose a rhyming pair and write a list of other words that rhyme.
  - Try out some spelling activities on Doorway Speller.  
<https://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/activities/speller/>
  - Practise your handwriting using the correct letter formation. There are some handwriting videos [here](#) to help.
  - Try practising groups of letters that go together:  
c o a d g q s  
r n and m  
l b h and k  
v and w  
u y  
j, i and t  
p, f, x, z and e (which unlike the rest starts in the middle).
  - Practise using the correct letter formation upper case letters/capitals
  - Write an imaginative story of your choice