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<p>Listen or logon to Newsround on CBBC. Listen to/read one news article. Note the main points/facts and use them to retell to a member of your family.</p> 	<p>Choose a short book or a chapter of a book and read aloud for a member of your family to enjoy.</p> 	<p>Retell a story, in your own words and in the correct sequence. Tell someone what you enjoyed, found interesting and why you liked/disliked the text.</p> 	<p>Retell a story in your own words, using drama, props &amp; puppets.</p> 
<p>Create your own story with a beginning, a middle and an end.</p> 	<p>Log on to Sumdog Reading &amp; Spelling. How many questions can you correctly answer?</p> 	<p>Create a menu, birthday/special occasion card, postcard, letter, invitation, sign or label.</p> 	<p>Keep a diary for five days. Write <b>three</b> paragraphs telling your reader what you did in the morning, the afternoon and in the evening.</p> 
<p>Select a few stories from the news and make notes then write about these in your own words.</p> 	<p>Write a rhyming poem about any subject of your choice. Re-write it as a 'Shape Poem.'</p> 	<p>Write a letter to a friend or relative Giving details of what you have been doing and find out what they have been doing. (Include illustrations or diagrams)</p> 	<p>Choose a short story or a chapter from a book. Make a comic strip with pictures and sentences to describe main points of the story/chapter. Give it to a family member to read/and or read aloud.</p> 