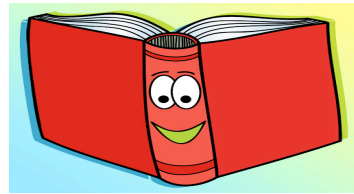


First Level Literacy Home Activities

Listen or log on 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.



Choose a short book or a chapter of a book and read aloud for a member of your family to enjoy.



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.



Retell a story in your own words, using drama, props & puppets.



Create your own story with a beginning, a middle and an end.



Log on to Sumdog Reading & Spelling. How many questions can you correctly answer?



Create a menu, birthday/special occasion card, postcard, letter, invitation, sign or label.



Keep a diary for five days. Write **three** paragraphs telling your reader what you did in the morning, the afternoon and in the evening.



Select a few stories from the news and make notes then write about these in your own words.



Write a rhyming poem about any subject of your choice. Re-write it as a 'Shape Poem.'



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)



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.

