

## Year Three Homework Pack Two

### Reading and writing activities

#### 1. Alphabet scavenger hunt

Choose a letter from the alphabet.

**For example: B**

Now find as many things around the house as you can that begin with that letter. (**bed, basket, bowl, ball etc**)

Next write them down in a list.

Can you spell the words correctly? Ask someone to check.

**Challenge:**

Can you use them in a sentence using adjectives to describe them?

#### 2. Object story writing

Ask someone in your house to go around and choose 10 random objects.

Your job is then to write a creative story using all of those objects.

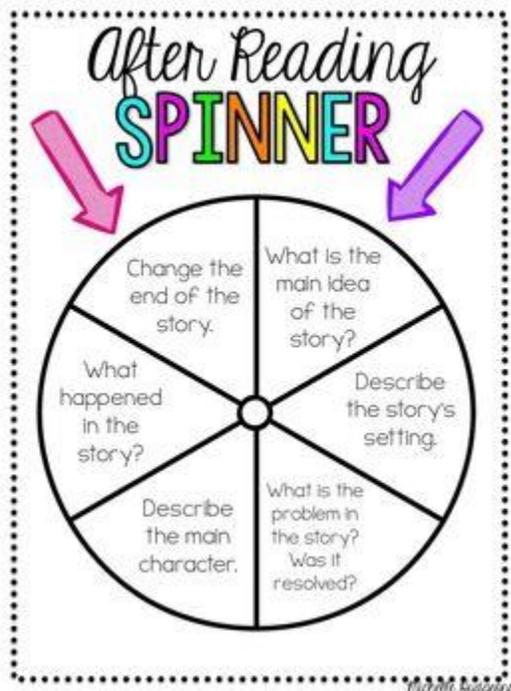
They could become main objects, such as someone stole the kettle, or they could just pop up throughout, such as you got really angry when you realised someone had broken your favourite mug.

### 3. Reading spinner activities

Create your own reading spinner (example below)

Now read a short story or think of a story you know.

Spin the spinner and try the activity it wants you to do. Remember to get someone to tell the new ending to.



### 4. Story board or story map

Have a go at creating a story map and a story board for your favourite book.

Read the book, list the main events and then see if you can whittle it down to 6 key points.

Draw the story map of the key points and then create a storyboard. Now see if you can re-tell the story to someone at home using your map and board.

## 5. Become an illustrator

Ask someone in your family to read a chapter or a few pages of a book to you. Make notes about what is happening in the book. Does the author use any description? What ideas come to your head when you are listening to it? Create the images to go with the story using only what you have heard and your own imagination.