

Write this way.... Adventure awaits!

Each week we will share 1 picture and 1 clip with activities for you to try. You can also add in your own ideas. When you have finished we would love to see your work so please share your ideas!



Can you use the image above to write your story?

- Why are the giraffes in a swimming pool?
- How did they get there?
- Will they get out?
- Will the story make the news?
- Where have they come from?

Can you create a myth for the giraffe?

- It could be: 'how the giraffe got its long neck' or 'how the giraffe got its long tongue' or 'how the giraffe got its patterned skin.'
- You need to think about how the giraffe will get its new quality. Perhaps it is something silly to do with the image above!

Why not try ...

- Making a giraffe out of toilet roll tubes. Use the link below to help you! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GLi4XVZST7g>
- Writing an acrostic poem using the word giraffe.
- Making a giraffe finger puppet. Use the following link to help you. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rIkUlBk7zdg>



Clip: Monkey Symphony

<https://www.literacyshed.com/monkey-syphony.html>

What happens next? Write the events in the form of a newspaper report.

- Remember to interview someone that has witnessed the chimps, perhaps it could be the gorilla or the music teacher.
- Include the 5w's: what, why, when, where, who
- Think of a short, catchy headline. "Chimps unite".

Write as diary entry as one of the chimps from the day when they were united.

- How did it feel to see your friend again? Have you missed them?
- Did the event in the past make you angry or sad?
- Are you excited for the future? What do you think it will look like?

Why not try ...

- Research a type of monkey: gorilla, orangutan, chimp. Create a fact file or poster displaying what you have learnt about them. What they eat? From where do they originate? How many are there in the world?
- Create a monkey collage using things from the garden. You could use sand, soil, twigs, leaves.