**The tiger who came to tea**

The children in the EYFS really enjoy this story and there are a lot of lovely activities you can do based around it. We have listed some of these below, but I am sure that you have lots of lovely ideas. Please feel free to share what you are doing with your teacher via the EYFS email address.

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Below there are some web pages, please look at these first before showing your child to make sure you are happy with them.

-Share the book together, talk about what might happen next. Talk about what you see in the pictures.

- Talk about your favourite foods. Maybe your child could draw these and with your help older children could try and label their picture.

-Bake some cakes talking about how much of each ingredient you are using. Count how many cakes you have made.

-Your child could make their own sandwiches for a picnic.

-Talk about which sandwiches you like best. Which sandwiches does everyone in your house like best?

-You could talk about the days of the week and practice what order they go in. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HtQcnZ2JWsY>

-If you have playdough you could make pretend cakes or current buns. Count how may you have. With your playdough current buns, you could sing the 5 current buns in the bakers shop song. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-mi79hRcSXI>

-If you don’t have playdough you could make your own at home. There are lots of recipes on you tube. Pre school enjoy helping to make playdough with us at school.

-Talk about what happens in a café, who works there, how do you know what there is to eat, how do you pay.

-You could pretend to have your own café taking it in turns to be the customer and the waiter. Don’t for get to write down (or mark make) your orders.

- If you have orange and black paint or crayons you could make a tiger stripe pattern.

-Talk about patterns how patterns work, can you start a colour pattern and your child carry it on. You could do this with Lego blocks, crayons, building blocks etc.

-After you and your child have shared this story a few times encourage them to re tell the story to you.

- You could draw pictures of the characters and the items the tigers ate/drank and stick them on lolly sticks to make a puppet show. If you don’t have a lolly sticks you could attach the pictures to food cans.

- look at each of the characters that the mum was talking about, the milkman, the greengrocer etc. talk about what their job is, what do they sell?

Story

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BXgW9UCgpc8>

Song

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CgTHukOXhDw>

Tiger dance

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y-ksAILueno>