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<p>www.cosmickids.com Practice your yoga like we do in nursery</p> <p>Gruffalo's child and her friends walk. When you go for a walk or are in your garden walk and move around like the animals do, tiptoe (mouse), flap your wings (owl), slither (snake). I wonder if you can think of any other animals who live in the woods and move around like they do?</p> <p>On your daily walk look for different trees and leaves. Maybe you could use the leaves to create a picture of one of the houses the animals live in. You may want to add grass and any other found objects.</p> <p>Using your play dough I wonder if you can make the owl who lives in the tree or any other animals you may find in the woods?</p> <p>Write your name.</p> <p>Practise writing the letter 'a' saying 'round the apple down the leaf'.</p>	<p>Share the story of 'The Gruffalo's Child if you have the book or watch through iplayer/YouTube</p> <p>Talk about the characters with your child in the story</p> <p>Talk about the beginning, middle and end of the story with your child.</p> <p>Encourage some junk modelling, maybe make one of the animals in the story then they could make up their own story and you could write down what they say. They could write some letters that they are familiar with. Get them to write their name at the end of the story.</p> <p>Think of lots of rhyming words. What rhymes with strong..... and mouse..... Dad..... etc. You could extend this by thinking of objects around your house,</p> <p>Talk about other animals that live in the woods, can they describe what they look like?</p> <p>Encourage your child to find the print in the book. Look for letters that are familiar to</p>	<p>www.twinkl.co.uk/offer And enter code CVDTWINKLHELPS Lots of ideas for The Gruffalo's Child.</p> <p>Encourage drawing some footprints and counting them, if you draw one more how many will you have? If you hide one how many footprints will be left?</p> <p>Stand outside in the sunshine and look for your shadow, is your shadow bigger or smaller than you?</p> <p>I wonder if you can hide the animal you made, in a bush, behind a flower, under a tree and at the side of you.</p> <p>Encourage looking for shapes in your home, can your child talk about the shape. How many sides etc? Can you draw a picture using shapes?</p> <p>Can you sing the number rhyme, 'Five Currant Buns' together and use your fingers to show how many buns are left in the shop.</p> <p>Encourage your child to start forming the number one starting at the top. You can sing this to help with the formation, "start at the</p>

Draw or paint the Big Bad Mouse, don't forget he has a long tail, whiskers and orange eyes.

Make something in the kitchen with your grown up. Maybe make some Gruffalo cakes, big ones and small ones or Owl biscuits.

Ask an adult to help you fill a bowl up with water add some cups, bottles and a teapot if you have one and you can make some Gruffalo tea to share with your family.

them. Maybe look for letters that are in their name. Can you find the letters 'a' and 's' in the book?

Find other stories by the author Julia Donaldson. We know your favourite is 'The highway Rat'.

top and down we run that's a way to make a one".

Have a go at writing some more numerals, 0,1,2,3,4,5. Can you put them in the right order?

Can yo draw 1 mouse

2 foxes

3 owls

4 footprints

5 snakes

See if you can match the numeral to the quantity.