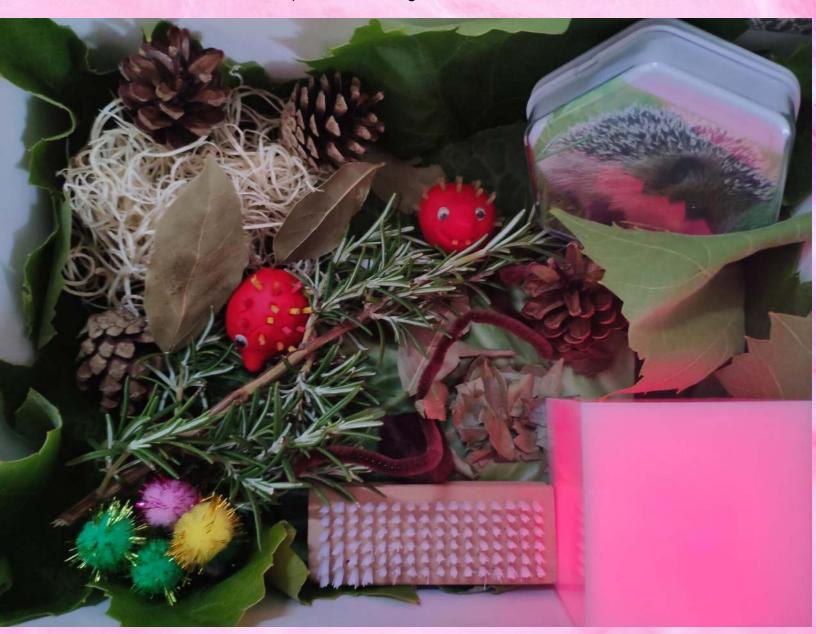
# Rhyming Multisensory Stories Catalogue

Connecting Individuals to Literature, Culture, History
& Topic Through the Senses





### Introduction

Rhyming Multisensory Stories connect individuals with special educational needs and disabilities (aged 3-adult) to literature, topic, history and culture in a way that is fun, motivating and meaningful to their lives.

Stories are told through the senses using sensory stimuli, (story props), that provide new experiences to calm and alert the sensory system in a safe, therapeutic and motivating environment.

The story props are low budget items found around the home, garden and classroom.

Stories are fully resourced and their step-by-step format make them accessible Education Professionals, Parents, Siblings, Guardians, Childminders, Speech Therapists, Play Therapists, Support Workers, Activity Coordinators, Storytellers, Librarians and anyone with an interest in exploring storytelling through the senses in a fun and engaging way!

Each story includes themed, sensory extension activities that link to the EYFS Framework and areas of the KSI National Curriculum making them the perfect resource for Special Education (aged 3-19) EYFS, Mainstream Primary, Speech & Language and EAL students.

Your questions, queries, comments and feedback are always welcome!

Get in touch:)

### The Benefits of Multisensory Storytelling

- 1. Storytelling creates a bond between the storyteller and the story explorer enhancing and enriching experiences.
- 2. Rhyming Multisensory Stories connect the individual to literature, culture and topic in a fun and engaging way.
- 3. The stories form a base on which to scaffold learning enabling the student to work on personal goals and individual targets.
- 4. The activities in the stories are designed to promote:

**Communication skills:** Eye contact, listening, shared attention & language development **Self-confidence & well-being:** Trying out new ideas & skills, practicing self-care & independence and enjoying achievement

Self-awareness: Asking for 'help', 'again' and 'more'

Opportunities to explore cause & effect and build anticipation skills

Physical development: Fine & gross motor skills

Knowledge about the environment & the world around us

Engagement in scientific experimentation and mathematical concepts

Development of social & emotional skills: Turn-taking & sharing and teamwork

5. The sensory stimuli (story props) are a tool for the story explorer to explore and express their likes, dislikes and sensory preferences and to have the opportunity to make choices. This information can be used to identify motivators or items to calm and individual when anxious, tired or stressed, identify triggers, (some you may wish to avoid, others to work on building tolerance through desensitisation in a safe and therapeutic environment) and used in the writing of care plans to enhance areas daily life.

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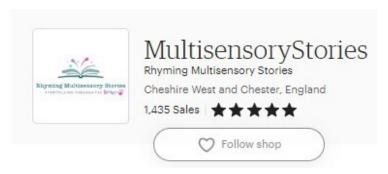
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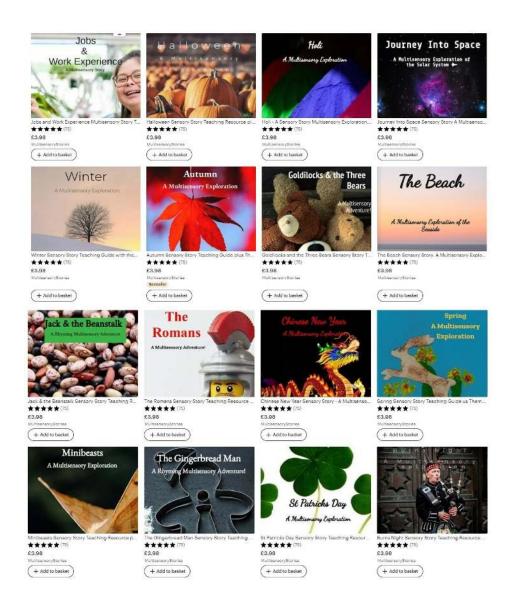


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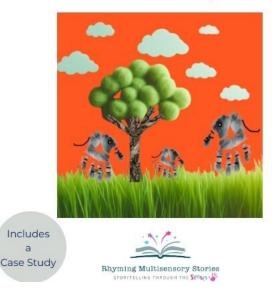
### 'Elephants'



A Fully Resourced, Step-by-Step Sensory Story

PLUS

Themed Ideas and Activities for Sensory Learners of all Ages



'I like the early mornings and just before its dark
My thick, wrinkly, skin is dry, and rough like bark
My coarse, bristly hairs protect me from the sun
I am very playful; I like having fun

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A Fully Resourced, Sensory Story Plus Themed Activities for Sensory Learners of all Ages





Includes a Bonus 'Brief History of Flight' Sensory Story



'This is a story about travel, airports, and planes

Luggage, security, gates, and runways

The feelings on my senses, smell, hearing, touch, taste, sight

In the airport building, and when I'm on my flight'

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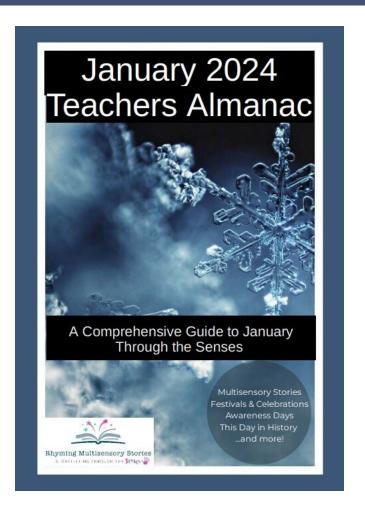
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'The clock strikes twelve and people cheer

The cold, icy, wind blows in the New Year

The days are short, the nights are dark

Grey clouds and drizzle, the sky is stark

The smell of wet leaves, earth, and damp air

Frost sparkles on twigs, tree branches are bare'

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Creating Sensory Experiences and Learning Opportunities Using Everyday Household Items

700+ Ideas and Activities
100+ Ideas for Multisensory Story Props





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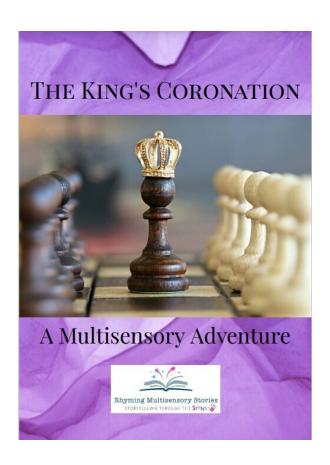
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### 'The King's Coronation' A Multisensory Exploration

'King Charles was in his library flicking through a history book
"It says here I am Charles the third, I hope I have better luck!

The first King Charles lived years ago, he disobeyed the law

Overtaxed the people, and then he caused a war"



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More Resources Linking to Buckingham Palace

### 'Shapes' A Multisensory Exploration

'Shapes can make sounds, a triangle tings

Spheres on shaker balles jingle and ring

Feel the vibration of a cylindrical boomwhacker

Listen to the seeds rattle in an oval maraca

Tap the circle of skin on a drum

Play a rectangular and make it hum'

### Shapes

A Multisensory Exploration + 130 Shape Themed Activities



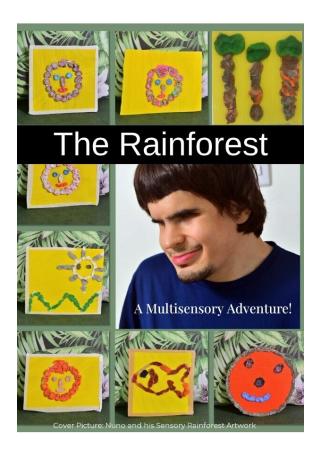


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### 'The Rainforest' A Multisensory Adventure

'I'm trekking through the rainforest, a rucksack on my back
Inside I carry shorts, t-shirts, and a waterproof mac
Sunblock, lip balm and spray, for the insects that bite
A camera, binoculars and a torch, so I can see at night
A water bottle, food, and tools for when I set up camp
The weather is hot and sticky, humid, clammy and damp'



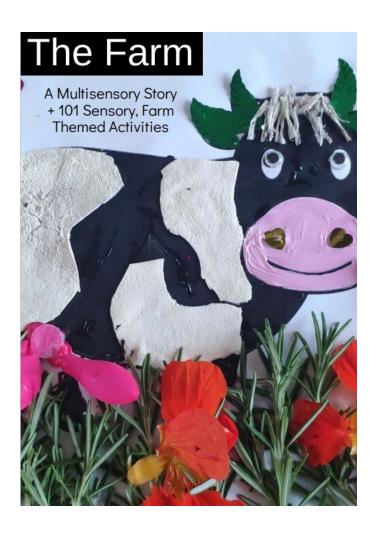
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## 'The Farm' A Multisensory Exploration plus 101 Farm Themed Sensory Activities

'I'm a sheep farmer, I breed sheep for their fleece and meat
My farm has fields of fresh, green grass for my flocks to eat
The sounds on my farm in springtime, are the bleating lambs
The females are the ewes, the males are the rams'



Find out more!

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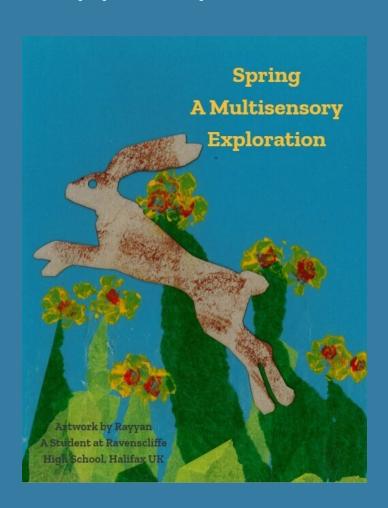
### 'Spring' A Multisensory Exploration

'Spring forward, fall back', I think I've got it right

It means the clocks move forward to make it light at night

The trees are in bud, the grass has started to grow

Leaf blades emerging from the ground, soon we'll have to mow.



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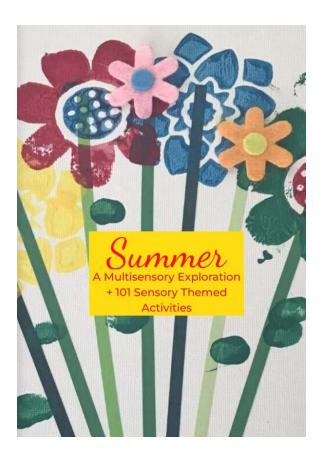
### Summer A Multisensory Exploration Plus 101 Summer Themed Sensory Activities

'The colours of summer are the bright yellow sun

That lights up the room when the day has begun

The deep blue hues of the sapphire sky

Streaked with white chalk where planes have flown by'



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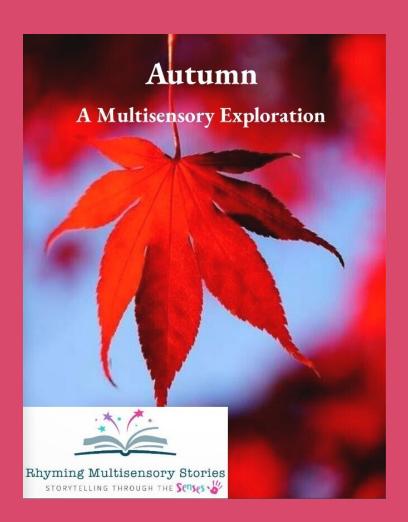
### 'Autumn' A Multisensory Exploration

'At the bottom of my garden underneath the apple trees

I heard a little rustle amongst the Autumn leaves

A sudden gust of wind blew the leaves apart

And what I saw inside those leaves lightened up my heart'



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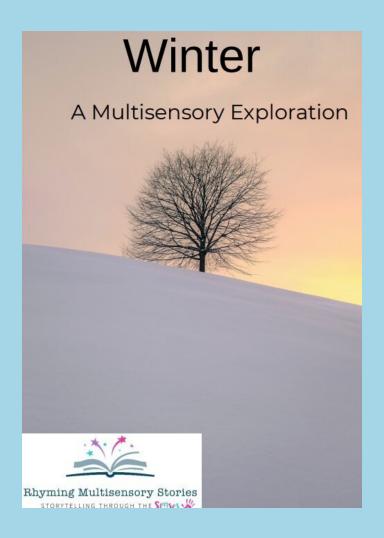
### 'Winter' A Multisensory Exploration

I woke up this morning and to my delight

A carpet of snow had fell in the night

I put on my and a gloves, scarf hat

And followed the tracks of a bird and cat'



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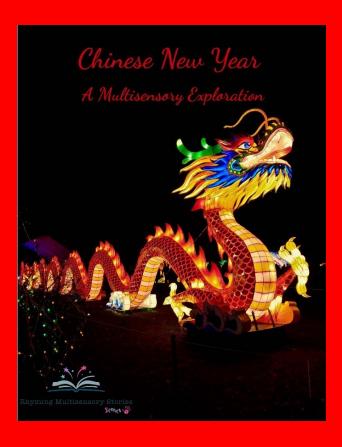
#### Join the celebrations!

'We the polish the house and sweep the floor

To bring good luck we sweep from the door

We decorate our houses with bunting of red

To celebrate the Chinese New Year ahead'



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Chinese New Year Sensory Ideas & Inspiration

### 'Halloween' A Multisensory Adventure

'It was Halloween, the moon shone high

Bats flapped their wings, circling the sky

The woods echoed with the hoot of an owl

Spiders scuttled on the prowl'



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### Join our Main Character at a Traditional Burns Night Supper

'Celebrate Burns Night' my friend said to me.

'Robert Burns?' I asked 'Who is he?'

'Follow me and you will see!'



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# 'Holi' A Multisensory Adventure!

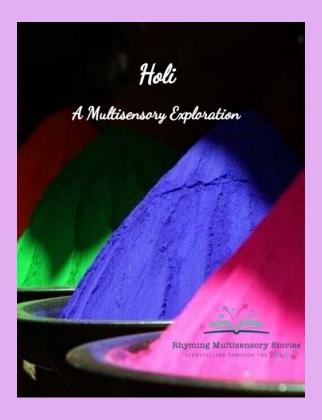
Celebrate the magic and colour of the festival of Holi as seen through the eyes of a person as they walk experience the celebrations.

'I visited India on the first day of Spring

And what a suprsie that did bring

I walked onto the street, a young boy ran by

And threw poweder paint high into the sky



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# 'St Patricks Day' A Multisensory Exploration

#### Join the celebrations!

'Kidnapped by pirates as a slave at sixteen

Patrick was taken to Ireland, a land lush and green

He worked in the hills, guarding the sheep

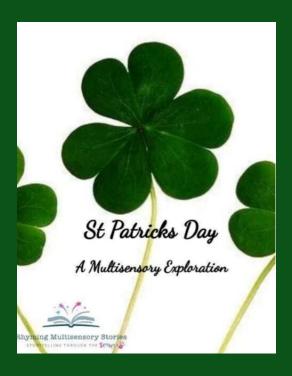
From foxes and wild bears to earn his keep

He escaped six years later and travelled home East

Studied the bible and became a priest

He returned to Ireland to teach others to pray

We celebrate his life on St Patrick's Day'



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"At the garden centre selling plants and shrubs gardening tools and ornamental tubs

Watering plants and sowing seeds

and stocking the shelves with plant feeds

I'd need to be fit and like the outdoors,

even when it rains and pours"



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# 'The Romans' A Multisensory Adventure!

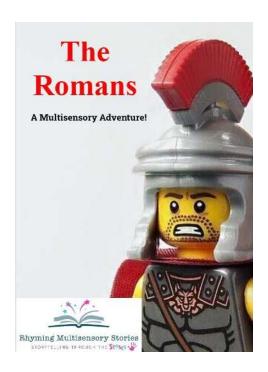
Shopping for new shoes in Chester, on a day out

I was bored and restless, my face wore a pout

I looked up to the clock on Eastgate Street

It was ages til lunch, I slouched and dragged my feet

On the bridge stood a Roman with a helmet on his head Underneath his armour, he wore a tunic of bright red 'Hurry soldier' 'we're going to be late... For morning guard duty on the East Gate'



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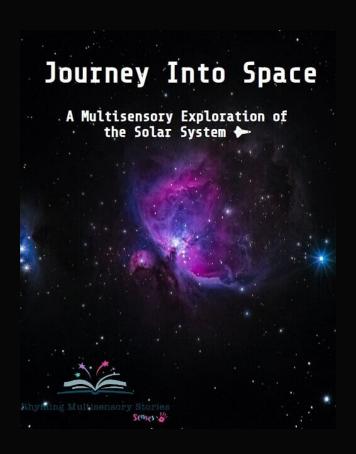
# 'Journey into Space' A Multisensory Exploration of the Solar System

'We're off on a rocket to outer space

The countdown begins, we're picking up pace

Mercury is a planet of the darkest grey

Its strong magnetic fields can push and pull away'



Click here to watch the Training Video!

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'I'm told superheroes are people who help us

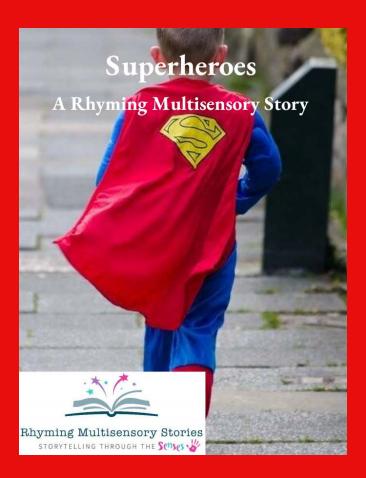
Like the escort and the driver on the school bus

But the main superhero? Well, that's me

If I didn't come to school, none of this would be

The taxi wouldn't drive to my door and beep

The driver may as well stay asleep'



Find out more!

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# 'The Beach' A Multisensory Exploration of the Seaside

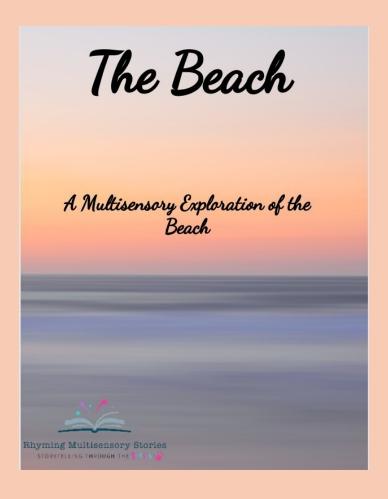
Don't forget your bucket and spade as we head down to the beach for this multisensory exploration of the seaside!

'Seagulls circle overhead

Swooping down for crusts of bread

Flapping their wings as they squabble and screech

Scavenging scraps from the beach'



Find out More!

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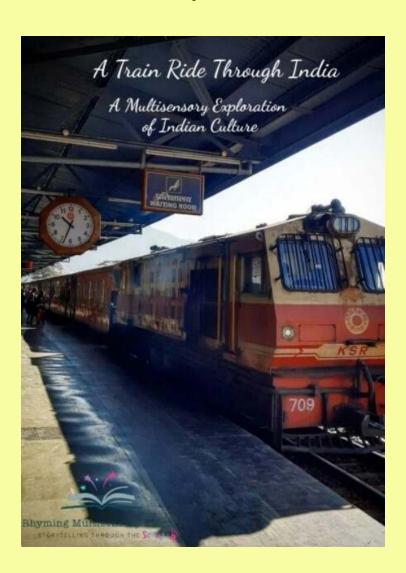
The Beach Guided Relaxation Adventure

# 'A Train Ride Through India' A Multisensory Adventure!

'We're on a train in India, all aboard it's time to go
The driver blows his whistle, 'Ready...steady...off we go!

I open my window to see the sights outside

A blast of hot air hits my face, this is one fun ride!'



Find out more!

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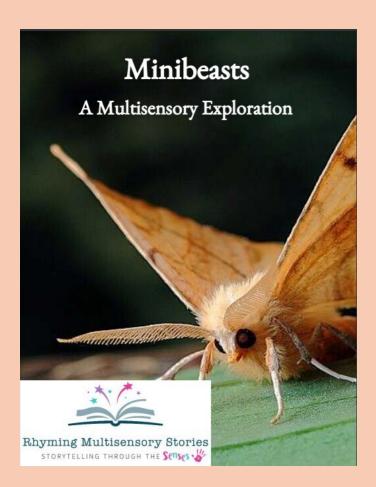
# 'Minibeasts' A Multisensory Exploration

Join the fascinating world of the Minibeasts with this multisensory exploration.

'I'm a worm and I wriggle and squirm

The scraps I eat turn into peat
I'm a bee, look after me

And I will make you sweet honey'



Find out more!

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# 'The Three Little Pigs' A Multisensory Adventure

Join the Three Little Pigs on their adventures as they try to outwit the big bad wolf!

'This is the story of the Three Little Pigs

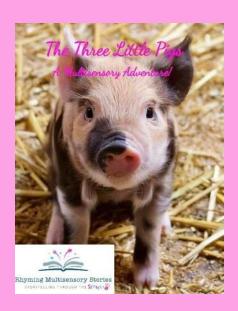
They left home so they needed new digs

The first pig built a house of straw

With a birght yellow roof and a thatched front door

Along came the wolf with his long pointy jaw

He knocked at the door with his fat, furry paw'



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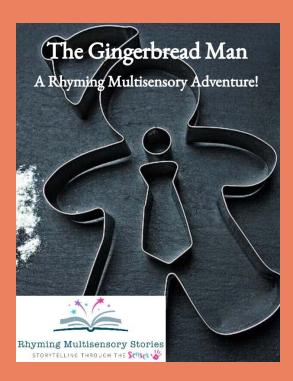
Stick House

Den Building

# 'The Gingerbread Man' A Multisensory Adventure

#### Join the Gingerbread Man on his adventures as he runs for his life!

'There was a lady who liked biscuits and cake
A gingerbread man she decided to bake
She washed her hands to make them clean
And wiped down the worktop to make it gleam
She took out her bowl, spoon and pastry cutter
Then mixed together the sugar and butter'



Find out more!

# 'Goldilocks & the Three Bears' A Multisensory Adventure

### Join Goldilocks on her adventures as she explores the Three Bears cottage!

'Goldilocks went into the woods one day

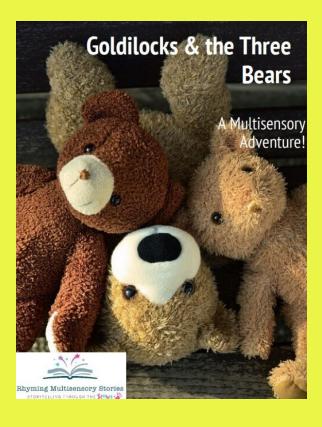
She wandered so far she lost her way

She arrived at a cottage she'd not seen before

'Anyone home?" She knocked at the door

The door creaked open, she crept in to explore

Tiptoeing quietly across the tiled floor'



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# 'Little Red Riding Hood' A Multisensory Adventure!

Join Little Red Riding Hood on her adventures as she visits her Grandma at the cottage.

'Little Red Riding Hood wore a red cape

Over her shoulders it would drape

She went for a walk to see her Grandma

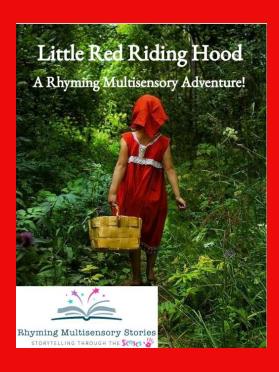
Into the woods, it wasn't too far

She picked pretty flowers with a perfumed scent

Silk-like petals, their stems slightly bent

She heard a loud howl and a growl nearby

Along came a wolf who looked very sly'



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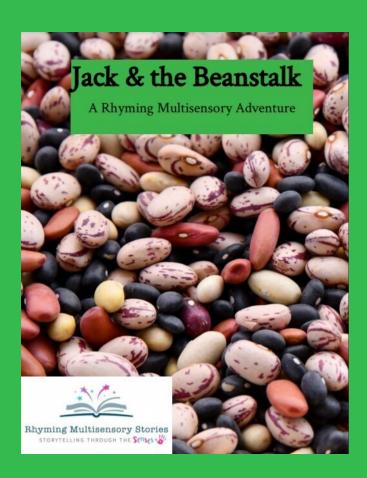
# 'Jack & The Beanstalk' A Multisensory Adventure

Join Jack on his adventures as he climbs the beanstalk!

Jack lived with his mum and they had a cow
"We've ran out of money, what shall we do now?"

Jack took the cow to the market to sell

"One cow for sale...including the bell!"



Find out more!

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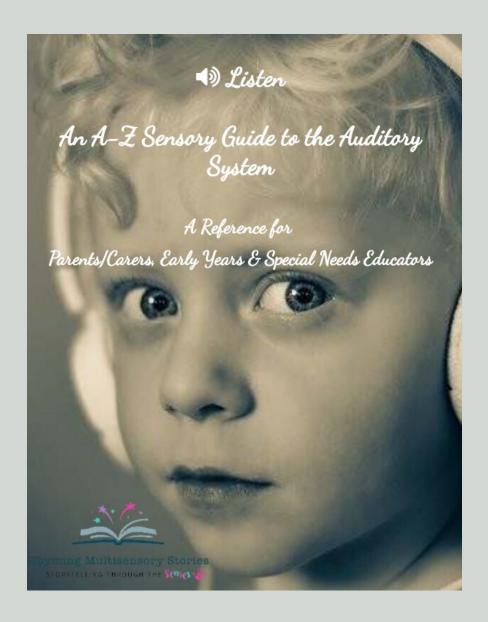
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Jack's Maths

# 'Listen! An A-Z Sensory Guide' A Reference Guide

This A -Z resource explores fun and engaging ways to stimulate hearing and is packed with activities and ideas!



Find out More!

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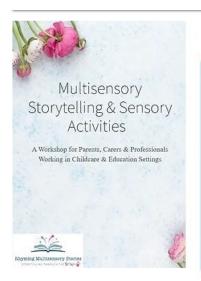
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Educators, Speech Therapists, Play Therapists, Support Workers, Activity
Coordinators, Parents, Guardians, Childminders, Carers, Support Workers, Librarians
and anyone with an interest in exploring storytelling through the senses with preschool, early years, SEN students, SALT students and teenagers and adults with
complex needs.



#### 'Multisensory Storytelling & Sensory Activities' Workshop

#### Parent/GrandparentGuardian/Caregiver Workshop

A fun workshop aimed at Parents/Grandparents/Guardians & Caregivers

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Childminders, Speech & Language Therapists, Play Therapists,
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#### 'Multisensory Storytelling & Sensory Activities for Adults'

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Sensory Ideas and Inspiration We will explore how to make homemade.



**Extension Activities** We will explore how to extend learning.



Using Props as a Tool to Explore Sensory Preferences



# What is a Multisensory Story?

A multisensory story is told using words and sensory stimuli (story props) to engage the senses.

### Who are Multisensory Stories For?

Multisensory stories are aimed at individuals with special educational needs & disabilities from curious pre-schoolers to teenagers with complex needs and for Early Years, mainstream Primary, Speech & Language and EAL students.

The stories form an excellent base on which to scaffold learning, providing opportunities for the individual to work towards their personal learning goals and targets.

Each story includes themed, sensory extension activities that link to the EYFS Framework and areas of the KSI National Curriculum.

### Are the Stories for Sole Use in Educational Settings?

Absolutely not! The stories and poems are fully resourced, step by step guides, making them the perfect resource for Parents, Siblings, Guardians, Childminders, Speech Therapists, Play Therapists, Support Workers, Activity Coordinators, Storytellers, Librarians and anyone with an interest in exploring storytelling through the senses in a fun and engaging way!

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### Why Rhyming Multisensory Stories?

The combination of sensory stimuli, listening to the rhyme and rhythm and the repetitive structure of the stories, supports memory and aids learning, playing a crucial role in the development of early communication language skills; joint attention, eye-contact, turn-taking, anticipation and the learning of concepts.

### What Are the Benefits of Multisensory Storytelling?

- I. Storytelling creates a bond between the storyteller and the story explorer enhancing and enriching experiences.
- 2. Rhyming Multisensory Stories connect the individual to literature, culture and topic in a fun and engaging way.
- 3. The activities in the stories are designed to promote:

Communication skills: (eye contact, listening, shared attention & language development)

Self-confidence & well-being (trying out new ideas & skills, practicing self-care & independence and enjoying achievement)

Self-awareness: (asking for 'help', 'again' and 'more')

Opportunities to explore cause & effect and build anticipation skills

Physical development: (fine & gross motor skills)

Knowledge about the environment & the world around us

Engagement in scientific experimentation and mathematical concepts

Development of social & emotional skills: (turn-taking & sharing and teamwork).

### FAQ

4. The sensory stimuli (story props) are a tool for the story explorer to explore and express their likes, dislikes and sensory preferences and to have the opportunity to make choices. This information can be used to identify motivators or items to calm and individual when anxious, tired or stressed, identify triggers, (some you may wish to avoid, others to work on building tolerance through desensitisation in a safe and therapeutic environment) and used in the writing of care plans to enhance areas daily life.

### Can Multisensory Stories Build Communication Skills?

Sensory stories are an excellent motivating tool for encouraging alternative communication systems, early communication skills, Makaton, sign language and to facilitate PECS exchanges. The stories build the confidence of learners with speech impediments and communication difficulties as they have a physical (story) prop to support the words they are saying.

### How Do I Tell A Multisensory Story?

The multisensory stories are fully resourced and written as easy to follow, step-by-step guides.

Slowly and clearly read each sentence introducing the story prop as the corresponding word appears.

### How do I source my Story Props?

The stories and poems are fully resourced and with different options suggested for props.

The props are low budget items found around the home, classroom and garden.

Click here for more information about sourcing story props.

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#### Remember!

You do not have to complete the whole story in one sitting. You can explore one or two sentences adding to the story in future sessions, it may take several sessions to complete the story.

Allow processing time.

Repetition is the key! Repeat the same story for a minimum of twice a week for a month then change to a different story.

Be allergy aware!

Like any other activity, ensure the activities are supervised by a responsible adult.

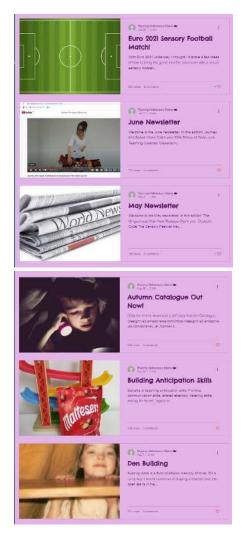
The interactions should be led by the story explorer who should be allowed to participate without expectation.

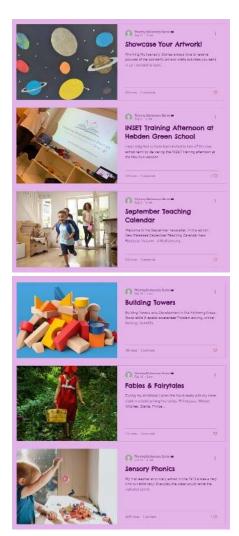
Never force stimuli and stop the activity if the story explorer shows signs that they are not enjoying the session.

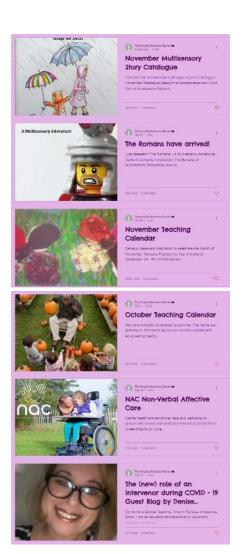
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