

## The Bog Baby – short version for story map.

1. Years ago, when we were little, me and Chrissy did something bad.
2. We said we are going to Annie's house, but we didn't.
3. We went fishing in Bluebell Woods. We caught a Bog Baby.
4. He was the size of a frog, but blue and round.
5. He had boggly eyes and a spikey tail, and I do remember he had ears like a mouse.
6. We put him in a jam jar and took him home to the shed.
7. We made him a home in a bucket.
8. We fed him cake crumbs.
9. We took good care of our bog baby but he got sick.
10. Mum found us in the shed. She said, "The Bog Baby is a wild thing."
11. We took him back to the woods.
12. That was real love!