

IF YOU HAVE ACCESS TO THE SCHOOL WEBSITE,  
ALL OF THESE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DOWNLOADED  
FROM THE RECEPTION CLASS WEBSITE, ALONG  
WITH WORKSHEETS TO HELP LEARNING.

<https://www.st-matthias.hackney.sch.uk/home-learning/reception/>

### Daily Activities

#### MATHS

Counting from 0 to 100 in 10s

Number bonds to 10

#### READING

Please read a bedtime story each day. If you have internet access, stories can be found on YouTube.

### Physical, Social & Emotional Development

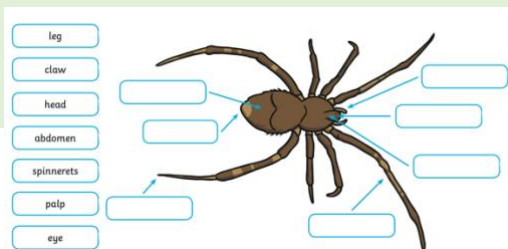
Why do you think people are afraid of spiders?  
Should we be scared of them? How did the spider  
feel when the family kept throwing him out?

### Understanding the World

1. Go on a spider hunt in your home or outside!  
Where do they like to live? What are they doing?

Can you draw or take pictures of them?

2. Draw and label the parts of a spider



WhatsApp a picture of any completed  
work to me and we'll share your fantastic  
learning on our school website!

### Nursery & Reception's Book Corner

Here is Ms Bee reading this week's  
story 'Arghh Spider!'.



Most of the activities are based  
around this story, so please watch this video first:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HZ7KywDxYIU>

What happened at the beginning, middle and end  
of the story?

### Virtual Tour of the Week

Take a look at the Son Doong Cave in Vietnam –  
the world largest cave! Do you think spiders like  
to live here? Why/why not?

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/news-features/son-doong-cave/2/#s=pano57>



### Get Creative!

1. Use a toilet roll, scissors and your art kit to  
make your own spider to keep as a pet!

2. Learn the words to  
'Incy Wincy Spider'.  
Can you make up  
some actions to help  
you remember the  
words?



### Mini Mash

Visit: [www.purplemash.com/sch/stmatthiasn16](http://www.purplemash.com/sch/stmatthiasn16)  
and login with the details sent to you. Select  
'Mini Mash' when you log in.

Complete these activities by the end of the week:

When you log in to Purple Mash, look at your  
'2dos' (red button in the top left corner) and  
complete what you can.

Continue to explore 'Mini Mash' and look at the  
'phonics' sections.

**REMEMBER TO STAY SAFE WHEN YOU  
USE THE INTERNET AND TO TALK TO A  
TRUSTED ADULT IF YOU NEED TO.**

### Maths

Find some spider webs in your house  
or look closely at some photos of  
webs on the internet. What shapes  
can you see in the webs? Can you  
draw your own webs? What other  
shapes can you find around the  
house? How do you know it is that  
shape? i.e. 'it is a circle because it has  
one curved side and no corners.'



### Writing

Using your whiteboard and whiteboard pen,  
or a piece of paper and normal pen, choose  
one of these writing tasks:

- Write a fact file about spiders
- Write about how the spider was  
feeling at the beginning of the story  
and at the end
- Go on a spider hunt and write about it  
afterwards