

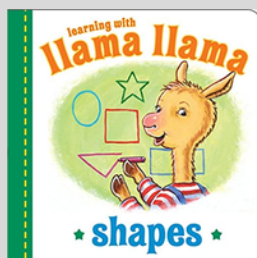
READING NEWSLETTER



Recommended Reads: Books About Maths

EYFS

Llama Llama spends the day at the farmers market surrounded by shapes. From rectangles, squares, triangles, circles, and stars, children will enjoy this look-and-find format as they search for each shape.



Year 1 and 2

Meet Triangle. He is going to play a sneaky trick on his friend, Square. Or so Triangle thinks... Visually stunning and full of wry humour, here is a perfectly-paced treat that flips the traditional concept book.



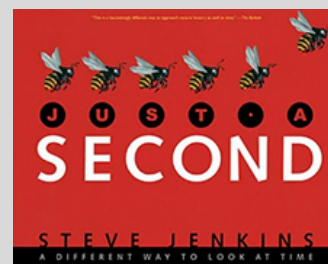
Year 3 and 4

A funny story about a family who, on 1st January, start receiving a penguin each day through the post. There are mathematical challenges along the way.



Year 5 and 6

Explorer the concept of time as a series of events in the natural world that take place in given units of time. How many times does a human blink? a bat call? A hummingbird flap it's wings?



January Spotlight: Prediction

What?

The skill of prediction is taught in all year groups. We use the following definition with children: 'using information from a picture or text to guess what is likely to happen next'. We talk about making plausible predictions based on the information available to us.

What happens in school?

Prediction starts in reception by using the front cover of a text and the title to predict what the text is about. As children move through school, they start to justify their predictions using evidence from the text. This could include taking direct quotes.

How can I help at home?

Focus on children making plausible predictions based on the evidence they can find. Ask your child to justify their idea using the word 'because' and referring directly to the text itself. That could be images, elements of a story line or a specific word or phrase.

Join us!

What?

Join us in class for a Stay and Read event. This time, you will have a chance to read your child's class text and where appropriate, watch the teacher complete an echo read with their class.

When?

Join us in class from 8.40am to 9.00am

