

# Pooh's Reading Corner Art and Design

## SEARCHING FOR HONEY



EGMONT

## SEARCHING FOR HONEY WITH 4 TO 5 YEAR OLDS

#### ELG 04 - Moving and Handling

Children show good control and coordination in large and small movements. They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space. They handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing.

#### ELG 01 - Listening and Attention

Children listen attentively in a range of situations. They listen to stories, accurately anticipating key events, and respond to what they hear with relevant comments, questions or actions. They give their attention to what others say and respond appropriately, while engaged in another activity.

## Help Winnie-the-Pooh Look for Honey

Read the story and colour in Winnie-the-Pooh on page one.

So Winnie-the-Pooh went round to his friend Christopher Robin, who lived behind a green door in another part of

the Forest.

'Good morning, Christopher Robin,' he said.

'Good morning, Winnie-the-Pooh,' said you.

'I wonder if you've got such a thing as a balloon about you?'

'A balloon?'

'Yes, I just said to myself coming along: "I wonder if Christopher Robin has such a thing as a balloon about him?" I just said it to myself, thinking of balloons, and wondering.'

'What do you want a balloon for?' you said. Winnie-the-Pooh looked round to see that nobody was listening, put his paw to his mouth, and said in a deep whisper: 'Honey!"

'But you don't get honey with balloons!' 'I do,' said Pooh.

Listen to the story again.

Place the balloon and Winnie-the-Pooh on the ground.

Can you lift the balloon high up in the sky? Move around carefully holding the balloon in the air.

Help Winnie-the-Pooh look for honey.

#### Follow the instructions below:

- 1 Carefully cut out Winnie-the-Pooh.
- 2 Ask an adult to blow up a balloon and tie a knot in the end.
- **3** Use string to attach Winnie-the-Pooh to the bottom of the balloon.



## SEARCHING FOR HONEY WITH 5 TO 7 YEAR OLDS



Decorate Pooh Reading Corner with your balloons.

## SEARCHING FOR HONEY WITH 7 TO 11 YEAR OLDS



### Learning Objectives

I can create a papier mâché sculpture. I can improve my 3D sculpture.



Balloon, needle, newspaper, paint, paper towels or white paper, paper varnish, scissors, string, papier paste or water and white glue.

## Create Your Own Papier-Mâché Beehive to Help Winnie-the-Pooh Search for Honey.

#### Follow the instructions below:

- Blow up a balloon and tie a knot in the end.
- Tear some old newspapers into straight strips.
- 3 Mix some white glue and water together, or use papier paste.
- Piece by piece, layer the newspaper strips over the balloon and cover the strips with glue each time.
- **5** Use white paper or paper towel for your last layer to make painting easier.
- 6 Allow the newspaper-covered balloon to dry properly.
- Poke a needle into the balloon to pop it.
- 8 Cut a small hole at the bottom where the balloon was tied, and remove the balloon.
- 9 Before you start painting your beehive, research what a beehive looks like. You may need to paint it in stages, so that your colours do not get mixed together.
- Paint your beehive and allow it to dry. If needed, use paper varnish to seal it.

1 How will you hang your beehive up?

- 2 Can you make a stand for it?
- 3 Why not cut a larger hole in the bottom of your beehive and place a small jar of honey in the hole?
- 4 Decorate Pooh Reading Corner or a corridor with your beehives.
- 5 If you are really adventurous like Winnie-the-Pooh, cut your beehive in half.
- 6 Be careful not to squash it!
- 7 Decorate the inside of your beehive to show the honeycomb made up of perfect hexagons.
- 8 Life inside a beehive is very busy; don't forget to add a few bees to your beehive from our resource pack.

