

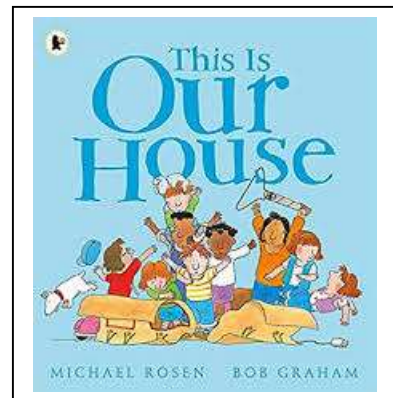
Hello nursery children!

I hope you enjoyed last week's activities. I loved seeing some of you at nursery this week and I look forward to another week of fun and learning next week! This week's story is called 'This is Our House' by Michael Rosen and Bob Graham. The story is about a boy called George, who wants a cardboard play house all to himself and he is quite mean to the other children in the story. Will he learn to share? You'll have to read the story to find out! Please ask your grown ups to email any photos / work to me: nursery@ashgrove.cheshire.sch.uk or Tweet them: @ashgrovenursery

I look forward to hearing from you!

Lots of love from

Mrs Wolvin



Watch an animated version of the story 'This is Our House' using the link below.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wf_n6yjr9T0

Story Discussion CLL, L, PSED

Before reading the story, look at the picture on the front cover. What do you think the story is about?

Discuss the story together.

Can you tell me what happened in the story?

Do you think George was being fair?
Why / why not?

How do you think the children felt when George wouldn't let them play?

What did George learn in this story?

Cardboard Box Play EAD, MD, PD, CL, UW, PSED

Use a large cardboard box to make a house like the one in the story. You can decorate it with a door, a door number, some windows and some flowers growing around it.



You can use your box house to retell the story 'This is Our House'. Or, you could use it as a special den to read stories and play games in!



Home Exploring PD, EAD, PSED, CL, UW

There are lots of different types of homes – houses, flats, bungalows ... can you think of any others? When you are out for a walk, take photos of the different types of homes you see.



You could maybe have a go at designing your dream bedroom. Look together at old catalogues (Argos catalogues are great for this!) and cut out the perfect bed, wardrobe etc. This is the perfect opportunity to develop those cutting skills! Alternatively, you could draw your dream bedroom. Google 'dream bedroom boy / girl' to get some ideas – some of them are out of this world!

House Shape Picture EAD, MD, CL, UW

Make a shape picture of your house. Which shapes did you use? How many? Where is your bedroom? The living room?



House Karaoke EAD, MD, PSED, UW

Sing along with this classic song – 'Gonna Build a House'!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1gGYNBwt_nAI



Or sing along with this song about the different rooms in your house.

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

