



A Fiesta of Stories - Celebrating the Stories of every Community and Culture in UK

FREE Online Storytelling for Early Years settings and families

Friday 4 July 2025 Fiesta Finale
SIX Storytelling Sessions

Morning: 9.30 -10am, 10.15-10.45am, 11.00 - 11.30

Afternoon: 1.30 - 2pm; 2-2.30pm, 2.30 -3pm

Morning Sessions

1. 9.30 - 10am:

The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle

From 2 years and above. A retelling in sound, song & sensory props, of this classic story.

To showcase: **We're Going On a Maths Hunt** - Teaching Maths Through Story

2. 10.15 - 10.45am:

Looking for a Friend (Malaysia)

From 3 years and above. An original rainforest tale of a baby Orangutan's search for a home. Told in sound, song and sensory props.

To showcase: **Tactile Tales** - Storytelling for Children with Additional Needs

3. 11 - 11.30am:

We ALL Are Special (Aboriginal Australia)

From 4 years and above. Once upon a time - all the Australian animals were the BEST of friends. But then they started to argue - "Who Was THE Best of the All?"

To Showcase: **Under the Same Sky** - Celebrating Multiculturalism Through Story

Afternoon Sessions

4. 1.30 - 2pm

Take A Little Walk, Little Bear (USA)

From 2 years and above. Join Little Bear as he ventures outdoors. What will he discover? Come and find out in this sensory storytelling adventure!

To showcase: **Sing Me A Story** - Using Sound and Song in Stories for CSLD

5. 2.00 - 2.30pm

Fly Me to the Moon (Bolivia)

From 3 years and above. Join Little Skunk on his adventure to the Moon and back again!

To Showcase: **Fly Me to the Moon** - Sensory Storytelling for Space, Science and Sustainability

6. 2.30 - 3pm

The Enormous Turnip (Ukraine)

From: 4 years and above. Join the Old Man and his family as they try to grow a turnip big enough to feed them all ... with unexpected results!

To showcase: **Benefits of Being Bilingual** EAL storytelling techniques

Younger and older children welcome - at home or at school.

All sessions delivered via Zoom.

To register to take part: please complete this form:

<https://forms.gle/iKHy6HCuhCQ5cUrG8>

Or email Cassandra: [**cassandra.wye@gmail.com**](mailto:cassandra.wye@gmail.com)

About Cassandra:

Cassandra has been telling tales around the world for over 30 years, across Africa, Asia, North America and Australia, as well as UK and Europe, to highlight the impact of Storytelling across the EYFS curriculum, from Soup-Making to Structural Engineering.

Many of the selected stories - feature an exquisite array of hand-made props by Textile Artist Extraordinaire, Moraig Hewitt - @mhcreativetextiles.

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