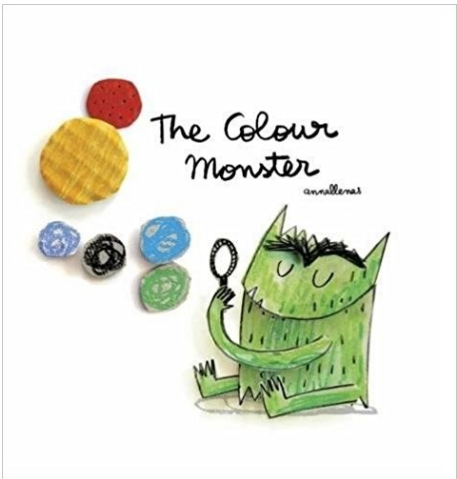


# This week our learning is going to be based on the story 'The Colour Monster' by Anna Llenas.

## Communication & Language

- Describe a character from the story.
- Learn to sing a song that makes you happy.
- The Colour Monster felt lots of different feelings in this story and had lots of different colours. Talk about how you are feeling.
  - What colours make you feel happy?
- Think of 3 things that you are good at. Draw a picture and write some words to show these things.
- Play the emotions game. Ask your grown up to show different feelings with their faces. Can you guess how they are feeling? Take it in turns!



## Literacy

- Create a story map for the story.
- Retell the tale using the story map.
- Where do you think the colour monster came from? Write some sentences about this.
- How many tricky words can you find in the book?
- How many adjectives (describing words) can you find in the book?
- Write a letter to the Colour Monster to show which colour you are feeling.

## Expressive Arts and Design

- Listen to some music whilst you get creative! You could use paint, crayons, chalk, water on the patio...anything at all...how does the music make you feel?
  - Experiment with mixing colours.
- Make your own junk modelling colour monster.

## Maths

- What shapes can you see on the pages of the book?
- How many different creatures can you see on each page? How many can you see in the whole book?
- Find a set of objects and explore their weight. Which is the **heaviest**? Which is the **lightest**? How do you know?

## Understanding the World

- Talk to the people in your home about what they enjoy doing. Do they like doing different things to you?
- Go on a nature walk. How does it make you feel?
- Collect some natural objects to create a collage of facial expressions.

## Physical Development

- **Move your body like one of the characters.**
- What keeps you healthy? Can you make a video to show me?
- Help your grown up carefully to prepare a healthy snack or meal.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Look in a mirror. What do you see? Can you make different faces? Make a face to show you are happy, sad, scared, worried or excited.
- Carry out an act of kindness to make somebody feel happy.