

# Good Morning Friends!

**What day is it today?**

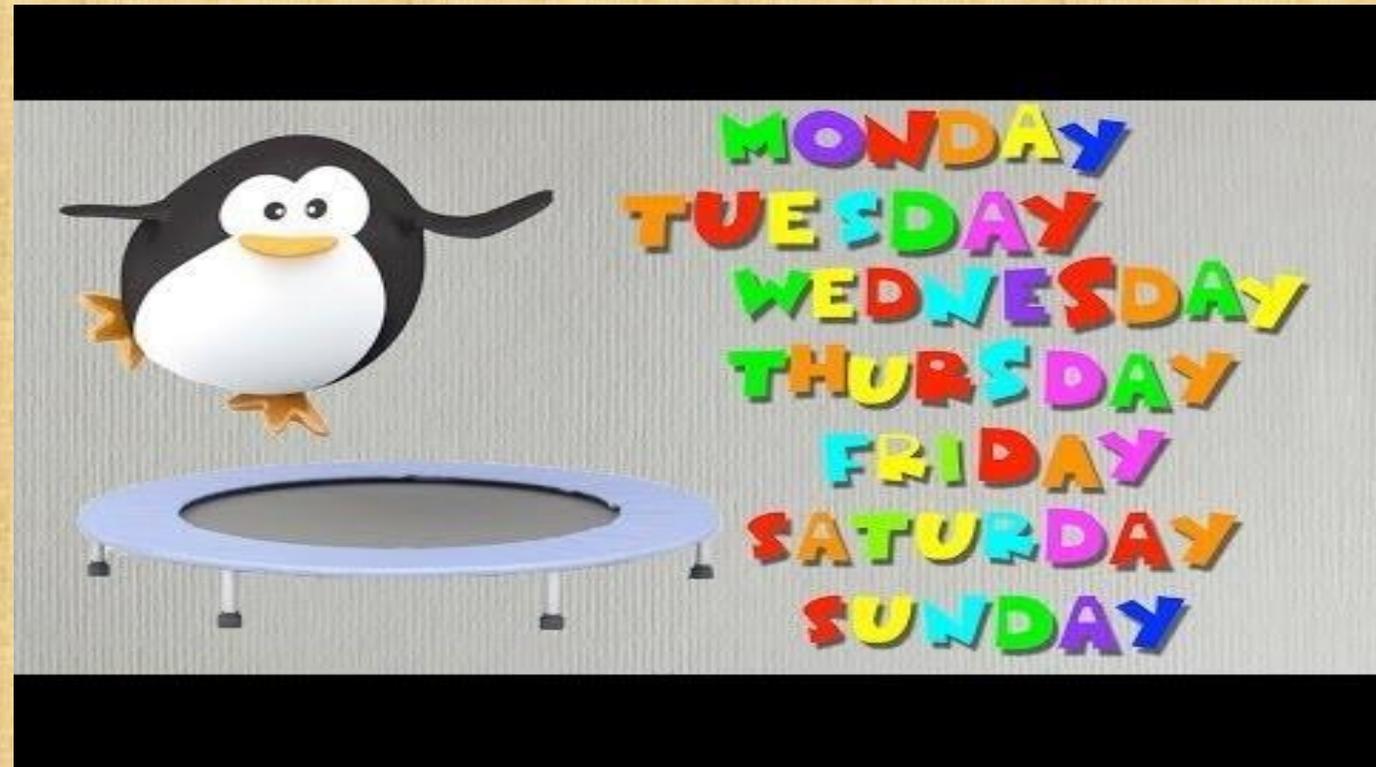
Sing the days of the week song to find out.

What day was it yesterday?

What day will it be tomorrow?

Can you say it in a sentence...

**Today it is...**



# What is the weather like today?

Have a look out of the window or go outside!

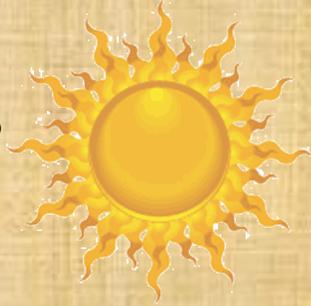
Is it hot or cold?

Are the trees moving?

What colour is the sky?

Say your observations in a sentence:

**The weather today is...**



Sunny



Partly Sunny



Partly Cloudy



Sun & Rain



Raining



Thunderstorms



Snowing



Cloudy



Windy



Rainbow



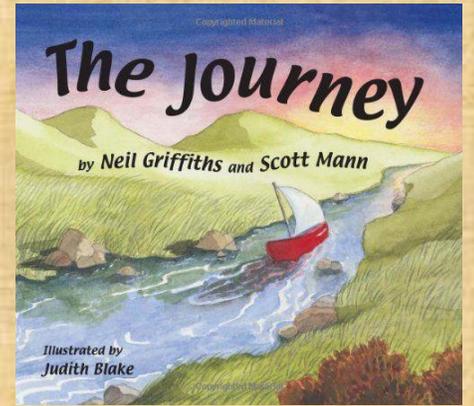
Tornados / Hurricanes



Clear

# Literacy

Our story today is *The Journey* by Neil Griffiths

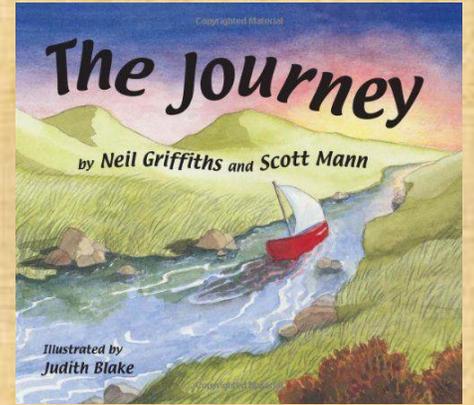


<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GLtS4Fjtwuc>

Listen to the story and listen carefully to see if you can hear the rhyming words.

# Literacy

Rhyming words.



Ask your child to think of a word that rhymes with dog. Talk about the word sounding the same at the end like shark and bark.

In the book the author has used rhyming words. Where do they come in the sentence? At the end.

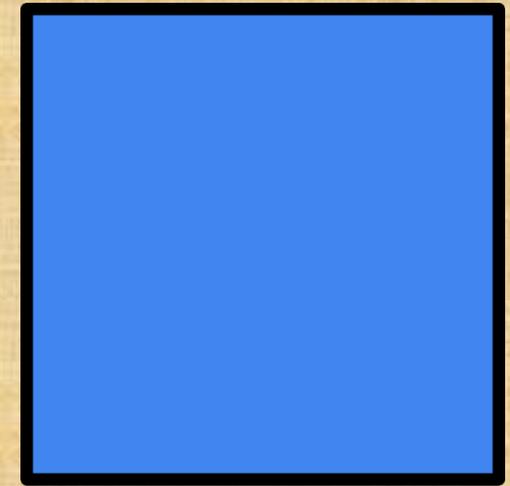
The words in the yellow square are from the book. Read the words out to your child and see if they can find the matching rhyming pair.

day    sight    sky  
break    high    away  
night    lake    swan  
below farm brown  
on    slow    calm  
brown.

Choose two words from the list and write two sentences.

# Maths

Our focus today is squares.



**Today's Number  
is 12**

Show them number 12. Can they tell you the number? What is 1 more than 12? What is 1 less than 12?

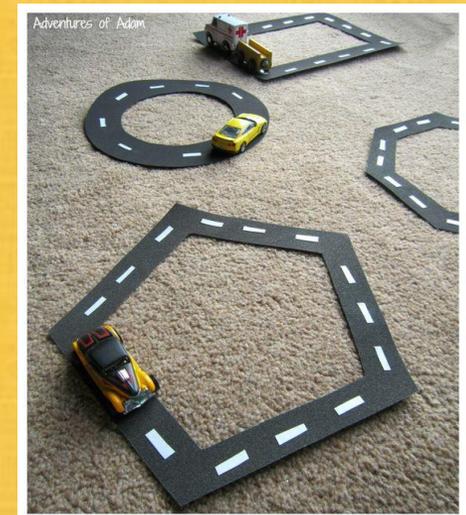
Watch numbertime shapes-square  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QDqd56tpT9I>

Does a square have curved edges?

Can it roll?

How many corners does a square have?

Can you make a road in the shape of a square or a circle for a toy car to follow?



# Phonics

Our sound today is er.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> please login into phonics play.

User name: march20 password: home

Click on parents, interactive resources, phase 3, Flash cards speed trial and finally phases 2 and 3. The children then say the sound that comes up on the screen. This activity needs to be done everyday.

Write er ask your child to say the sound.

Copy the following words down onto a sheet of paper: mermaid, ser, herd, letter, her, mert, sherm, butter, farmer, terg.

Your child has to sort the words into real and alien words by copying them into their books in two lists.

Real

mermaid

her

Alien

mert

ser

# Creative - Painting

## Wassily Kandinsky

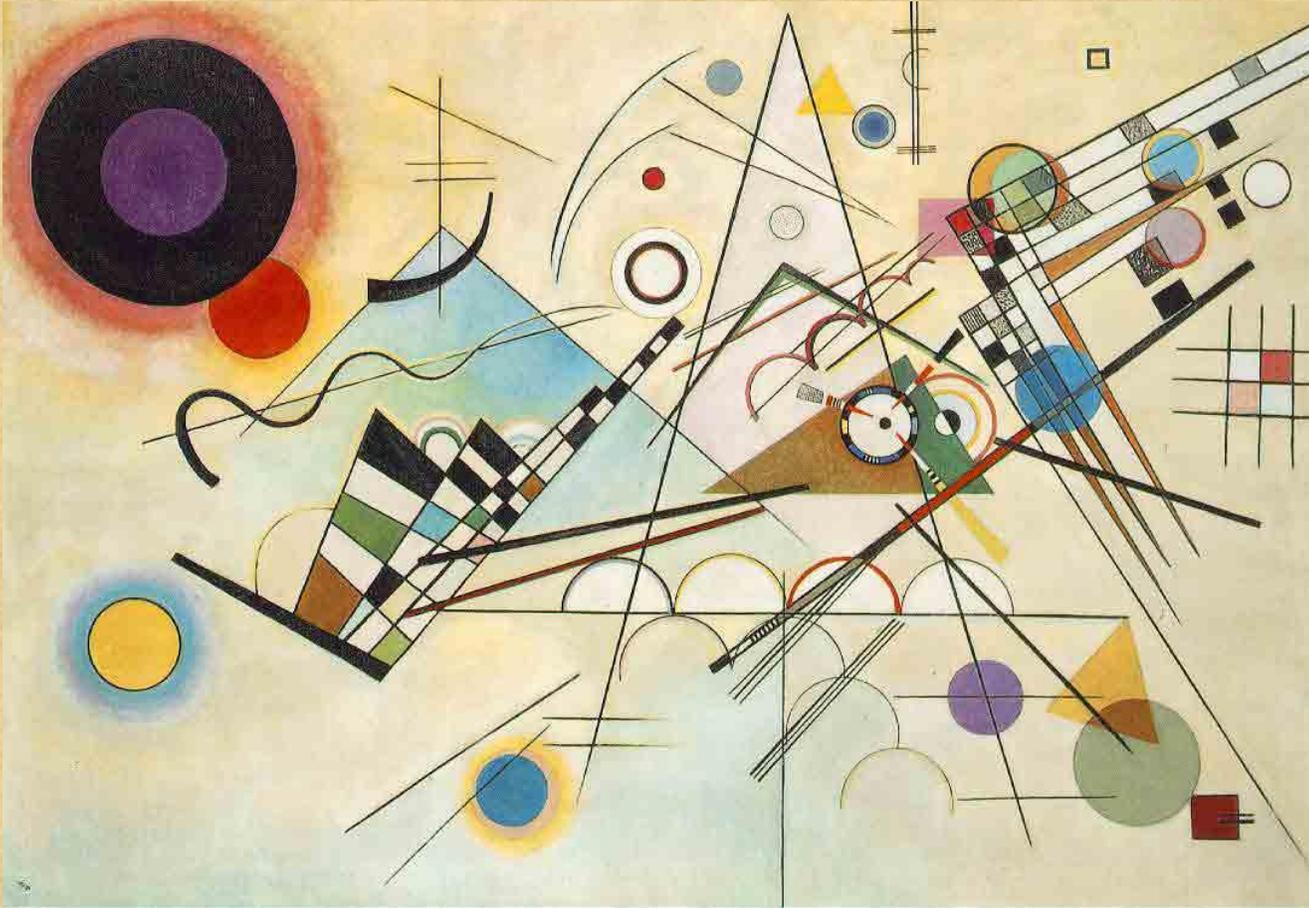
Wassily Kandinsky was born in Russia on 16<sup>th</sup> December 1866.

Many people think he was the first abstract artist.

**Abstract art** is more about the shapes and colours and the feelings it expresses, not about the drawing or painting of real things correctly.



Music helped him create his paintings. He especially loved opera.



# Your turn

Have a go at making your own squares and circles picture. You will need a piece of paper with six squares on it. You can then paint/colour or collage the squares and circles.



Looking at Abstract Art:  
Squares with Concentric Circles (1913)

