

Nursery to Year 6 – activities for everyone. Choose the ones you will enjoy.

Listen and read

- Listen to the story on Vimeo. Tricky words will be explained there too. Link: <https://vimeo.com/409462633>
- Read the copy of the story with your family.

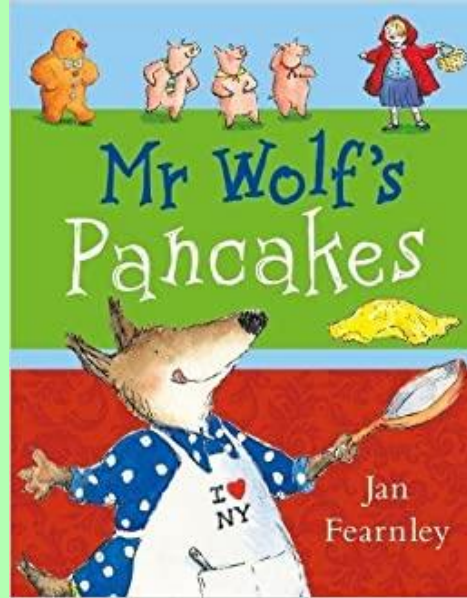
Get to know the story

Talk about the story

- Which fairy stories or nursery rhymes are all the characters from?
- Why were they all so mean to the wolf?
- What other characters could the author have included?
- Do you think that Mr Wolf was right to eat all the characters?
- Look carefully at the pictures. There are lots of things in the pictures that might remind you of wolves or other fairy tale characters. Can you find them?

Drama

- **Act out the story with your family.** If there aren't enough of you, take on several parts or act it out with toys. Make some puppets and put on a show.
- **Hot Seat** some characters. One person pretends to be a character and the others ask them questions.
- **Freeze Frame.** Work with your family to recreate pictures from the book and freeze it like a photo. You can take a real photo if you like. Don't forget to think about your facial expression and body language.
- **Arrest.** Imagine some witnesses (for example, the little pigs' mum). Act out what they would say to the police. Who would speak up for Mr Wolf? **Act out a court scene** – see writing.



Art and DT

- Use scrap paper to make masks of all the characters. Use them to help your drama..
- Make puppets of all the characters using sticks and paper, socks or even by drawing on your fingers.
- Make some pancakes. If you can't make them, design some imaginary ones with lots of different toppings. You could draw your pancake or do a collage of the different ingredients. What ingredients would different characters like? Write out the recipe with pictures that show people what to do.
- Use junk to make one of the character's houses. Create your own village.
- Look at the picture of the village shops. Draw some more adverts or things that the shops could sell. Try to link them to fairy tales.

Writing

- Make a cartoon strip of the story.
- Design a different cover for the book. Write a blurb for the back.
- Write the story but change the ending.
- Write the story but change the characters in Mr Wolf's village.
- Do a character description of each of the characters. Draw your character in the middle and write around the picture.
- Make a 'Wanted' poster for Mr Wolf. Persuade everyone that he is bad.
- Write a newspaper report about what happened. Decide whether you think Mr Wolf is innocent or guilty. Make the report show your point of view.
- Write the story from a different character's point of view. Show how the character feels.
- Imagine that Mr Wolf was arrested and taken to court. You are the lawyer supporting him. Write down what you would say to prove that he is innocent. Next pretend to be the lawyer who wants him to go to prison. Write down what you would say to prove that he is guilty. Make sure your writing sounds persuasive.

Geography

- Make a map of the village.
- What types of houses would other fairy tale characters live in?