

Make Puppets

Using a paper plate, a piece of paper attached to a popsicle stick or paper bag creates a puppet version of your favorite animal, or multiple animals, from the story. Use items found around the house (crayons, markers, paint, yarn, magazine clippings) to create animal faces. Use the puppets to retell the story. Take your puppet on an adventure around the house- If you have created Red Bird from the story go looking for things that are red or start with the letter Rr.

What Can You See - Nature Walk

Take a nature walk in your back yard or on a non-crowded walking path. Before you walk, plan what you are going to look for. Using the chart attached, or draw your own, plan what you are going to look for. As you walk make sure to color in one square for each thing you find. When you get home count how many of the things on your list you found. Determine which item you found the most of and which you found the least of.

I Spy Animal Footprints

Go for a walk in your back yard or a non-crowded trail through the woods. Look for signs of animals. Can you find and identify any animal foot prints? Are there any signs of animals that live in the trees nearby? Do you see any holes in the ground? Turn rocks or safely roll logs to look for insects. Did you find something you can't identify- come home and find a book on your bookshelf or have a grown up look it up on the computer.