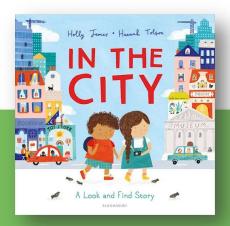


Additional activities to use with the stories



Join Lucy and Oscar as they set off on a big adventure in the city. Zoom on the train, discover dinosaurs at the museum, climb through the clouds to the top of the tallest building, glide along the river and wander past all kinds of treasures at the market.

### What others thought:

I very much enjoyed this – especially the destinations of the trains!

They are very busy books – your eyes are pulled all over the place. I like that they are a cross between an information book and a story.

There's lots of new vocabulary.

## Prepare for a journey



- **Materials:** You might want to bring a camera or note pad to record what you see. You could bring snacks or pack a picnic.
- Activity: Pack a bag for a journey. It can be an imaginary journey or a real-world journey. You could prepare for a trip to the moon or your usual bus. Plan what you might need and have fun being creative.
- **Why do it?** This is a great opportunity to be imaginative, or to turn something ordinary into a lot of fun.

## Count what you see



- **Activity:** Next time you go for a walk or bus ride choose something to count. It could be red cars, tall trees, or pigeons. You could choose 2 different things (red cars and blue cars) and see which you see more of.
- **Why do it?** This is a chance to practice counting and built vocabulary. It turns an ordinary trip into something interactive.

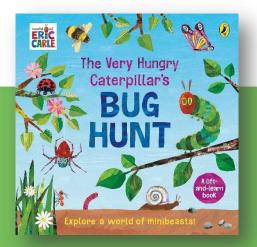












Help The Very Hungry Caterpillar hunt for minibeasts! Look up, look down, look closely - which bugs can you find? A brilliant new lift-and-learn board book filled with beautiful wildlife scenes to explore and fascinating creatures to discover. This is a must-have for little hungry minds everywhere.

#### What others thought

This book has simplicity and a familiar character or, the chance to meet

The Very Hungry Caterpillar for the first time!

#### Make your own minibeasts



- **Materials**: junk modelling from the recycling bin, glue, scissors, and paint (or something to decorate with).
- **Activity**: After you have found the minibeasts in your book, have a go at creating your own. If you want to make a caterpillar, you can cut up an egg box to make the body parts, stick them to a piece of paper or card, and paint/colour to add the detail.
- Why do it? This activity supports motor skills and creativity.

# Create your own collage

- **Materials**: paper, textured paper or materials, scissors, and glue
- Activity: This book is made using collage. Collage is art made by sticking different materials or fabrics to a piece of paper/card. Make your own collage by using the cuttings of old magazines or fabric. Decide what picture are going to make and arrange the smaller pieces onto your paper or card before you stick them down. Choose something simple to make that you know you have the colour for. It could be the sun or a bug.
- **Why do it?** This activity gives opportunities to think creativity and work together.









