



Little Steps Out and About

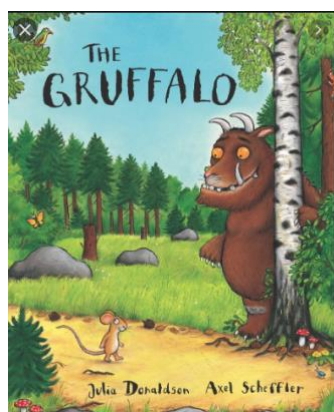
SING AND SIGN THE [GRUFFALO SONG](#)
STORYTIME – A LEAFY TALE



"We are going to do something special in the garden today," said Big Teddy. "We're going to find some LEAVES." There was a puzzled silence. "But there are millions of leaves in the garden," objected Lamb. "They are all over the grass." "Ah, but we are going to find lots of *different* leaves," explained Big Teddy. "If we can find various shapes and sizes, we can paint them."

The toys were searching excitedly, when there was a big YOWL, and Kitten burst into tears. "My leaf has attacked me," she wailed, "look!" "Oh dear," said Big Teddy, "you have found a holly leaf and it is very prickly." Hedgehog arrived, covered in raspberry leaves. "I just rolled and they just stuck," she reported, "and the raspberries sort of fell into my mouth!"

Suddenly, Puppy rushed up with a crash and a huge leaf. "That's a yucca leaf," said Big Teddy. "I've got oak leaves," said Lamb, knowledgeably. "What's this leaf, Big Teddy?" asked Little Teddy. "That's a yew leaf," replied Big Teddy. "A ME leaf?" exclaimed Little Teddy, astonished. "No, a YEW leaf," laughed Big Teddy. "I didn't know there was a Little Teddy Leaf," quacked Duckling. "Do you think that it is time to play Sleeping Bunnies?" "Definitely," said Big Teddy.



THE GRUFFALO by the wonderful JULIA DONALDSON and AXEL SCHEFFLER is perfect for an Autumn adventure in the woods. The book is widely available, read [HERE](#) by Alan Mandel.

TODDLER BIBLE TIME: [PETER WALKS ON WATER](#)



Peter was Jesus' friend and wanted to be like Jesus. Sometimes that was a pretty difficult task.

TODDLER CRAFT TIME:

How to make leaf prints like this is [HERE](#) – BUT ... painting the back of the leaf gives a better print than painting the front.

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GENTLE PARENT MOMENT

["Flowers in October"](#) Tim Janis

If you join Little Steps on Wednesdays 10am and 12 noon, for informal PICNICS IN THE PARK Great Shelford rec, please obey the **RULE OF 6**.

Here are the RULES if you join our separate **ACTIVITIES SESSION**

1. Join in **on the day** by scanning our QR CODE
2. Clean hands (child and adult)
3. Choose your activities – adults must distance
4. Have a seriously happy time
5. Clean your hands: THANK YOU FOR COMING!

Our ever popular CLIVE is [HERE](#) 4pm Fridays!



TINY TOES IS BACK! Diana writes...

Anyone with a baby under 1 who is not yet mobile, can join us at Tiny Toes from 7th October. Sessions run on Wednesday afternoons between 1.30 and 3.00pm. *You will need to book a place on the website or by emailing Diana direct...*
diana@shelfordfreechurch.org.uk

Please let us know if we can help you in any way.
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ALL TODAY!
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