

The Making of Milton – Ideas for Learning

English



Read the story and then ask your child the questions on the **Talk Cards**. Great for discussion and comprehension skills!



Use this **Reading Comprehension** to support your child with their reading skills. Start with the one-star questions, then move to two and three stars.



Check your child's understanding of the main events in the story with this **Sequencing Activity**. Can they put the events in the correct order? Use the **Sequencing Cards** to help.



This **Word Search** is a fun way to familiarise your child with the vocab in the story! Can they find all the words?

Maths

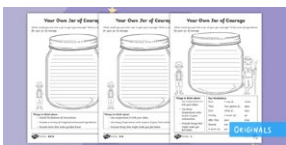
Practise multiplication and division with these **Challenge Cards**. Each one features a tricky word problem for children to solve.



Your child can use their taking-away skills with these fun **Subtraction Colour by Number Worksheets**.



Talk Time



Is your child feeling worried or anxious with the change in their routine? This **Recipe for a Jar of Courage** will encourage children to think about what they could do to help ease their worries.



Your child can inspire others to feel brave with this **Courage Is within You** poster activity.

Extra Activities



Children can make their own **Jar of Courage** and fill it with anything they want to help give them a boost! Why not help your child to write down one positive thing that happens each day? Pop them in the jar and at the end of a month, you can look back over them!



Worry monsters are great because they read your worries and then munch them away! Your child can make their own with this **Worry Monster Craft**.

No Printer? No Problem!

- You could complete this interactive **Reading Comprehension Activity**.
- If possible, take time out of each day to sit and talk with your child about one thing they are grateful for or feel positive about. It might be a special skill they have, a loved one or even a favourite toy!
- Give your child a pen and paper and get them to draw a big squiggly pattern. They've just made their own mindfulness colouring picture!
- If your child enjoys it, why not do some baking together! Baking can be very relaxing and can help to focus the mind.
- Find a relaxing place to sit comfortably. Set a timer for one minute and breathe deeply in and out, paying attention to your breathing and any sounds you hear.

For more resources linked to 'The Making of Milton', [click here](#).