# **Individual Activity Lesson Plan**



Date: Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2020		
Activity Title: Handprint Giraffe		
Learning Intention:	Activity Overview:	
To experiment with colours and marks.	Use paint and your own hand to	
Links to EYFS: Expressive Arts and Design: Media & Materials:	create a giraffe.	
To experiment with colours and marks		
Resources:	Key vocabulary:	
Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae book or printed pictures	Book, giraffe, paint, handprint,	
Plain paper sheet	dance, press, pen, marker.	
Paint in desired colours (yellow, brown and black if you make a		
traditional giraffe)		
Black marker or pen		
Note: if you don't have paint, check out the other giraffe making craft		
ideas, on the additional resources sheets).		

## **ACTIVITY IMPLEMENTATION (including key question)**

#### Introduction:

- Read or listen to the story Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae with your child.
- Talk with your child about the story; ask them to describe the main characters and talk about the actions.

#### **Main Activity:**

- Get all your resources ready for your child to use, before you start the activity.
- Explain to your child that they are going to create a giraffe using their handprint.
- Let your child decide what colour their giraffe and spots are going to be.
- Help your child to paint their hand completely and press it on a piece of paper.
- Next, ask them to use their fingertips to make spots on the giraffe's body.
- Let it dry for a while.
- Once dried, help your child to draw a face on their giraffe.
- You can show your child a video how to make a handprint giraffe step by step following the link below: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WVxhvIE1gkU

## **Challenge**:

- Ask your child questions such as:
- \*Did you enjoy that story?
- \*What was the story about?
- \*What character did you like the most?
- \*Did you enjoy making your own giraffe?
- Did you enjoy painting your hand?

Did you enjoy painting your name.	
Additional ways to support your child:	Extension:
Make your own handprint first for your child to see	Suggest creating a handprint to make other animals
what is expected from them, explaining step by step	from the story.
what you are doing.	





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Follow the links below and be inspired to create a
giraffe using different materials:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rJIT6wmnuMA
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q-qIV9AoLNs
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7YXOH5NAn5k
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2WcbTf6B300