

Bears

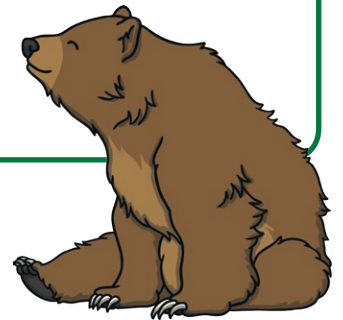
Home Learning Challenges

Some bears have a long, deep sleep during the winter. Play a game with a friend or grown-up where one of you is the bear and curls up with your eyes closed. The other person must tip-toe past the bear as silently as they can. Try not to wake up the bear, he might be grumpy!



There are lots of different types of bears. Have you ever seen a picture of a panda bear, brown bear, black bear or a polar bear? Which bear is your favourite? Draw or paint a picture of your favourite type of bear. What colours will you need to use?

Go on a visit to your local library. Can you find any books about bears? You might find some story books about bears and some information books. Which book is your favourite?



Can you walk on your hands and feet like a bear? Can you walk like this whilst you move around, over and under obstacles? Sometimes bears can stand up on their back legs and make themselves really tall. Can you do this? How tall can you make yourself?



Some bears sleep in caves during the winter. Do you think you could build a cave? Ask a grown-up if you can use some chairs and cover them with sheets and blankets to create your own little cave. Now you can pretend to be a bear. Pretend to sleep in your cave and then when you get hungry you need to go and find some food.

Brown bears like to catch fish to eat. If a brown bear caught 4 fish and then, he caught 6 more, how many fish has he caught altogether? Draw a picture of the bear with the fish to help you find the answer.