

Grandmother Spider Steals the Sun – Week 2



Monday

Can you think of another animal that might try to steal the sun before Grandmother Spider? How might they have been changed by trying to carry the sun? Eg the way that possum lost its tail and buzzard became bald. Look at the pictures of the different animals on the file to help give you some ideas, then write a short paragraph where the animal tries and fails to steal the sun, like possum and buzzard.

Just like in our writing last week, remember to keep using powerful adjectives to describe the setting and your animal, and use adverbs that explain when, how and where.

Bronze: I can use capital letters and full stops.

Silver: I can include interesting adjectives in my writing.

Gold: I can include adverbs and adverbial phrases.

Challenge: I can add commas after fronted adverbials

Tuesday

For today's task, we would like you to write at least 4 sentences that fit into the story of Grandmother Spider where the animals speak to each other. Read the file on Punctuating Speech to remind you how to write direct speech and create your sentences. Remember to use the correct punctuation and vary the verb you are using to replace said. There is a word bank to help you with this.

Remember you need a capital letter at the start of the words that are being spoken.

Bronze: I can use speech marks around the spoken words.

Silver: I can think of different verbs to use to replace said.

Gold: I can use the correct punctuation for direct speech.

Wednesday

Please create a comic strip version of the story. You can use the template on the website or you can create your own!

Watch the clip at <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkgcwmn/articles/zbk47nb> then create your comic strip version of Grandmother Spider Steals the Sun.