



Year 1 Computing Spring Term Animated Story Books

Key Learning

To introduce e-books and the 2Create a Story tool.

To add animation to a story.

To add sound to a story, including voice recording and

music the children have composed.

To work on a more complex story, including adding backgrounds and copying and pasting pages.

To share e-books on a class display board.

Key Resources



Key Vocabulary

Display Board	A way to share your work on Purple Mash.
Sound Effect	A sound other than speech or music made for use in a play, film or computer file.
File	A piece of work on the computer.
Font	The style of text used in a piece of writing on the computer or tablet.
E-Book	A book that they can read on the computer or on a tablet.
Animation	Process of giving the illusion of movement to drawings and models.

8 hours over Spring Term

2 Type Activity

Online Safety

My Work Area

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Animated Stories: Lesson 1

To get started with 2Create a Story's My Simple Story level.
To be aware of the differences between traditional books and e-books.
To become familiar with the drawing tools.
To become familiar with the Text tool.
To save the page they have created.

Animated Stories: Lesson 2

To be able to continue the saved story.
To be able to add animation to the picture.
To be able to play the pages created so far.
To be able to save the additional changes and overwrite the file.

Animated Stories: Lesson 3

To be able to open and continue working on their saved file.
To work on the next level: My Story.
To be able to add a sound to the picture.
To be able to add a voice recording to the picture.
To be able to create and add music they have created to the picture.

Animated Stories: Lesson 4

To understand how to use additional features in the next level: My Story.
To be able to add a background to the story.
To have a good understanding of all the tools they have used in 2Create a Story and use these successfully to create their own story.

Animated Stories: Lesson 5

To understand how to use additional features in the next level 'My Story.'
To be able to open and add to the story
To be able to continue with the story using the copy and paste feature to create additional pages.
To create a class, display board of the story books created by the children.