

## What to do today

*IMPORTANT Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and any weblinks or use of internet.*

### 1. Write notes about an illustration

- Look carefully at the *Bird Illustration*. It is from a story about Ananse.
- Make notes about what you notice. Can you spot 10 different things? Ask somebody else to test you e.g. What is the colour of the feather near the owl?

### 2. Make up a story

- Use the *Story Summary* to make up a story about Ananse and the Birds.
- Start with the second box and then think about how the story could start and how it could end.
- Use your notes from the *Bird Illustration* to help you with the third box.

Share your story with a grown-up. Tell them what happens and what descriptions you will include.

### 3. Write your story

- Write your story of Ananse and the Birds.
- Try to include sentences that use conjunctions as you do.

### Try these Fun-Time Extras

- Can you read or record your story and send it to someone?
- Read another writer's story of Ananse and the Birds. (At the end of this pack) How does it compare with yours? How is it similar? How is it different?

## Bird Illustration



*From The Pot of Wisdom – Anase Stories by Adwoa Badoe and Baba Wague Diakite*

## Story Summary

**Plan your story here.**

*How did Ananse get up in the air?*

*What happened next?*

*Start with box 2 and then that will help you to fill in the other.*

1. What was happening at the start of the story?	2. Why did Ananse decide to get up in the air? How did he do it?	3. What happened when Ananse was up in the air?	4. What happens at the end?
			