

Lesson 5 – Writing Challenge

The child can write their own version of the familiar story. The child can add their name to the title, eg *Evie's Surprise*.

Change the purpose of the visit to the celebration from the previous session. Use the guest list and the food lists to help plan the story.

How could the food be lost on the way? Ask the child to write or draw a list of events that could happen, eg Nanny was hungry so she ate a cookie.

Think about the surprise. Who brought lots of food to the celebration and what did they bring?

Ask the child to write the story and illustrate it, showing what happened to the food on the journey and the final surprise.

What a surprise that was!

