


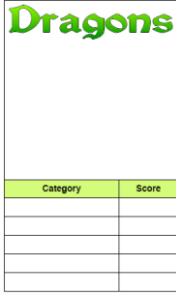





**Year 2 – Zog**

## 4 activities a day

Ideas for things to do at home  
with your child.

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<p>Enjoy the film version of the story on BBC iplayer <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0bwdw8y/zog">https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0bwdw8y/zog</a></p>	<p>Write a set of instructions to teach the dragons how to look after Sir Gadabout's horse.</p>	<p>Visit Espresso. Login with your school details. Search "Merlin and the dragons". Sit back and enjoy the story. There are some activities to do afterwards if you want to.</p>	<p>Make a list of all the words that rhyme in the story. Can you think of anymore words to rhyme with each?</p>	<p>Have a go at some dragon themed yoga! <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7NWzS2xziI4">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7NWzS2xziI4</a></p> 
<p>Make up your own dragon themed game. For example: You could create a "pin the horn on the dragon" game. Draw a picture of a dragon and a horn separately. Then blind fold a member of your family and see if they can get the horn on the dragon.</p>	<p>Make your own dragon top trump cards. Design different dragons and then think of different categories and scores to keep against.</p> 	<p>Visit Purple Mash and have a go at creating your own picture. Type "dragon" in the search bar.</p> 	<p>Find some pebbles. Paint them so they look like mystical dragon's eggs. You could add glitter and sequins to make them look really special!</p>	<p>Read some more stories about dragons. Compare the different stories. Are they always nice dragons? Do dragons really exist?</p>
<p>Imagine you are Zog's teacher. Write a school report for him. Has he been good or naughty? Which subjects is he good at? Not so good at?</p>	<p><a href="https://www.teachingideas.co.uk/sites/default/files/dragonstoptrumps_1.pdf">https://www.teachingideas.co.uk/sites/default/files/dragonstoptrumps_1.pdf</a></p>	<p>The little girl helps Zog at different points in the story. Can you learn some first aid? Could you make a poster to teach first aid skills to other people?</p>	<p>Princess Pearl doesn't like silly frilly dresses. Can you design some new clothes that she might like? If you have any scraps of fabric at home, then you could make them too.</p>	<p>Use your time skills in maths. Write down what a dragon might do at dragon school at different times of the day. You could use digital or analogue time.</p>
<p>Have a go at being a dragon trainer: <a href="http://www.schoolofdragons.com/?pid=js&amp;cid=aboutus">http://www.schoolofdragons.com/?pid=js&amp;cid=aboutus</a></p> 	<p>Use some tin foil and some cardboard to make a shield and a sword like Sir Gadabout's. You could even dress a teddy in tin foil armour.</p>	<p>Write a diary entry for a dragon who goes to school. What did he/she learn today?</p>	<p>Play "dragon tails" with a grown up or sibling. "Dragons" tuck a sock into their waistband. One person has to chase after and try to get the tails.</p>	<p>Practise your number sequences and ordering with a Chinese dragon. <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/chinese-dragon-ordering">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/chinese-dragon-ordering</a></p> 



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The two human characters in the story become doctors. Can you plan some questions for an interview with a real doctor? What might you ask them?

Find a simple cupcake recipe and have a go at making your own dragon cupcakes. Try and weight the ingredients out yourself!



Paint or draw a picture of a dragon. Add colour and detail. You could even have a go at mixing your own colours if you are painting.

Make a poster to teach the dragons about fire safety.



Draw a map showing Zog's route to school. Use direction to describe how he gets there.