Thistledown Lane

Pip and the Windy Day

Series 2 · Episode 1

Free teaching pack · Ages 3 to 7



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A gentle claymation series about kindness, friendship and the seasons on an English country lane.
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For grown-ups

The story

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The lesson

Being brave doesn't mean you're not scared. It means you're a bit scared, and you do one little hop anyway.

🌿 Nature fact: Why trees drop their leaves

In autumn, many trees let their leaves go so they can rest through the winter. In spring they grow brand new ones.

💬 Talk about it

- Why was Pip scared to come out?
- What did Old Wren explain about the leaves?
- What helped Pip be brave?
- What's something you were brave about? What was your 'little hop'?

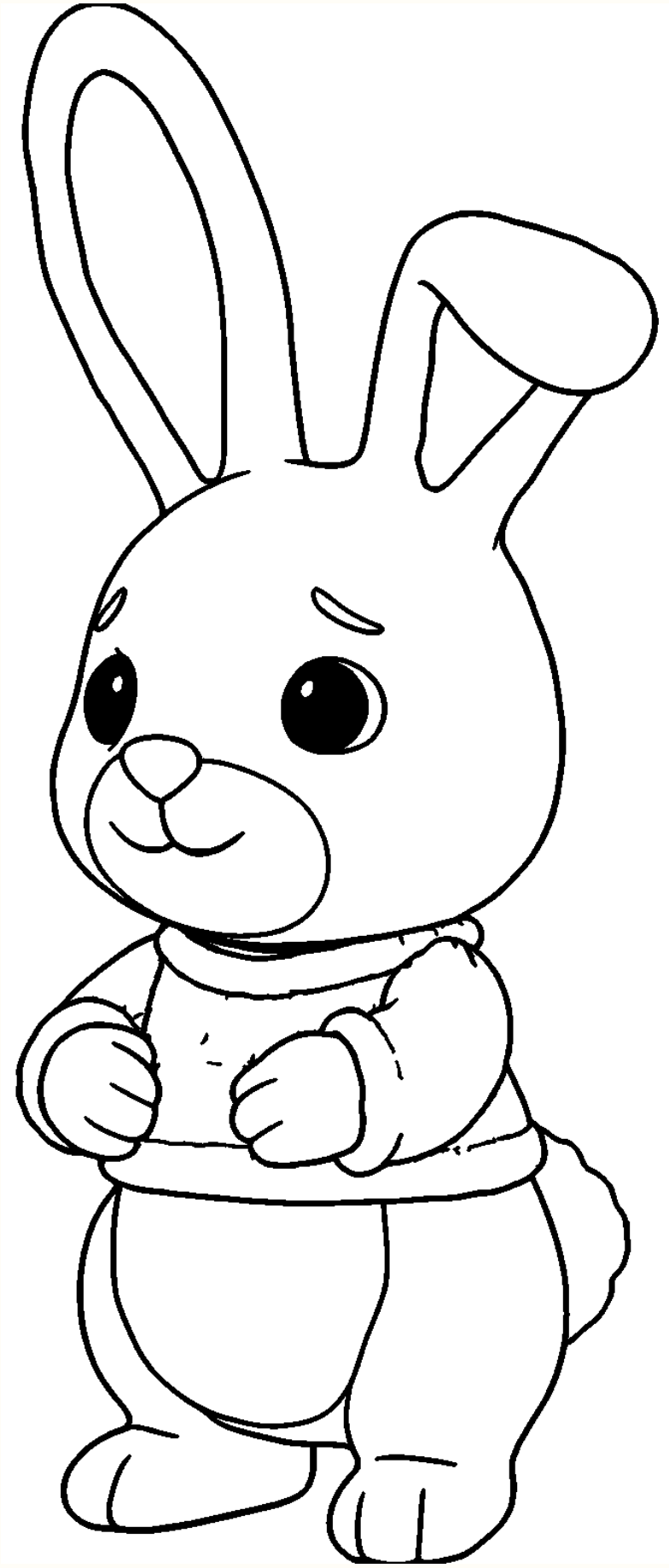
✂️ Try this: One little hop

Make a leaf pile together (or a pile of cushions). Take it in turns to do 'one little hop... and another little hop' towards it, then jump in!

📚 Curriculum links

EYFS: Personal, Social and Emotional Development; Communication and Language; Understanding the World (the natural world); Expressive Arts and Design.
Key Stage 1: PSHE (relationships, feelings); Year 1 Science: plants (deciduous trees); seasonal changes.
Themes: Bravery and worries, Seasons: autumn trees, Rabbits and burrows.

Colour me in!



My name: _____

Draw and talk

Draw something that makes you feel brave.

My name: _____