

# Wag and Brag & The EYFS Framework

♥ Learning through stories, questions, and real-life experiences ♥

## ★ PRIME AREAS

### Communication & Language

- Asking questions (Wag!)
- Listening and responding
- Learning new words

"Why can't I eat chocolate, Brag?"

### Personal, Social & Emotional (PSED)

- Caring for pets
- Making safe choices
- Understanding right & wrong

"We care for our friends"

### Physical Development

- Cut and stick activities
- Role play and movement
- Hands-on learning



## 📖 SPECIFIC AREAS

### Literacy

- Listening to stories
- Retelling events
- Early reading skills



### Understanding the World

- Learning about animals
- Real-life safety (food for dogs)
- Exploring the world around us



### 123 Mathematics

- Sorting safe vs unsafe foods
- Counting activities
- Recognising patterns



### Expressive Arts & Design

- Drawing Wag & Brag
- Singing songs
- Creative play & imagination



★ Learn, play, and discover every day with Wag and Brag! ♥

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## TEACHER HANDOUT

### How "Wag and Brag" Supports the EYFS Framework

#### Overview

Wag and Brag is a children's story designed to encourage curiosity, discussion, and real-life learning. It aligns with the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) by supporting both prime and specific areas of development.

#### EYFS Links

**Communication & Language**  
Children develop listening and speaking skills through Wag's questions and Brag's explanations.

**Personal, Social & Emotional Development**  
The story promotes empathy, responsibility, and understanding of caring for pets.

**Understanding the World**  
Children learn about animals and safe/unsafe foods, linking learning to real-life experiences.

**Literacy Development**  
Supports story comprehension, vocabulary building, and discussion.

**Expressive Arts & Design**  
Encourages creative responses through drawing, role play, and songs.

#### Example Activities

Sort foods into safe and unsafe

Draw Wag and Brag

Role play visiting the vet

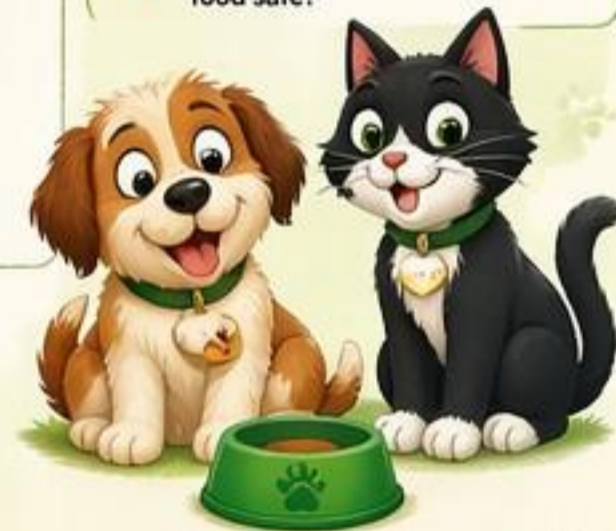
Sing Wag and Brag learning songs

Group discussion: "Why is this food safe?"

#### Learning Outcome

- Children will:
- ✓ Ask questions confidently
  - ✓ Understand basic animal care
  - ✓ Make simple safe choices
  - ✓ Engage in storytelling and discussion

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## Wag and Brag EYFS Mind Map



"We ask questions, we learn, we grow!"

#### About Wag and Brag

Wag is a curious little dog who asks lots of questions.

Brag is a clever cat who loves to explain and help.

Together they learn about staying safe, making good choices and caring for our pets and each other.

♥ Perfect for classrooms, story time and everyday learning!



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