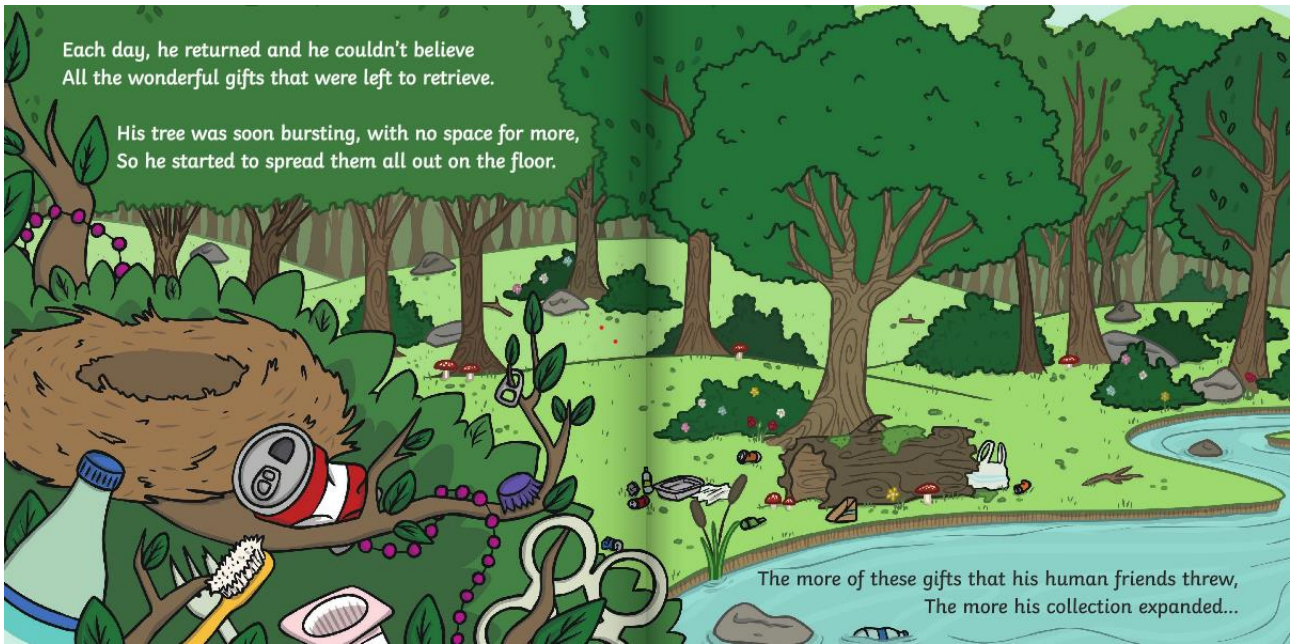




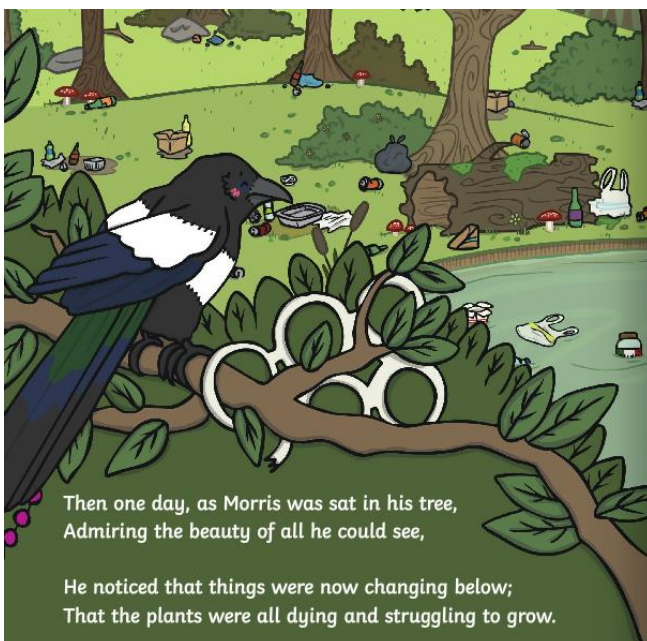
Each day, he returned and he couldn't believe
All the wonderful gifts that were left to retrieve.

His tree was soon bursting, with no space for more,
So he started to spread them all out on the floor.



The more of these gifts that his human friends threw,
The more his collection expanded...

...and grew!



Then one day, as Morris was sat in his tree,
Admiring the beauty of all he could see,

He noticed that things were now changing below;
That the plants were all dying and struggling to grow.



The grass was not green like it had been before.
The flowers were wilting, not bright anymore.



His animal friends watched in fear and distress
As their homes and their food were soon lost to the mess.



He turned to the stream, which no longer looked blue
But instead, had a horrible muddy-like hue.

The water was flowing more slowly that day
As the big piles of rubbish were blocking its way.

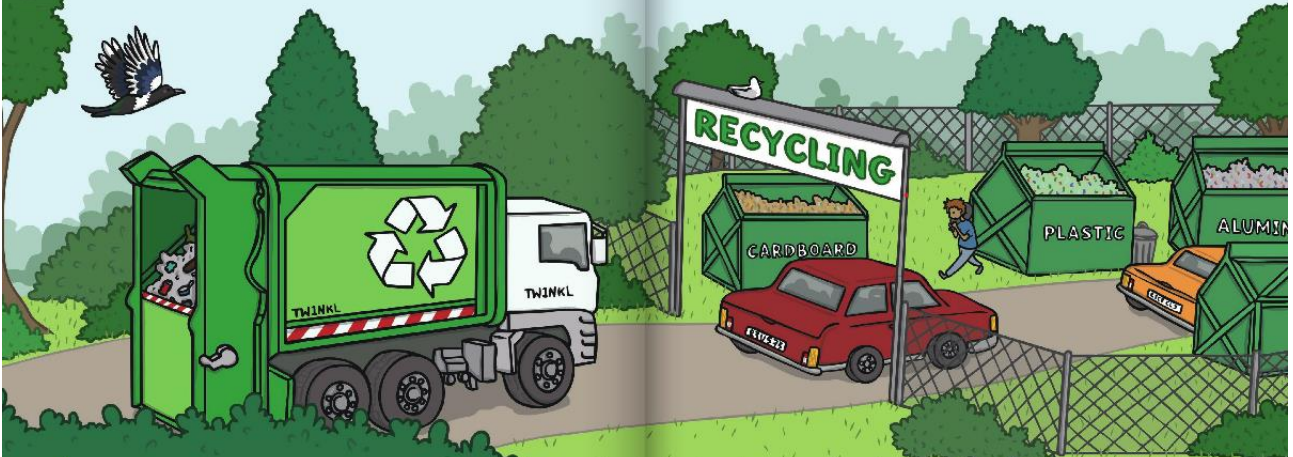


"Oh no!" Morris cried, as he gasped with alarm,
"I never intended to cause all this harm."

The forest is damaged; the humans weren't kind.
All these gifts were just rubbish that got left behind."

He noticed a truck driving past on the road,
Which was filled with a very familiar load.

Morris arrived at a bustling place,
Which had giant containers and masses of space.



He followed the truck to see where it would go,
Feeling hopeful he'd find what he needed to know.

Each bin had a sign marking what it was for
And the rubbish piled up, with each car adding more.

"But where does it go?" whispered Morris, confused.
To his shock, a voice said, "It gets crushed and reused."

"That's it!" Morris said and he knew what to do.
"If I bring it all here, they can make something new."



A seagull appeared and then said with a sigh,
"It's amazing what humans can do when they try."

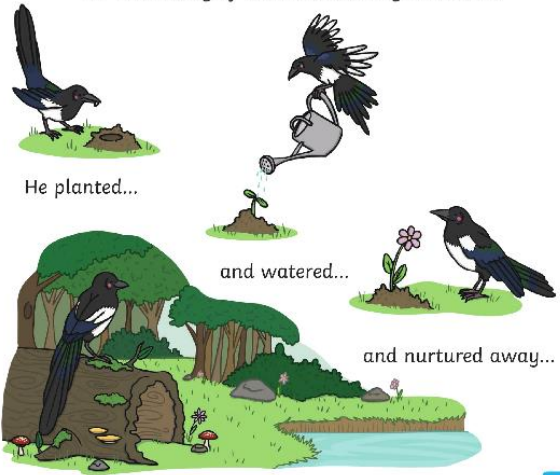
I might need some help but I must make amends."
So he called on a couple of very good friends.

They fetched and they carried for most of the night
And they worked as a team till they'd put it all right.



When the rubbish was gone, Morris looked all around,
At the stream and the flowers, the trees and the ground.

He desperately hoped that he'd made enough room
For the beauty of nature to once again bloom.



He planted...

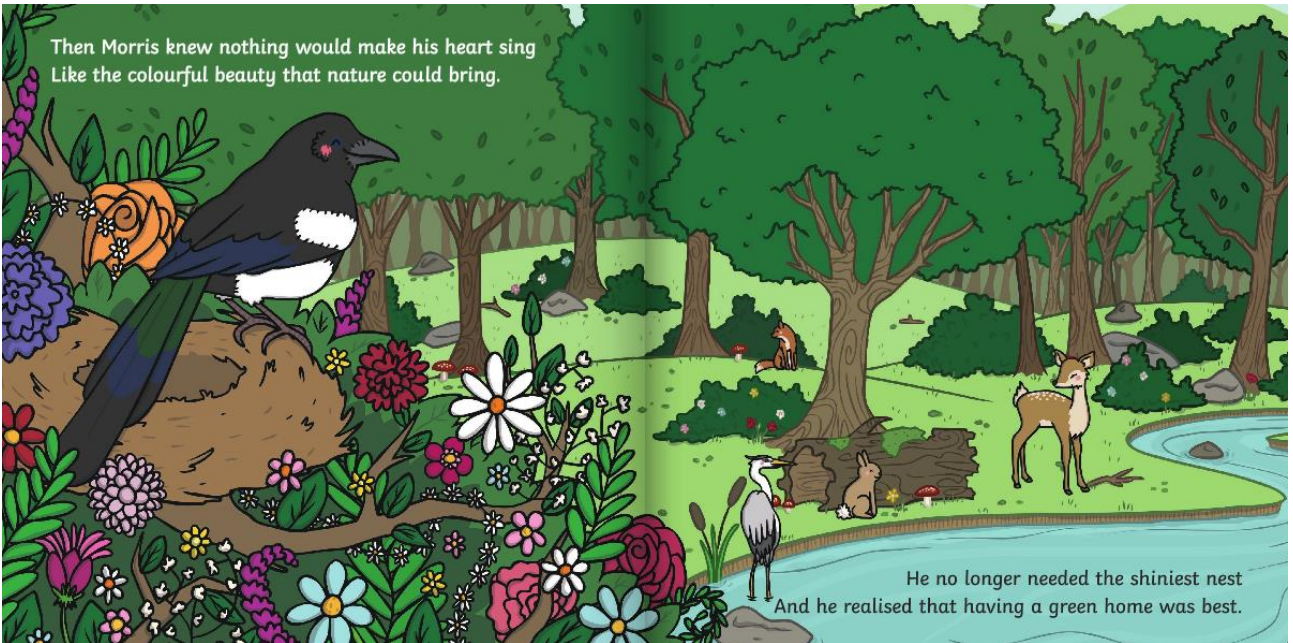
and watered...

and nurtured away...

Till the forest was thriving and growing each day.



Then Morris knew nothing would make his heart sing
Like the colourful beauty that nature could bring.



He no longer needed the shiniest nest
And he realised that having a green home was best.

Plants and Flowers Hunt

Tick the plants and flowers you have found!



☐ daisy



☐ buttercup



☐ clover



☐ dandelion



☐ fern



☐ rose



☐ bluebells



☐ daffodil



☐ ivy

Queen Elizabeth II

About Queen Elizabeth II:

Queen Elizabeth II is significant because she has many roles.

She is:

- Head of the Church of England.
- Head of the Armed Forces.
- Head of State.
- Head of the Commonwealth.
- She often opens or closes the Commonwealth games.



Date of birth:
21st April 1926.



Date of coronation:
2nd June 1953.



Interesting Facts

- The National Anthem song is about her.
- Queen Elizabeth II has served for 64 years so far, the longest-reigning monarch!
- Queen Elizabeth is the first queen to become 90 years old.

