

Shoo Fly Connected Learning Junior Education

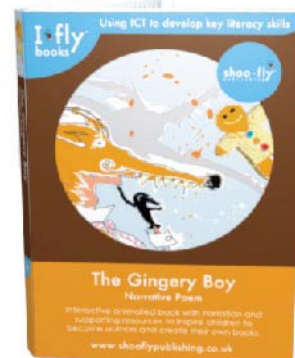
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With a huge array of ICT products out there to choose from, **Tim Rylands** reviews the latest releases



We developed our own versions of the story using whiteboard activities, which include book pages with and without text. Finally, we printed out and made a class copy of Shoo Fly's Animated Book and our own class version, complete with fur-fabric pages!

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The Gingery Boy

Shoo Fly Publishing I-Fly Books

This animated book takes a dark look at one of our favourite traditional tales, 'The Gingerbread Man'. We began by sharing the animated book, The Gingery Boy (from £35) on the interactive whiteboard. Set in a snowy, monotone landscape, music and animation of shadows lends a sinister quality, which engaged my class. We moved on to exploring the story using Shoo Fly's suggestions of making shadow puppets slotted onto plastic forks to explore character traits, and by galloping around as panto horses, plodding panto cows and slinky, sly old foxes to the soundtrack of the Gingery Boy!

