



Building an inside den - from household objects

Why not help the children make their own den or wendy house in the classroom like Wendy, Michael and John for indoor camping, story telling and 'midnight feasts'?!

You'll need:

- some space!
- blankets and sheets,
- chairs or a clothes airer
- cushions and pillows
- string /pegs to attach your blankets to the frame

Make your den by arranging the chairs or clothes airer as your walls and then draping a sheet or blanket over the top for your roof, secure this with string or clothes pegs. Put cushions or pillows on the floor to make it cosy. You could add decorations like fairy lights or scarves or bunting.

Encourage the children to tell their own stories (like Wendy) and tell them in the den.

Wendy, Michael and John take a clock and a midnight feast picnic of crisps, fruit, bars, yoghurt, and pop and camp out - ask the children what they will take into their den?