

**Movie
Night with
the BBFC**

***Spider-Man:
Into the
Spider-Verse***



Coming together as a family is more important than ever, so why don't you grab some popcorn and a blanket, head to the sofa, and throw a good old fashioned movie night!

This pack will contain everything you need to set up a fun film night, which is suitable for all the family. We've included a film suggestion, along with information about the age rating and ratings info. This pack also includes a fun, film related activity section - and some discussion points at the end, so when the credits roll, you can have a discussion with your kids about what you've all just seen. Although children of all ages may enjoy this pack, we think it's especially suited to **8 - 11 year olds**.

This pack will set you up to watch *Spider-Man: Into the Spidaverse*.

What you'll need:

- ▲ Popcorn, or another yummy movie snack, what's your family's favourite?
- ▲ A blanket, slipper socks, and PJs! You're at home on your sofa, so you might as well get comfy!
- ▲ Turn the lights down low, or even better turn them off completely to get that authentic cinema experience.
- ▲ Ask your family to design their own tickets, and hand them over to you at the door. They just need to include the film title, the age rating and ratings info, and the price that you'd like to charge. We've included a template for them in this pack to get you all started.
- ▲ You can also ask your children to draw a poster advertising the film night - including a drawing of the main character, the age rating and ratings info. Don't forget to advertise what time you're going to start your movie night!
- ▲ You can stream *Spider-Man: Into the Spidaverse* on Amazon Prime, Google Play or YouTube Videos. We've rated it PG, which stands for Parental Guidance.



What do parents need to know?

Here's a round up of everything you need to know before you press play and watch the film with your children. It includes a short synopsis as well as the long ratings info that you can find on our website. This tells you all the category defining moments in the film.

About the age rating:

We've rated *Spider-Man: Into the Spideverse* PG. That means that anyone can watch the film, but it's different from a U rating because children under eight, or more sensitive children, might find something about the film upsetting. PG films can be more complex or intense, but we still focus on avoiding content and tone that might make younger children feel anxious. We pay particular attention to scenes and issues that tap into real life worries. So while PG films might include tough ideas like crime, racism or bullying, they would never suggest that these are acceptable.

Synopsis:

Spider-Man: Into the Spideverse (2018) is an animated fantasy action film in which Spider-man crosses parallel dimensions and teams up with other spider heroes in order to stop a threat that could destroy all realities.

Ratings Info:

Violence

There are scenes in which heroes and villains headbutt and punch one another; however these are infrequent, undetailed and within a fantasy context.

Threat

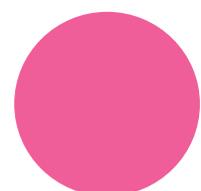
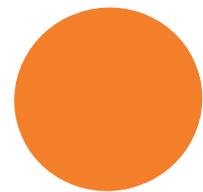
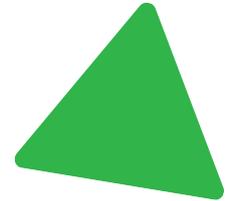
An intimidating masked villain with a metal fist pursues the hero; however, these scenes of mild threat are well balanced with more comic moments.

Injury Detail

A man has a black eye, and a villain has a bloody nose which is shown briefly.

Sex

There are references to a teenager hitting puberty, and a scene in which his uncle tries to advise him how to speak to girls.



Use this space to draw a brand new spider-hero to add to the spider-verse Don't forget to use bright colours, and be as creative as you like! We'd love to see your creation, so your parents can take a photo of it and tag the BBFC in it on social media:



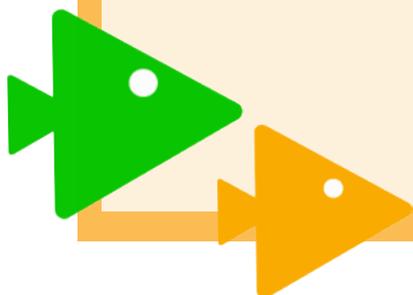
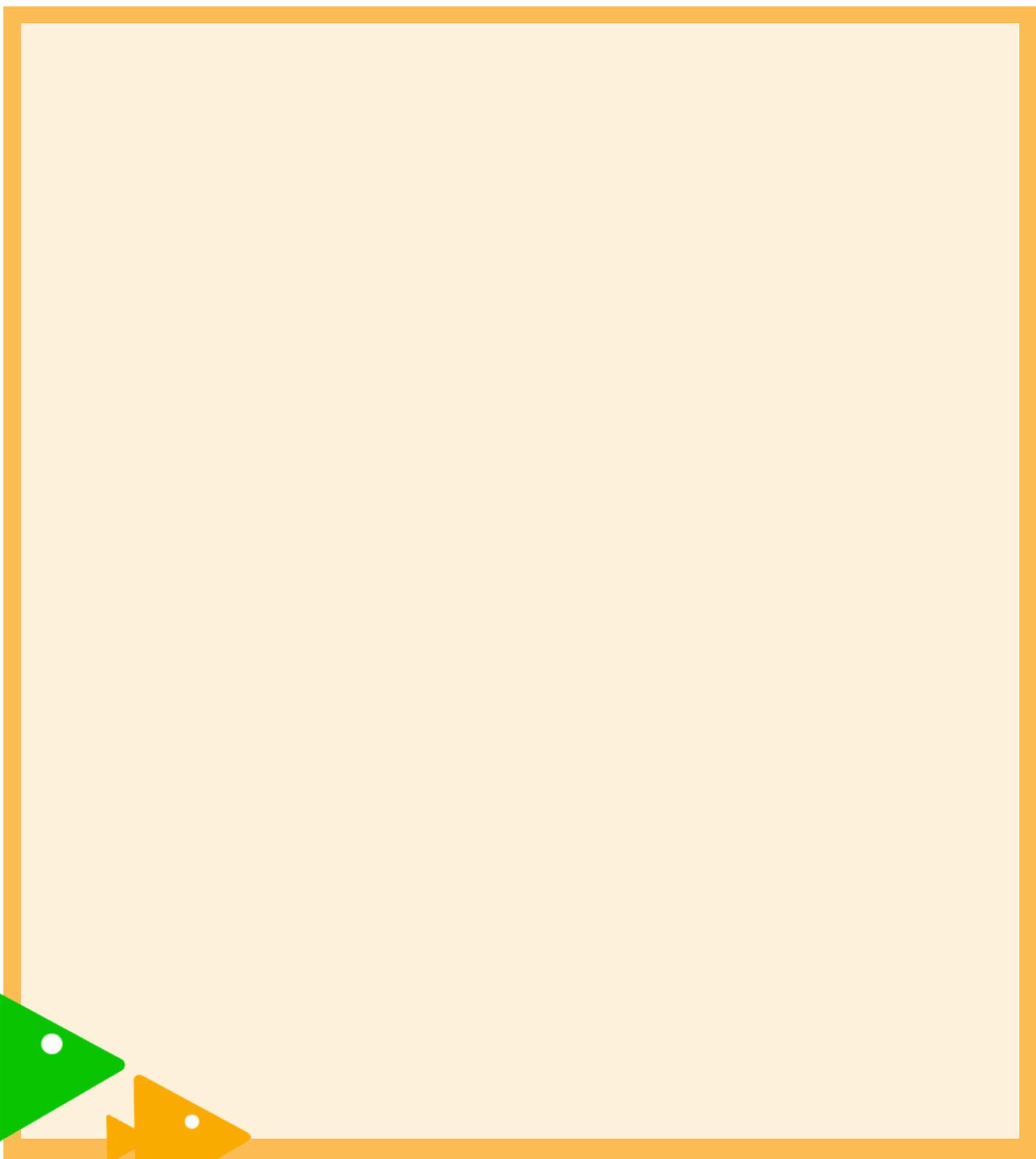
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An illustration of Peter Parker and Miles Morales. Peter is on the left, wearing a green jacket over his red and blue Spider-Man suit. Miles is on the right, wearing a black and white Spider-Man suit with a red spider emblem on the chest. They are both looking upwards with serious expressions. The background is dark with stylized white and red lightning bolts.

For the whole family: Now it's time to talk about the film



Did you enjoy the film? How did the film make you feel? Were there any bits of the story that you didn't like? Did you learn anything from the film? If so, what?



There are lots of different Spider-heroes in the film. Can you name them? Who was your favourite character and why?



Do you agree with the BBFC age rating? What about the info for parents? Would you add or remove anything? Is it helpful to know about what is in a film before you watch it?



When we first meet Spider-man he's very different from the superhero we think of when we talk about Spider-man. Why do you think he's so unhappy? Do you think he's more positive and upbeat by the end of the film? Do you think his relationship with Miles has anything to do with this?



How would you describe Miles's relationship with his dad? In what ways do they show their love for each other in the film?



Why do you think Miles's uncle chose to keep his identity secret from him?



What do you think it takes to be a superhero? Do you know any real life superheroes?



Spider-man is a comic book character. Are there any scenes in the film that remind you of a comic book? Have you seen any other films based on comic book characters? How are they different to Spider-man: Into the Spider-verse?



How do the heroes demonstrate good team work? Can you think about a goal you want to achieve that you will need help on?

