

## Spring 2 Once Upon a Time



<u>Personal Social and Emotional Development</u>
We will continue to have weekly circle
times to talk about caring for each other
and our environment. We want children to
develop independent skills and enjoy the
challenges in the areas.

## Retelling and developing their own narratives through role play and small world activities. Asking questions and sharing ideas in groups and whole class situations.

Communication and Language

# Physical Development Fine motor- we are practising forming lower case letters correctly and sitting them on the lines. Gymnastics-we are continuing to develop our gymnastic and performance skills.

#### <u>Literacy</u>

Reading a range of traditional stories.

Phase 3/4 phonic sounds and tricky words.

Reading and writing own stories. Using capital letters and full stops to punctuate high five sentences.

#### Knowledge of the world

We will be learning about and celebrating St David's day, Mother's day, St Patrick's day and Easter. We will be making Spring time observations in our garden.

### Expressive Arts and Design Lots of music this half term! Learning and singing songs linked to our traditional

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#### Maths

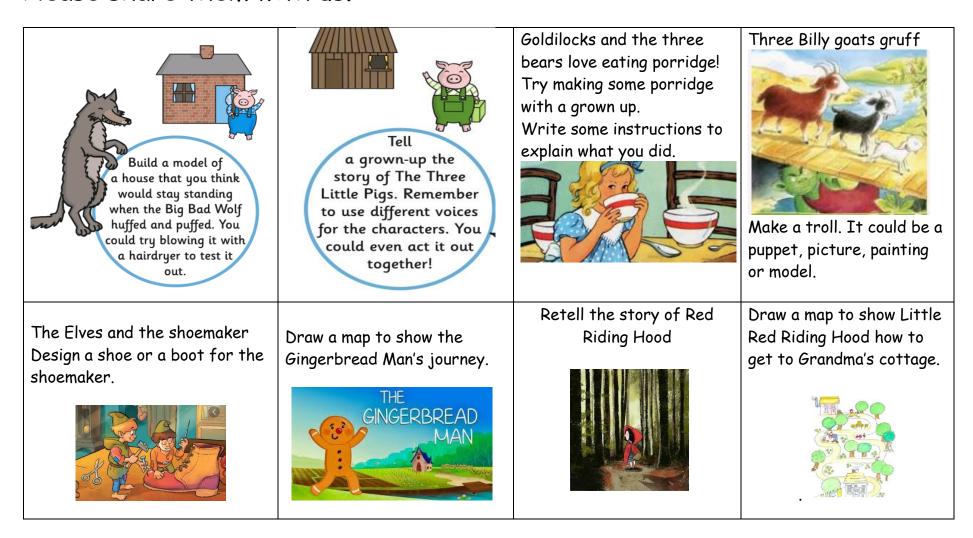
We will be measuring and exploring size and capacity. We will learn to recall number bonds to 5 and find one more and one less up to 10 on a number track. We will also be learning about 3D shapes and reasoning about them.

<u>Parental Involvement</u> Thank you for your support with daily reading at home it does make such a difference to your child's progress! Please continue to practice tricky key words too. Please find attached home activities linked to our topic.

#### Routines and Reminders.

Stay and play sessions are 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> March 9-10am
World book day is 2<sup>nd</sup> March
Parents meetings 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> March
Library visits are 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> March

Home activities-here are some ideas for activities you could do at home. Please share them with us.



#### Class Reading Challenge for this half term

Make a story box for a traditional tale. Here are some ideas.



Red Riding Hood



The Gingerbread Man







Goldilocks and the three bears