



Nursery Class – Spring 2 Newsletter 2025

What's happening in Nursery Class this Half Term? Our Topic is Traditional Tales	
Maths	<p>Nursery will be matching, sorting and comparing amounts to 4. Representing, comparing and composition of numbers to 4. Counting sets of objects to 4 Sorting the 3 Bears' belongings into each owner by deciding according to size. Using some positional language such as 'in' 'out' 'on' 'under' 'next to' 'behind' in play and using the stories Rosie's walk and Three Billy Goats Gruff with small world and outside. Practise counting sets and know what is the stopping number.</p>
English	<p>Nursery will be reading Traditional tales this half term. The stories we will be focusing on learning are: Three Little Pigs, The Gingerbread Man, Three Billy Goats Gruff, Jack and the Beanstalk and Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We will be retelling the stories using masks and props and sequencing them. Recognise own name and attempt to write own name using some letter type shapes. Joining in with rhyming games. Phonics- alliteration, rhyme, syllables and sound knowledge</p>
Understanding the World	<p>Nursery will find out about changes in Spring Go on a Spring walk and look for signs of Spring. Plant a bean and find out what the bean needs to grow. Making and tasting porridge. We will discuss what our own homes are made of and look at different types of buildings e.g. concrete and log cabins. Explore which materials float or sink when making rafts for the gingerbread man - which worked well, why? Which objects would float or sink if they fell into the Trolls river?</p>
Expressive arts and Design	<p>Nursery will sing When Goldilocks went to the house of the bears. Sing and put percussion to the Goldilocks rap. Use playdough to make gingerbread men, 3 bears etc. Increase their repertoire of nursery rhymes and ring games. Use the small world , dressing up and props to develop imaginative play and story telling. Build a strong house for the Three Little Pigs out of construction bricks Create Mother's day cards and Easter Cards</p>

PSHE

Nursery will Get changed and dressed again for PE
Take turns in turn taking games
Through stories, discuss how characters might be feeling – Jack – scared, baby bear – sad
Talk about themselves and their own experiences. Discuss what makes children feel: happy/sad worried/angry
Join in with other children’s play.
Try new activities.
Begin to wait for my turn.
Respond to instructions.

Home Learning/ Learning Opportunities

**Practise getting dressed and turning clothes the right way round.
Bookshare books changed on a Friday**

Nursery rhyme of the week sent home on a Friday

Dates to Remember

P.E. day is on a: Wednesday