

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This topic will allow the children to begin to explore situations from different points of view. They will discuss how different characters might be feeling and will be encouraged to bring this into their play. Children will continue to be encouraged to share and take turns. They will find solutions to conflicts within their play and will become more confident when playing with other children.

### Communication and Language

Through traditional tales, children will begin to listen to longer stories and will develop their ability to remember much of what happens. They will be encouraged to retell stories they have listened to, through their play.

### Literacy

This topic will allow children to engage in extended conversations about stories and learn new vocabulary. This will develop their early enjoyment and understanding of stories by sharing and discussing their favourite books. They will be encouraged to mark make in a range of different ways and to use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. Some children may begin to write some letters accurately.

### Additional Information

PE: Thursday and Friday

Tapestry: Please continue to share home learning and experiences via Tapestry.

Changing library books: Tuesday (or when your child is in Nursery)

### Physical Development

Children will continually be provided opportunities for play in both indoors and outdoors, to develop their fine and gross motor skills. They will continue to develop their core strength, spatial awareness and co-ordination through a variety of games. They will be encouraged to be increasingly independent as they get dressed and undressed, for example, putting coats on and doing up zips. Within PE lessons, children will learn to move a ball with control and in different directions and negotiate space successfully.

### Maths

Children will be introduced to number 6, whilst also consolidating numbers 1 to 5 and developing their subitising skills. Children will learn about the concept of height, length and mass, using the vocabulary 'tall', 'short' and 'long'. They will also explore capacity and make comparisons between objects relating to their size, length and weight.

### Expressive Arts and Design

The children will continue to have weekly singing and music lessons with Mrs Milner. Children will be encouraged to become more independent when accessing resources. They will use different mediums, as well as joining different materials and exploring different textures. They will be encouraged to make imaginative 'small worlds', using the Traditional Tales we will be reading.

### Understanding of the World

We will begin to explore what maps are and will create our own together, using stories.

The children will be encouraged to talk about changes they notice, through baking.



# Tell Me A Story

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