

Communication and Language

- Use new vocabulary related to stories
- Enjoy listening to a range of longer stories and remember what happens
- Be able to talk about familiar books and stories
- Talk about traditional tales we know and share our favourites
- Begin to understand questions and making predictions about stories eg. what do you think happens next?
- Use print and letter knowledge in early writing e.g. making pretend shopping lists or 'M' for Mummy

Weekly focus

1. The 3 Little Pigs
2. The Enormous Turnip
3. Goldilocks and the 3 Bears
4. The Gingerbread Man
5. Easter

Understanding the World

- Explore and talk about different forces they can feel
- Talk about our world and seasonal changes in the environment
- Talk about growing plants and vegetables and their life cycles
- Help plant and care for seeds
- Talk positively about the differences between people eg. sizes, height, etc.
- Use our senses in hands on exploration of different materials such as soil

Personal, Social, Emotional Development

- Engage in conversations based around our school value - Truthfulness
- Continue to develop relationships and play with our friends
- Begin to be increasingly independent with self care skills
- Talk with others to solve conflicts
- Understand how others might be feeling

Hedgehogs Traditional Tales Term 4

Exploration and Design

- To role play and recreate familiar stories
- Begin to develop small world play based on stories
- Explore a range of materials to create different artworks related to stories
- Begin to add more detail and meaning to drawings
- Remember and sing entire songs

Physical Development

- We will explore stopping and listening games based on a theme.
- We will continue to explore team games.
- We will begin to explore throwing and catching with different equipment.
- We will begin to jump and land safely from different heights.
- Gymnastics

Topic activities this term....

- Experiment with forces using a hairdryer
- Make and cook porridge
- Ice gingerbread biscuits
- Plant and care for seeds
- Develop and share a love of stories with our friends and families, including celebrating World Book Day
- Supporting world charities -Red Nose Day

Maths

- This term in maths we will cover -
- Consolidating numbers 1-5
 - Subitising to 5
 - All about number 6
 - Comparing and ordering different sized objects
 - Measuring and comparing height and length, mass and weight and capacity