

Sapling Spring 1 Class Newsletter

Dear Parent Carers,

This half term our theme is 'Traditional Tales'. We will be focusing our learning around those brilliant familiar stories – The Three Little Pigs, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, Gingerbread Man, and the Three Billy Goat's Gruff.

In Literacy our focus will be upon The Three Little Pigs. Children will be revisiting this story each week and learning to talk about the story with symbols and objects of reference, as well as using props to retell the story. Please look out for Tapestry observations on this each week.

In Maths we will be continuing with our Number learning, as well as developing our understanding around size in our play. We will be using the stories Three Billy Goats Gruff and Goldilocks to help support this learning.

In other areas of learning we will be working on investigations in Understanding the World, finding out how we can make a boat to float for the Gingerbread Man, as well as how many different ways we can blow the Three Little Pigs' house down. In Music we will be learning new songs related to the Traditional Tales and in Art we will be building 3D structures related to the stories. Our Physical Development will be around ball skills, learning to develop our throwing and catching skills with a range of equipment from scarves to balls.

We will be continuing to develop our social skills with our peers with visual support, learning those all important turn taking and sharing skills in our play.

If you ever have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us on the school number (01527 875475) or by writing in the home school diaries.

Many thanks,
Sapling Class Team

