

Reception children's ideas about 'Fairy Tales' include: Lots of stories, books and reading, once upon a time, 3 bears house, Goldilocks and the bears, big bad wolf, woodcutter, Snow White, Shrek, Cinderella and Jack and the beanstalk.

Communication, Language & Literacy Development

- Reading and retelling different Fairy Tales
- 'Acting out' stories using props and puppets
- Writing for different purposes

Adult-led outcomes:

- Story maps
- Letter from Goldilocks / Wanted poster for the Gingerbread man

Child-led outcomes:

- Making puppets and story props

Physical Development

- Negotiating space by playing games
- Using equipment and apparatus for a purpose
- Using tools and scissors safely

Adult-led outcomes:

- Mask making

Child-led outcomes:

- Playing 'What's the Time Mr Wolf' game

Knowledge & Understanding of the World

- Investigating different materials
- Noticing changes that happen to materials



- Looking at different homes
- Finding out about maps

Adult-led outcomes:

- Testing materials

Child-led outcomes:

- Building models of homes / furniture / bridges

Problem Solving, Reasoning & Numeracy

- Counting characters
- Comparing, ordering & measuring characters

Adult-led outcomes:

- Solving problems within Fairy Tales

Fairy Tales



Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- Stranger danger morals
- Understand about friendships / conflicts

Adult-led outcome:

- To know what makes a good friend



Creative Development

- Using Fairy Tales to develop creative work - collage / small world scenes / role play
- Role play areas
- Mask making / puppets of characters
- Playing music / moving to music / feelings

Adult-led outcomes:

- Making large scale houses (mixed media)

Child-led outcomes:

- Making puppets and story props

Events

Social Time - EVERY Friday 9-10am

Dental screening & Fluoride applications

- (Thursday 20th January) 9-11.45

Dressing up day -

(Tuesday 15th February)

Parent show -

(Thursday 17th Feb) at 2.30pm

How you can help at home

- ✓ Encourage your child to talk about and retell known Fairy Tales
- 3 bears / 3 little pigs / 3 Billy Goats Gruff
- ✓ Talk about different homes that you can see on the way home from school
- ✓ Look at materials and how they can be changed = water to ice / chocolate when melted
- ✓ Use recycled materials to build models with your child (the three little pigs houses)