

Reception
Miss Prest : Sapphires
Ms Edge & Mrs
Crowther : Rubies

Physical Development

We will be moving and dancing to different types of Indian Music. We will be trying new foods and thinking about foods that we should eat to maintain a healthy diet.



Once upon a time...
 This half term in Early Years we will be exploring traditional tales from our country and from further afield. We will be talking about the similarities and differences in each story and comparing the characters. We will also be visiting our local Library to look at a range of other story books and learn about how we can borrow books from the Library!



Number and Number Patterns

We will be exploring:

- Doubling, sharing, and halving quantities of objects.
- We will be adding and subtracting quantities.

We will also be talking about position when designing our story maps.



Summer 1 Topic News

What happened once upon a time...?

Expressive Arts & Design

We will be working on improving our drawing skills. We will be creating our own disguise for the wolf using a range of materials. We will also explore Indian music and instruments. We will also be rein acting the stories and performing these to our friends.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Our JIGSAW topic this term is all about Relationships.

- How do I feel I belong?
- How do I make friends?
- Can I think of ways to solve problems with my friends?
- How can I be a good friend?



English

We will be acting out some of our new stories using props. We will writing wanted posters for the Big Bad Wolf and acrostic poems. We will also be sequencing the main events by creating large scale story maps.



Our topic books will be:



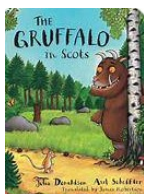
We hope you will continue to read with your child and send reading bags in everyday. That little bit of practice at home is making all the difference!

Stay and Play—Story telling Session

We are looking forward to welcoming you all to a special stay and play where the focus will be on reading and acting out stories. The date will be confirmed shortly.

Author of the Term

This term we will be focussing on the author Julia Donaldson.



Understanding the World

During this half term we will be learning all about the similarities and differences between ourselves and others, among families, communities and traditions. We will also be testing different materials to see which is best to use as a waterproof cape for Little Red Riding Hood, and we will be sorting hard and soft materials

