Literacy

Key Texts:

Billy Goats Gruff, Jack and the Beanstalk, Little Red Riding Hood, Sleeping Beauty, The Gingerbread man, Cinderella, Goldilocks and Rapunzel.

Writing: Children will continue to build on their skills of segmenting the sounds in simple words, linking sounds to letters and then writing the sounds in sequence. They will continue to practice letter formation to ensure they are using clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning. Children will break the flow of speech into words and will write short sentences in meaningful contexts.

Reading: Children will continue to review their knowledge of the Set 1 sounds and special friends. Once confident with Set 1 sounds, they will begin to learn Set 2. Children will continue to apply their Phonics knowledge to read short captions and simple sentences. Children will listen to a variety of stories and demonstrate their understanding by recalling the story, discussing characters and predicting what will happen next. Children will continue to learn tricky red words.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This half term the children will build on their knowledge of different emotions and will discuss how they and others show their feelings. They will start to develop ways to show their sensitivity towards their friends feelings and needs. They will work with other children to problem solve and organise activities. This half term the children will also be learning about healthy choices regarding screen time and bedtime.

Communication and Language

Children will continue to join in with repeated refrains, rhymes and stories. They will extend their vocabulary and discuss the meaning of new words. Children will retell stories in their play and when looking at familiar books. This half term we will focus on communicating in the past, present and future tense.

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Computing

Children will continue to explore technological toys and will practice operating simple equipment. They will also use ageappropriate software to complete a simple programme on a computer.



events, people and objects. They will continue to develop their drawing skills when creating pictures of castles. This half term the children will use different materials and tools to make props for their role play. They will also continue to explore the different sounds of instruments.

PE

Children will continue to develop their gross and fine motor skills. They will use simple tools to effect changes to materials safely and with increasing control. Children will explore different ways of moving and will negotiate space successfully, adjust speed and change direction when needed.

Maths

Number and Place Value:

This half term the children will recognise numbers 0-20 and practice accurate one to one counting. They will also explore building numbers up to 20 and noticing patterns. The children will continue to practice recalling the number bonds to 5.

Spatial Reasoning:

This half term the children will explore how shapes fit together and can be combined to make new shapes. They will also break shapes apart and discuss the new shapes they have created. The children will continue to build on their knowledge of shape names and the mathematical language used to describe them.

Addition and Subtraction:

Children will add and subtract amounts using concrete objects and pictures. They will also link this to the abstract number sentence and will continue to practice number formation.

Understanding of the World

This half term the children will be introduced to castles around the world. We will look at the features of a castle and talk about the similarities and differences. The children will also learn about the importance of recycling and reusing. They will discuss ways of recycling and reusing at home and in the community.

RE

Focus: Bible Stories

This half term we will be sharing stories from the Old Testament and New Testament. We will be discussing how the stories make us feel and the important messages within the story.