

# Hardwick Green Primary Academy

Reception Knowledge Organiser - Autumn 2

## Our Theme is:

Once Upon a Time

Our focus texts are

Room on the Broom

Not Now, Bernard

The Hairy Toe

The Gruffalo

Biscuit Bear

Hansel & Gretel

The Nativity

## Key Vocabulary

Story, Fiction, Woodland, Environment, Baking, Temperature, Cooked, ingredients, healthy, Christians, Advent, Celebration, remember, safety,

Other vocabulary is explicitly taught weekly through Drawing Club, Maths and Understanding of the World.

## Key Knowledge

- We can use adjectives to describe characters in the story.
- We can draw a simple map of the route the mouse takes in The Gruffalo.
- We can discuss the settings of the stories and compare them to other settings.
- We can learn about the habitats of woodland animals.
- We can follow recipes to bake apple crumble and shortbread biscuits and discuss how the ingredients change.
- We can learn about important events such as Remembrance Day, Diwali and Christmas.

## Wider Curriculum & Experiences

**Phonics** - We will continue to learn set 1 letter sounds including digraphs and blend them to read words.

**Maths** - We will be learning about circles and triangles and gain a deep understanding of numbers to 5.

**Jigsaw** - We will celebrate our differences and celebrate what makes each person unique and special.

**RE** - We will answer the key questions 'What is Christmas?' and discuss the Christian celebration of Christmas.

**Understanding the World** - We will talk about woodland animals and their habitats. We will bake apple crumble and shortbread biscuits. We will learn about Remembrance Day, Diwali and Christmas. We will create simple maps.

**PE** - We will develop our walking skills and travelling across the room in different ways.