

### **Expressive Arts and Design**

The classroom will be set up daily to encourage children to mark make and develop their fine motor skills. Children will be given opportunities to join different materials and explore textures and develop their own ideas. They will be given the opportunity to recreate the 'Three Little Pig's' houses. Teaching staff will model how to use resources and encourage role play opportunities. Children will build a 3-d model and will look at a variety of materials. Children will learn about their 5 senses and take part in a sensory walk and activities to support this.

### **Communication and Language**

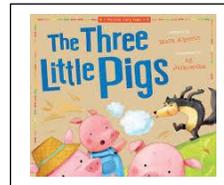
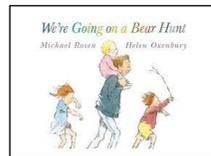
As always, learning areas within the classroom will be designed to encourage children to talk to each other and ask questions. Teaching staff will model and introduce new vocabulary to children. During the topic Tell Me a Story, children will be given opportunities to explore a variety of media and materials. Teaching staff will model and encourage children to act out the texts they will be reading through role play and they will engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.

### **Parent Map Foundation Stage One**

#### **Tell Me a Story**

#### **Key Questions**

1. What are the best objects to build a house out of for the three little pigs?
2. What is the best way to join each object to make a house for the three little pigs?
3. How does each material feel?



#### **Understanding the World**

Children will be given opportunities to learn about Chinese New Year and will participate in activities to support this. They will take part in World Book Day, dressing up as their favourite character. Children will take part in a spring walk and learn about how it is different to winter. They will also be learning about Easter.

### **PSED**

Children will be settling back into the daily school routine and continue to develop their independence. They will strengthen relationships with peers and teaching staff by being given time to talk about their experiences. Children will take part in the Jigsaw programme Healthy me and learn about healthy choices, exercise, sleep, hygiene (handwashing, germs) and stranger danger.

### **Maths**

Children will continue to learn number songs and nursery rhymes to support their learning in Maths. The children will learn about the number 6, height and length, capacity, sequencing and they will consolidate previous learning.

### **Literacy**

Children will be reading the books The Three Little Pigs and We're Going on a Bear Hunt this term. They will start to listen to longer stories and remember much of what happens. Children will take part in drawing club and letter join developing their fine motor skills. They will continue to follow the Monster Phonics programme embedding their phonic knowledge.