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Friday 5th January 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back and Happy New Year! We hope you had a wonderful Christmas and are ready to start the new term. This term we are focusing on a different traditional tale each week, outlined below.

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| w/c 1.1.24 | Goldilocks and the Three Bears | $\neg \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$ | |
| w/c 8.1.24 | The Magic Porridge Pot | Dare to be different 📕 | |
| w/c 15.1.24 | The Enormous Turnip | Fri 19 th Jan | |
| w/c 22.1.24 | The Gingerbread Man | Safer Internet Day | |
| w/c 29.1.24 | Three Little Pigs | Tues 6 th Feb | |
| w/c 5.2.24 | Three Billy Goats Gruff | | |
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<u>Reading</u>

Reading continues to be a priority and we do expect the children to share their book regularly at home. Remember to fill in the reading record as once I have seen that you have shared this book at home, your child will then choose a different one.

<u>Class Dojo</u>

Over the next few months, I would like your help in developing our understanding of our class's heritage. We are going to focus on one child at a time, exploring their heritage and history, and gradually build up a class display on a large world map. This means I would love for you to upload any photos of your family, including any cultural traditions, photos from the past such as baby photos, etc. If there are any simple rhymes and songs that your child knows from their home language (if that is different to English) or any simple phrases we could learn, please send me links or share videos. You can do all of this in the usual way through your child's portfolio. If you already uploaded some for cultural day last term, I will be using them for this purpose too so you don't need to re-upload any of those. We would still like lots of lovely photos of your normal family time together to share what you have been up to, so please keep these coming in. \bigcirc

Naming Clothes

Please ensure any items coming into Nursery are named. This includes jumpers/cardigans, hats, scarves and gloves where possible. Even just sewing or writing in initials will be very helpful! Please check that all the uniform you have is yours and return any items of uniform that belong to another child. Please ensure bottles are renamed too when the names are washed off.

Returning Items

If we have sent your child home in spare clothes that belong to school, please can you return them ASAP.

Getting dressed for Welly Wednesday and PE

We are going to be starting Welly Wednesday and PE lessons in the morning and these involve children dressing and undressing. Please can you allow your child time to practise dressing and undressing at home as these are important skills that are best practised daily. If you have not brought in wellies or a PE kit, please do so as soon as possible as we will be starting both of these this week.

Reminders...

Any more snack contributions are to be paid through ParentPay as soon as possible please.

Many thanks,

Miss Godfrey

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