

Vocabulary: young, golden, musical, ogre, magical, loud, scary, poor, ,green, quick, beard, strings, leaves, enchanted

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**Parents/Carers**

Please help your child to access some or all of these activities. It builds upon the work we have already done in Nursery and it is FUN!

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**Vocabulary: massive, giant, tall, huge, big, small**

Download the free app PP Stories on your ipad. Practise the letters on there. Also alpha blocks for free. We use Hairy Letters at school but it’s £2.99.

Nursery: Week beginning 27th April

**Maths**

**Learning objective for the week: To count 10 objects and beyond**

**Mental objective for the week: To practise counting to 20**

* Practise counting to 20 each day. Stand up and crouch down as you count. Talk about odd and even numbers like we do in nursery.
* Use the beanstalk ordering sheet. (See attached.) Cut out the beanstalks and order according to height. Use appropriate language: small, medium, tall.
* Practise number formation using the Jack and the Beanstalk sheets (see attached). Choose sheets according to your child’s ability.
* Have a pile of ‘magic beans’. (Use anything you have handy! Jelly beans would be perfect but pebbles or anything can be used!) Give the children a number between 1 and 10. See if they can count out that many beans. Extend beyond 10 if able.

**Understanding the World**

* If able, plant your own bean. Discuss what plants need to grow and record the measurements of its growth.
* Use a long length of toilet paper, laid on the ground. Gather leaves, twigs and other natural materials to create your own beanstalk. We would love to see the picture of these!

**Art/Craft**

* Draw or make a beanstalk and decorate it with fingerprint leaves.
* See if the children can draw or paint one of the characters from the story. It would help if an adult could draw one first for them to copy from!

**Music/Movement**

Sing ‘He’ll Be Climbing Up the Beanstalk’ and ‘Beanstalk Growing Tall’. (See attached.) See if you can put actions to the songs.

There is a great musical version of ‘Jack and the Beanstalk’ on youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pf9cVnfyhjM> Sing along and enjoy!

Cosmic Kids Yoga: The Farm <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YKmRB2Z3g2s>

**RE**

Think about all the things that we have to be thankful for such as family, friends, the sunshine etc. Say thank you to God. Remember to make the sign of the cross and close your eyes.

You might want to draw a picture showing all these things.

**English**

**Learning objective for the week: To use opposite words**

* Read ‘Jack and the Beanstalk’ if you have it

or watch the video on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W5rxfLRgXRE>

* Use the Jack and the Beanstalk masks (see attached) or make your own! Have fun retelling the story being the different characters. Remember to use the repetition: ‘Fe, fi, fo, fum, watch out, here I come!’
* Create a special ‘storytelling chair’. You could put a special cover on it or a picture. If you sit on that chair, you become the storyteller!
* Practise writing j, j, jack. Find other things beginning with j: jelly, jumper, juice, jeans, jacket, jam etc.

Please also ensure that you access cbeebies number blocks. daily. Its fun!