## Nursery Curriculum Letter

## Spring 1 2025

Personal, Social and Emotional DevelopmentPlay with our friends, responding to what they say as we act out Goldilocks and the 3 Bears story.Suggest ideas about how to share things to make it fair.Follow rules and help new children to learn how we do things.Talk about feelings of characters in our traditional stories and make links with their own feelings.Talk about actions of Goldilocks, Jack, Red Riding Hood, Troll and Gingerbread Man and say whether they made the right choices.	Communication and Language Listen to and join in with a selection of traditional stories - Goldilocks, Jack & the Beanstalk, 3 Billy Goats & Red Riding Hood. Learn new words from our stories and understand what they mean. Practise all our nursery rhymes so we can say them ourselves confidently. Develop our listening skills through Letters and Sounds phase 1 programme. Understand and answer 'why' questions in our traditional stories Why did the Gingerbread Man run away? Take on roles in our Chinese restaurant role play area and use appropriate language.	Physical Development Practise fastening our coats and putting on our own hats, scarves and gloves. Use construction to build bridges for the goats to go across. Balance to walk across a bench to act our goat's story. Use big movements in sequence and remember them for Goldilocks song. Practise using scissors to cut out leaves for Jack & the Beanstalk. Use different pens and pencils to 'write' letters, lists and menus. Use different tools to prepare food - Gingerbread men, goats cheese scones, porridge, cakes.
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## **Traditional Tales**

Literacy	Mathematics	Understanding the World	Expressive Arts and	
Follow print in a book with their finger	Recognise numbers of Bears or Goats	Talk about Winter and what we see in	Design	
moving left to right.	up to 3 without counting.	Winter time.	Pretend play and make up stories using	
Lots of talking about our traditional	Use different language related to size	Plant bean seeds, care for them and	story props.	
stories.	to compare the Bears, bowls or Goats	describe what we see as they grow.	Use different materials to make	
Tell traditional stories in their own	in our stories.	Talk about what sinks or floats in the	bridges for the goats.	
words using props.	Measure and compare our beanstalk as	Trolls river.	Sing and play instruments to represent	
Write letters of from our names.	it grows in nursery.	Make a collection of natural things Red	Jack going up and down the beanstalk.	
Begin to recognise initial sounds in	Describe Red Riding Hood's route	Riding Hood might have collected in	Experience different materials and	
words.	through the woods.	the woods and talk about them.	textures in our Winter sensory story.	
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