



Curriculum Information

Spring 1 Year 1



Our topic this half term is 'No Place Like Home'.

Once upon a bicycle,
So they say,
A Jolly Postman came one day
From over the hills and far away...

As we follow the route that The Jolly Postman takes through Fairy Tale Land, we meet lots of interesting characters including a porridge thief, an unhappy giant, a family who grow an enormous vegetable and a very sneaky wolf!

As writers, we will be writing a set of instructions, character descriptions and a poem. We will also be retelling a Fairy Tale and creating our own versions of Fairy Tales too.

As readers, we will share a number of books which will include 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears,' 'Jim and the Beanstalk,' 'The Enormous Turnip' and 'Little Red Riding Hood.' We will also be exposed to a range of books during our guided reading sessions.

In Maths, we will explore numbers within 50. This will include representing numbers, finding 1 more and 1 less, doubling and halving and exploring addition and subtraction using known facts. We will also be telling the time to o'clock and half past and sequencing daily activities.

In Science, we will be identifying and classifying different animals, including humans.

In Geography, we will be comparing villages, towns and cities and exploring and describing the local area. We will also be naming the four countries of the UK.

In DT, we will be designing and making a chair for Baby Bear.

In Computing, we will be using algorithms and directions to make a Bee Bot move. We will also be learning how to communicate respectfully online.

In Music, we will be composing word rhythms and playing untuned percussion instruments.

In PSHE, we will be learning about how to look after the environment and our community.

In PE, we will take part in gymnastics and team games.

In RE, we will learn about Christianity and Jesus's disciples.