



Traditional Tales



This term's topic is called "Can you tell a story?"
We are going to learn Goldilocks and the Three Bears
and The Gingerbread Man.

Literacy: We will continue to learn new sounds. Our main focus will be retelling stories and encouraging the children to use this language in their play. There will be lots of opportunities for the children to begin to write sounds and words within their play this term.

We would love to see photos of your child reading traditional stories and using them in their play at home!
Please keep sending them to the Lion and Giraffe class emails.

Maths: This half term we will start to practise addition and subtraction with small numbers. There will also be a focus on measure and capacity when the children will make porridge. In their play there will be opportunities for them to talk about choosing the right tool for the job. For example a big bowl for Daddy Bear, a small bowl for Baby Bear, and explaining the reasons for their choices.

Maybe you could practise adding and taking away at home with your child. You could also start to practise writing numbers together.



Class email addresses: **Lion Class:** L.Class@wallisdean-inf.hants.sch.uk

Giraffes Class: G.Class@wallisdean-inf.hants.sch.uk

Personal, Social and Emotional: On Mondays we share our news from the weekend. This is an opportunity for the children to talk about their families through the photos that have been sent in to us via the class email. It helps them remember what they have done!

Every week we will focus on a new Power Word through our assemblies and the children wear a badge to recognise when they have shown this attribute of learning. Our power words are: **Respectful, Resilient, Confident, Independent, Responsible, Resourceful.**

Expressive arts and design: We shall be using the Autumn season as a focus for leaf art, drawing, painting, modelling and clay work.

The World: We continue our Welly Walks every Monday, even in the rain so please make sure your child has wellies and a coat. There will be opportunities for children to experiment and notice similarities, difference and changes.

Physical development: Gymnastic this term will focus on making our core stronger through using the climbing apparatus, monkey bars and holding balances and shapes.

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 11th Nov - The News Photo
Monday 16th Nov - Flu immunisation
Tuesday 1st Dec - Welcome Winter Jumper Day— £1.00 towards WFA's Christmas activities
Monday 7th Dec - Children's Christmas Shopping
Monday 14th Dec - WFA Raffle
Friday 18th Dec - Christmas Lunch and Magic Show
Monday 4th Jan - First Day Back

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**Don't forget to complete your
Traditional Tales Bingo!**

Vocabulary

bear



Goldilocks



porridge



spoon



ladle



Gingerbread man



baking tray



cutter



bowl



chair



cottage



fox



river



nativity

