



SS Alban and Stephen Catholic Primary School & Nursery



Reception Home Learning - Spring 1 – 2022
Our topic this half-term will be 'Once Upon a Time'

Date and Weekly Topics	Phonics	Home Learning	Additional Learning
10/01/22 Celebrating!	Phonics Sounds – recap Phase 2 sounds & v, w, x Phase 3 Tricky words: he, she, we Write own name, without copying.	Maths – Recognising patterns Can you make a repeated pattern? EG. Fork, knife, spoon, fork, knife, spoon ...	Our new RE topic is Celebrating! How does your family celebrate? What special food do you eat? Do you wear special clothes?
17/01/22 Castles	Phonics Sounds – y, z, zz Phase 3 Tricky words: me, be, was Learning the Tricky words; if you know the words already, can you use them in a sentence?	Maths – Can you make up your own repeated pattern? EG. Clap, clap, stamp, click. Record it for Tapestry OR write it down using symbols.	Please design your own castle! You can draw it, paint it or make it from recycled materials.
24/01/22 Traditional Tale ... Often these stories start with, Once upon a time... OR A long, long time ago ...	Phonics Sounds – qu, ch, sh Phase 3 Tricky words: you, they, all To write the familiar names of family members, IE. Mum, Dad, my Sister, my brother, etc.	Maths – Make a repeated pattern from recycled materials, EG. Bottle top, yoghurt pot, bottle top. <u>Challenge</u> - make a more complex repeated pattern (using more than 3 objects or more), using your favourite toys.	Please ask your parents what their favourite traditional story is? Ask them to tell you the story. You could borrow the book from the Library!
31/01/22 Imagine your own traditional story	Phonics Sounds – th, ng Phase 3 Tricky words: are, my, her To write the actual names of family names, EG. Antonio, Kristina	Science – Measure out the ingredients to make Gingerbread mix. If you do not have a Gingerbread Man cutter use any, they will still taste great!	Can you make up your own story and act it out to an adult! Please use the same language, EG. Once upon a time; They lived happily ever after.
7/02/22 Create your own traditional story.	Revise all the Phonic sounds & Tricky words taught this half term. Practise writing all the tricky words	Science – Create a raft for The Gingerbread Man to escape! Using recycled materials, can it float? Please upload onto Tapestry!	Draw or write your own traditional story. I hope it is a happy ending!
Key Dates: Half term: Monday 14 th - Friday 18 th February Inset Day – Monday 21 st February (Children start Tuesday 22 nd Feb)		Key Information: Please share any home learning or special moments on Tapestry for the teachers to see and share with the class. The children love it.	