

Prime areas

Ladybirds Class – 2022/2023

Magical Worlds

Big question:

Can we create our own story worlds?

Specific areas

Literacy

- *Retell a story with actions and/or picture prompts*
- *Use story language when acting out a narrative*
- *Finger spaces*
- *Narrative – understand that stories have three parts*
- *Phase 3 phonics consolidation*

Umbrella Narratives:

Mixed up fairy tales, Mad about dinosaurs, The singing mermaid, Traditional tales, Monstersaurus

Characteristics of Effective Learning

Creating and thinking critically

- Having their own ideas
- Making links
- Choosing ways to do things

Active learning

- Being involved and concentrating
- Keep on trying
- Enjoy achieving what they set out to do

Playing and exploring

- Finding out and exploring
- Playing with what they know
- Being willing to have a go

Personal Social and Emotional Development

- *PSHE – Healthy Me*
- *Friendships*
- *Encourage children to think about their own feelings*
- *Looking after our bodies*

Understanding the World

- *Show different cultures versions of famous fairy tales*
- *RE – Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?*
- *Outdoor learning – Start of Spring*
- *Learning about different celebrations - Mother's Day, Easter, Ramadan, World book day*
- *International day – 9th March - Switzerland*

Expressive Arts and Design

- *Design your own fantasy creature*
- *Build your own magical world (shoeboxes)*
- *Charanga – Our World!*
- *Mother's day crafts*
- *Easter crafts*
- *Printing and Patterns*

Physical Development

- *Write Dance*
- *Threading, cutting, weaving, playdough*
- *Hold pencil effectibely*
- *Handwriting – forms recognisable letters most correctly formed*
- *PE – Passing and receiving.*
- *Healthy lifestyle*
- *Bikes and scooters*

Communication and Language

- *Develop and use ne vocabulary – Oracy word of the day*
- *Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important – Oracy*
- *Sustained focus when listening to a story*
- *Learn rhymes, poems and songs*
- *Ask relevant questions to extend their understanding*
- *Learn story language and repeated refrains*

Mathematics

- *Counting to 9 & 10*
- *Comparing numbers to 10*
- *Bonds to 10*
- *3-d Shapes*
- *Spatial awareness*
- *Patterns*
- *Consolidation*

Ideas to support your child's learning at home.

- Can you write your own fairy tale? Who are your characters going to be? What's going to happen to them? Where is the story set?
- Design a knight's shield, a princess's dress or your own fairy tale castle. What colours have you chosen for your shield/dress? Why did you choose those colours?
- Practise writing numbers from 0-10, using paint, mud, bubbles! Make sure that you start in the correct place and end in the correct place.