



Courtney Primary - Topic Sheet- Traditional Fairy Tales

Term 1 – Year 1 – Miss Inman



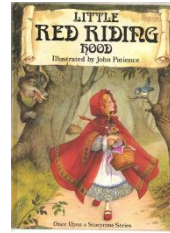
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This sheet shows you the topics your child is covering this term and gives you ideas and ways you can help your child at home. The library is always a good starting point and the internet has many great sites. If you visit www.courtneyprimaryschool.co.uk and click on the 'Links' section, you will find useful websites listed there.

Please make sure that the children spend 5 minutes a day reading or practicing sounds, and that they complete their homework to a good standard.

English

In English, we are reading Little Red Riding Hood. We will also be looking at some alternative versions of traditional fairy tales.

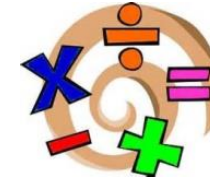


We will be concentrating on developing our vocabulary and our ability to write longer sentences using 'and.' We will be learning about character and settings and begin to describe them.

In phonics we will be recapping our sounds from reception and then move on to our phase 5 sounds!

Maths

In maths this term, our topics are going to be place value and addition & subtraction. We will be working on our understanding of the size of numbers. We will be splitting numbers up in to their tens and ones and representing them in a variety of ways, which will lead on to ordering and comparing numbers.



We will then move on to adding and subtracting numbers and money and improving our ability to work out word problems. As always there is a whole school focus on developing our children's reasoning and problem solving skills.

Computing



In computing this term we will be looking at online safety to ensure that all children are prepared for using the internet safely. It would be great if you could have this talk at home as well please 😊

Topic

This term, we are going to be looking at stories from other countries and cultures and creating fact files on those countries. We can then link this to our work on continents and oceans.



Science

This term, our Science topic is 'materials,' which we will link to our work in English, Art/DT and History.

We will be looking at the properties and uses of various materials, and learn how to describe them.

Mrs Harbury will be teaching Science on a Tuesday.



Music, Art and DT

In art and DT, we are going to be designing puppets of our favourite characters from Little Red Riding Hood and creating collages.

Our skills focus in music is listening.



PSHE and RE

This term in PSHE, we will be thinking about "Being me in my world".

In RE, we will be thinking about who and what is important to us. We will also be learning about Harvest Festival.



PE

As a school we follow the "Real PE" scheme of work which focuses on building up core skills and applying them in games. On Tuesdays, the children will have a PE session with Mr Smith. On Thursdays, they will have PE with me. Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school. Please send in tape for earrings or, even better, remove them on the days of PE.

