

Reception home learning

Week ending 1st February 2019

Home activities

Overview of our week

This week we started our new topic of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. On the first morning of the topic we enjoyed bringing our teddy bears to have breakfast with us. Some of us served, some of us were in the 'kitchen' and others just enjoyed a morning off! It was a lovely start to the topic. We have been enjoying getting to know the story through retelling, acting it out and pretending that we are the characters.

Literacy: We have been retelling the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. It is a long story but there is lots of language that repeats which makes it a bit easier to retell. We have also labelled the characters.

Phonics: We have continued learning Phase 3 sounds this week alongside some new tricky words. Please keep practising these at home as much as you can!

New sounds: **oo ar ow ur**

New tricky words: **my**

Maths: In maths we have been estimating by taking a handful of bears and having a quick look without counting. We then say how many we think we have. It doesn't have to be exactly correct but near enough. We have also been continuing our work on 2D shape and are now getting really good at naming and describing the shape.

Exploring and Using Media and Materials We have made a new chair for baby bear! We had to choose what construction materials to use and then as we went along we had to check it was the right size and that baby bear didn't fall off! If it wasn't **just right** then we had to adapt our work—a really good skill to have!

- Retell the story of Goldilocks to your family at home. Can you answer questions about the story on the attached sheet?
- Practise reading or writing some words using the new phonic sounds.
- Can you find shapes around your home. Which shapes are the most common? Describe the shapes using the words **curved straight side corner flat**. You could draw them or take some photos so that you can share them with the class!
- Number of the week is 17: Can you count from 0 to 17 and back again? Jog on the spot for the count of 17. Can you put on your shoes in 17 seconds?
- Visit a Café. What was on the menu? Were you served by a waiter / waitress? Did they write down your order? How did you pay at the end?

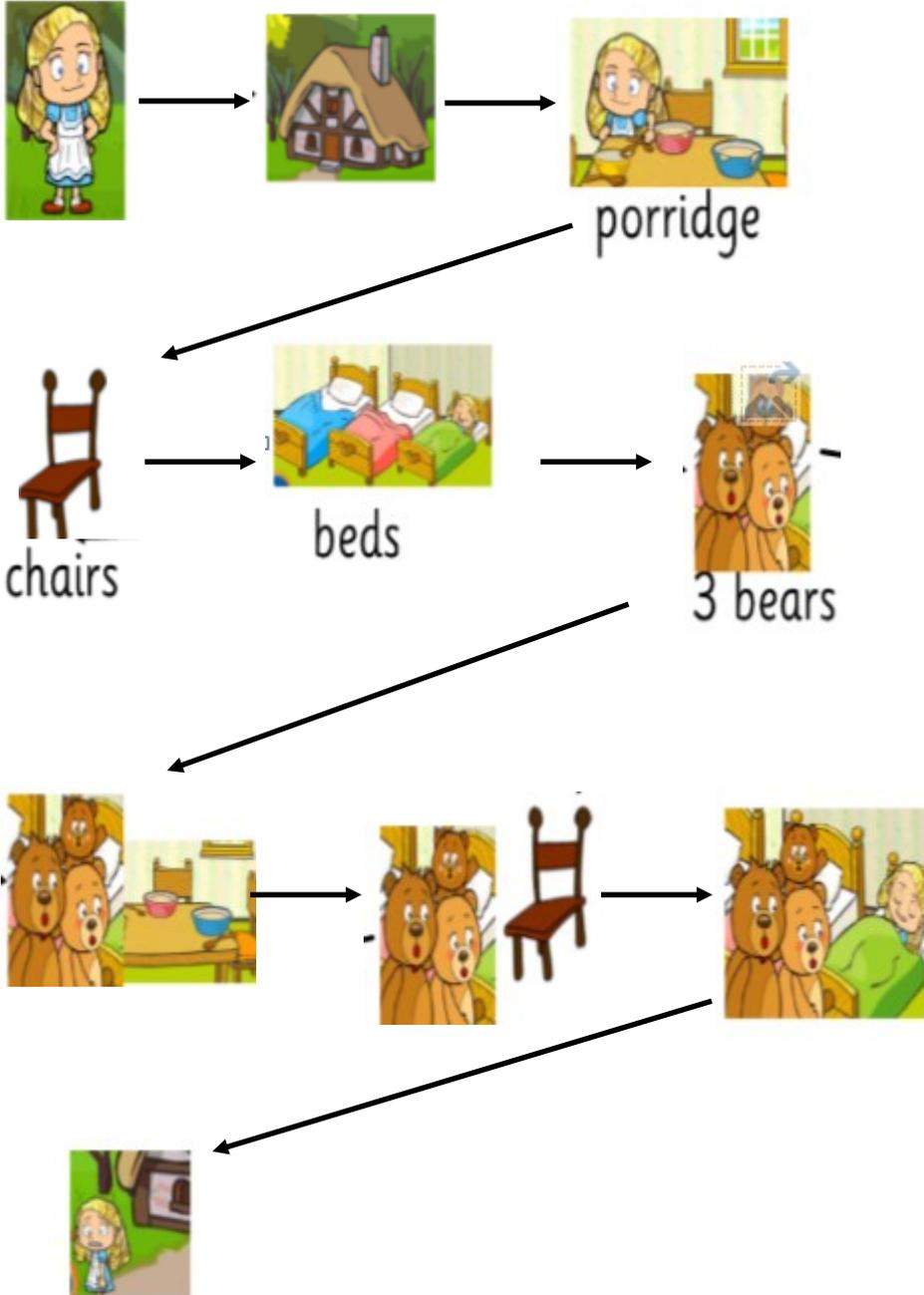
Reminders and notes

Goldilocks Café is on Friday 15th at 9:30am

We hope you can join us at school for a drink and some delicious treats that we will be making with the children!



Goldilocks and the Three Bears



Once upon a time, there was a little girl called Goldilocks.

Early one morning she went for a walk in the woods and found a little cottage.

Goldilocks went in!

Goldilocks saw 3 bowls of porridge.

First she tasted the biggest bowl.

'This is too hot!' she said.

Next she tasted the middle sized bowl.

'This is too cold!' she said.

Finally she tasted the smallest bowl.

'This is just right.' She said. So she ate it all up.

Then Goldilocks spotted 3 chairs.

First she tried the biggest chair. 'This is too hard' she said

Next she tried the middle sized chair. 'This is too soft.' She said.

Finally she tried the smallest chair.

'This is just right' she said ...but... crash! The chair broke.

Goldilocks went into the bedroom

First she climbed into the biggest bed, 'This is too hard.' she said

Next she climbed into the middle-sized bed, 'This is too soft.' She said.

Finally she climbed into the smallest bed. 'This is just right.' She said. And she fell fast asleep.

Just then 3 bears who lived in the cottage came back from their walk.

First they went into the kitchen

'Someone's been eating my porridge.' said Daddy Bear

'Someone's been eating my porridge.' said Mummy Bear

'Someone's been eating my porridge.' said Baby Bear. 'Look, it's all gone!'

Next they went into the living room.

'Someone's been sitting in my chair' said Daddy Bear

'Someone's been sitting in my chair' said Mummy Bear

'Someone's been sitting in my chair' said Baby Bear. 'Look, it's broken!'

Finally they went upstairs.

'Someone's been sleeping in my bed' said Daddy Bear.

'Someone's been sleeping in my bed' said Mummy Bear.

'Someone's been sleeping in my bed' said Baby Bear. 'Look they're still in there!'

Suddenly Goldilocks woke up and saw the 3 bears. She ran out of the house as fast as she could.

And she never came back again!

Home learning Feedback from Parents / Carers of: _____

Date of feedback: _____

Goldilocks and the Three Bears story questions (please write your child's answers!)

Where is the Three Bears Cottage?

Who are the characters in the story?

What happens at the beginning of the story?

What happens at the end of the story?

What do you think Goldilocks does after she runs out of the Three Bears House?

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