|  This term we are learning about our world and the characters in stories. We will also be using our music and storytelling skills..**1.How can we help the gingerbread man to cross the river?****2. What is the story disaster? Nursery rhyme disaster?****3. What is the story disaster?** |  | Areas of the curriculum we are focusing on:Understanding the worldLiteracyExpressive Arts |
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|  | **Once upon a time****Who is in the pages of this book?** |  |
| We will learn the stories of 3 Billy Goats Gruff, Gingerbread Man as well as variations of these stories.**Family learning and Celebration of learning****Plover Palace Ball - Come for biscuits and tea and dance at the Plover Palace Ball-Welcome Cinderella 1.7.25 9-10** | **Presentation of learning event to the residents of Oaklands Care Home****4.7.25****The children will share their stories with the residents.** | **Dates****23.4 Character breakfast - the children will meet characters from stories****24.4 Dress up as a storybook character. prize to the most imaginative (not shop bought)****29.4 F2 visit to the library****12.5 Residents from Oaklands Care Home to read stories to the children****20.5 Bakers to help us bake In F2****22.5 Bakers to help us bake in nursery****9.6 Expert visitors from Doncaster Literacy Trust** |

**Home Learning**

| **Theme/Topic Learning** | **English** | **Maths** | **Life Skills** |
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| Make a den in your house and pretend to be the Troll. How did you make the den? What did you use? Could you improve it? | Share a traditional story and talk about the characters | Use different objects to create numbers | Practice fastening shoe laces, buckles, buttons. |
| Can you make an object to help the gingerbread man go across the river? | Find out about an author eg Julia Donaldson - the author of the Gruffalo. | Look at the characters in Goldilocks and the three bears and put in size order. | Help to wash and dry pots. |
| Make a finger puppet and use to retell a story. You could use a toilet roll. | Make up your own story about a character. Draw a picture of your character to share with your friends. | Practice grouping and sharing with different amounts. Pretend to be in the three bears house and share the objects with the bears. | We are going to taste and make different food. What is your favourite food? Can you try a new food and tell us about it? |
| What do you celebrate? Can you make a poster with pictures on of your celebrations?You could share it with your friends | Write your own speech bubble about what your character may say..eg I can see a \_\_\_\_\_\_. I can smell \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  | Explore objects in your house. Which things are heavier and which things are lighter? Which things are bigger or smaller? | Make something to eat at home. This could be baking. Send photos on Evidence Me. |
| Make a mask and pretend to be one of the characters. | Practice writing your name | Play hide and seek - pretend to be one of the goats. Where were you hiding? | What makes a good friend? Make your friend a picture to give to them at school. |