#### Personal and Emotional Development

#### Making Relationships

We are going to learn how to listen to other people's ideas and to share our ideas with others.

#### Self Confidence/Self Awareness

As story tellers, we will need to have the confidence to share our thoughts with others and be happy to not always go with our own plans.

# Managing Feelings and Behaviour

We will be working as a team and thinking about sometimes putting other people first.



# Communication and Language

### Listening & Attention

To be good authors we need to be able listen to stories and anticipate the key events.

# Understanding

We will be asking and answering lots of questions about our stories and discussing the characters.

# Speaking

We will be practicing our storytelling skills and discussing all our ideas with our friends.

# Physical Development

Moving and handling

We will be writing and illustrating our own stories and using lots of our fine motor skills to create our own books.

# Health and Self-Care

We are very independent now and will be getting ourselves dressed and ready for our PE sessions.

# Understanding the world Peoples and Communities

We all know each other so well but that doesn't mean we all like the same things. We will be enjoying discovering what is different about us all and celebrating these differences.

# The World

We will be exploring our local woods and the plants and animals in them. We will be looking at the changes that happen over the year.

# **Technology**

We can use technology for different purposes. We will be taking photographs and creating our illustrations using different software.



# Literacy

# Reading

We have so many tales and stories to read. We will be retelling them to our friends and family and discussing all aspects of the story.

# Writing

We will be writing more for different purposes. We have lots of storytelling to do and will be getting really good at our sentence writing. We have so many ideas for our own stories!

# **Enrichment**

We will be visiting our local fairytale woods and looking out for some of our favourite characters from our traditional tales.

# Mathematics

Along with continuing to practice addition and subtraction, we will be working on doubling, halving and sharing numbers. We will also be looking at number patterns and counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.

# Shape Space & Measure

We will be using everyday language to talk about weight, capacity, distance, time and money. We will be comparing objects and using lots of mathematical language to describe them.



# **Expressive arts** Exploring media and materials

We cannot wait to use our imagination to build and create props and settings for our stories. We will use a range of materials to bring our ideas to life.

# Being Imaginative

All good authors have a wonderful imagination and we will be using ours to create lots of our own stories. We will be doing lots of drama and role play to explore different characters from our favourite tales.

Parent/Carer Reply Slip- Please send in your suggestions and comments.