

Robins Spring Term 2023

Learning Journey

Once Upon A Time

Mytchett Primary
and Nursery Academy

...inspiring learners, caring about success



In school we will enrich the Learning Journey by...

- Taking part in a Dragon Dance Workshop for Chinese New Year
- Inviting our Grandparents for tea and to share a family artefact or photograph
- Use a range of technology including a green screen to bring stories alive

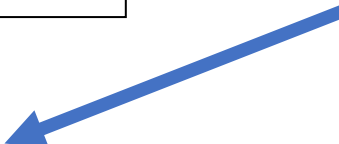


Explore Chinese New Year traditions using my senses

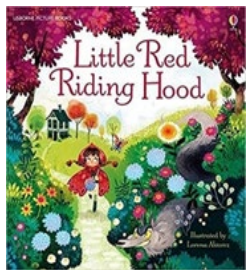


Build a new home for the 3 little pigs

Retell the story using actions and a story map



Find out about homes in the past



Make a coin container for Jack's money

Our Curricular Goal

To safely explore different techniques for joining materials together and choose my own way to make a 'coin holder' for Jack's coins

Steps towards the goal

- Join using split pins to make a moving gingerbread man
- Join using a stapler /staples & folding to make a dragon puppet
- Join wood using hammer and tacks to make container
- Join using sewing to make a bag for Granny
- Choose my own way to make a container for Jack's coins

At home you might like to ...

Read

A range of traditional stories including some from other cultures – e.g. Tiddalik the frog

Listen to stories

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/audio-stories-traditional/zb9wkmn>

Visit

Visit some pigs at the farm
<https://jakesplayworld.com/minifarm>

A local bakery to buy a gingerbread man

Interactive

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/chinese-new-year>

Phonics games

<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/game/list/phonics-games-phase-3>

Make a gingerbread house

https://www.abcya.com/games/kids_make_a_gingerbread_house

Do

Make a Chinese Dragon

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/chinese-hand-dragon?collection=chinese-lunar-new-year>

Follow a recipe to make a gingerbread man

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/gingerbread-people>

Eat some Chinese inspired food like pancake rolls, noodles and prawn crackers – try using chopsticks!

Watch

Information about wolves

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/animals/mammals/facts/gray-wolf>

Don't forget to share what you get up to on Tapestry!

Reading

Recognise taught digraphs in words and blend the sounds together.

Acts out stories using recently introduced vocabulary.

Sounds : oo, oo, ar, ur, or, ow, oi, ear, air, ure, er, ow

Writing

Write words representing the sounds with a letter/letters.

Write a simple caption /sentence.

Maths

Have a deep understanding of numbers 1 – 8.

Understand and explore the difference between odd and even numbers.

Dates for this half term

- **Chinese Dragon Dancing Workshop** – Wednesday 18th January
- **SMILE** Friday 27th January – 3.05pm to 3.15pm
- **Parent Progress meetings** – 31st January & 2nd February 3.30 – 6.30pm
- **Grandparents' Tea Party** – Tuesday 7th February – more details to follow

Half Term Monday 13th – Friday 17th February