

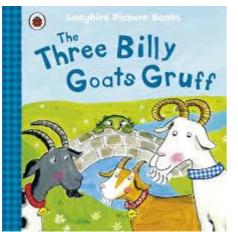
England Class Curriculum leaflet January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy 2024 England Class!

This term is going to be full of exciting learning opportunities.

This term we are focusing on winter, night and day, colours and nocturnal animals.



Additionally, we will be reading traditional stories through the topic of 'Once upon a time...' Each week we will be doing activities based on books such as, Goldilocks, Cinderella, Red Riding Hood, The Three Pigs, The Enormous Turnip, Three Billy Goats Gruff and Sleeping Beauty and accessing the whole curriculum.

We will be looking at Chinese New Year (Year of the tiger). Hence, we are going to be dancing, making music and producing artwork to celebrate this.

Our literacy will be focused around hearing the first sound in words (with the assistance of Read Write Inc.), developing strategies for early writing, recognizing syllables and hearing rhyme in words. We will continue to practice fine motor skills with scissors, pens etc. and writing our names.

In Mathematical Development we will be looking at number formation, ordering numbers, accurate counting, basic addition, ordering sizes and capacity.

The weather will be unpredictable, and we will be learning about it as and when it changes. In school will be going outside in all weathers to look at the changes (named coats every day please).



We be cooking in school regularly, focused on the weekly topics. Additionally, we will be sowing different types of seeds inside, so if you have any spare, please can you bring them in.

We will continue to change your child's reading book every Weds/Thurs, please ensure your child has the reading folder on these days. Thursday and Friday will be library days, so please can they bring in their three books and library bag on these days (if your child is not in on Thursday/Friday we will change the library books on Monday/Tuesday).

Please can your child have a Furzefield school book bag, as it is great to keep the books in good condition and to store their wonderful artwork we send home. Please can you label your child's bags and bottles, as we have so many duplicates.



One last plea – please can you ensure your child has spare clothing in case they have an accident or get

very messy. If you have any Furzefield spare clothing please can you return it, as we are running out of joggers and underwear to send home.

Thank you so much. Kind Regards, England Class

