

Traditional Tales

Knowledge Organiser Apple Class (EYFS)

What should I already know?

Have a love of reading.

Beginning to write sentences.

Work with a range of materials to design and build with intent.



Fun Facts:

Over 200 years ago in Germany, the Brothers Grimm wrote down the very first traditional tales. They heard them from storytellers all over Europe.

Key Questions and Lesson focus

Jack and the Beanstalk

Create character descriptions using information from the story. Learn about the life cycle of a bean. Depict it's growth in sequence. *Learn about life in a castle through Medieval history.*

Goldilocks and the 3 Bears

Recall key facts from the story. Think about the setting, characters and plot. Write a recount of the story, using the key facts.



The Three Little Pigs

Read the alternative story about the 'Three Little Wolves'. Design a new home for the 3 pigs. *Use a range of materials to build with, test ideas and evaluate their designs.*

Little Red Riding Hood

Re-tell the story using a story map. Include the setting, main events in the plot and key characters. *Create maps of their house, garden or where they live.*



The Tortoise and the Hare

Use a story board to sequence the main events in the story. Re-create a racecourse add labels and elements within the setting.

The Gingerbread Man

Make gingerbread biscuits. Look at the main ingredients. What are the spices? What would happen to the biscuit if it fell into water?

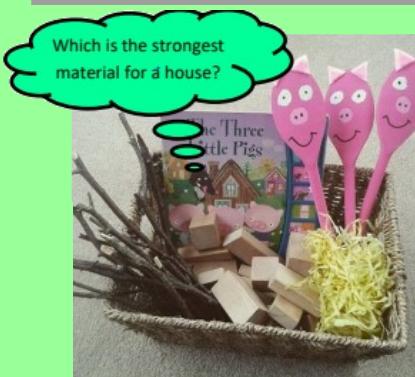


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Children will be able to...

Follow a story without pictures or props. Learn and use new vocabulary. Know the key elements that make a story such as setting and plots. Talk about a story and respond in a variety of ways using art, craft, writing and drama.

Enjoy a range of stories familiar and unfamiliar.



Once upon a time... They lived happily ever after!

First...next...then...suddenly....after that...

in the end.

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Vocabulary	Definition
Traditional Tale	A story that has been retold over many years. Sometimes called a fairy tale.
Setting	Where a story takes place, such as a
Plot	It describes the events that make up a story. There is often a sequence of
Character	A person or animal in a story.
Fable	A short story that has a moral .
Hero	The main character in a story. A hero is usually a character who is good and
Villain	The character who is the opposite of the hero. The villain could be mean,