

# Reception Home Learning

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

Hello everyone,

This week we are continuing to explore Traditional Tales! Examples of books you can read together this week are.... **Little Red Riding Hood**, **The Three Little Pigs**, **Hansel and Gretel**, **The Tortoise and the Hare.**, **Rapunzel**, **Sleeping Beauty** and **Robin Hood**...

## 'We are Authors' - Traditional Tales

This week we are going to start to become authors! Can you tell your adult what an Author is? When sharing books this week with your adult see if you can find the name of the Author on the front cover of each book.

Authors plan the stories they are going to write. They think about the characters that are going to be in their story. They also think about how their story will start, what will happen in the middle of their story and how their story will end. This week we want you to start to think about the structure of a story.

1. Can you choose one of the traditional tales you have heard recently and retell the tale using pictures. You could split your page into 3 and draw a picture for the beginning, middle and end of the tale.

For an extra challenge write a sentence under each picture to help retell the tale.

2. Choose another traditional tale (or stick with the same one from activity one).

This time we want you to think of a new ending! For example, in Jack and the bean stalk the giant could invite Jack and his mum to come and live with him in the castle OR in the three little pigs the wolf could ask the pigs to build him a house and they all could become neighbours. Be as creative as you can!

Draw a picture of your new ending and write a sentence to explain the new ending of your story.

3. This week in Maths we are exploring money. Ask your adult if you can explore some of the coins you have in your house. Can you learn the value of each coin? Can you remember what they look like? What shape they are and what colour? See if you can sort the coins into groups so that all the coins that are the same are together. Can you count all the 1ps how much do they total?

As an extension choose 2 coins and add them together. For example....

$$5p + 2p = 7p$$

$$10p + 2p = 12p$$

$$20p + 5p = 25p$$

$$50p + 5p = 55p$$

Can you write your calculations in your book? Remember to use the symbols + and = .

Have Fun, Love From Mrs Freeman and Mrs Foddai.