** Reception Topic – Ourselves & Traditional Tales**

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| **Personal, Social & Emotional Development*** Can I get to know the people in my class?
* Can I explore my classroom?
* Do I know I belong to a community?
* Can I be kind to people who are new to our classroom?
* Can I express how I am feeling?
* Do I know that other people have feelings?
* School and classroom rules
 | **Communication & Language*** Role play –Home corner – The Three Bears Cottage
* Responding to instructions
* Nursery Rhymes
* Re-tell familiar stories in their own words

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* How exercise affects our bodies
* Healthy food choices and food hygiene
* Getting dressed/undressed
* Image result for two children playing cartoonToileting routines/hand washing
* Building with a range of blocks
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| **Literacy** TextsOur teaching texts are: Peace At Last and Three Little PigsWe will also read:* We are all Different
* Whatever Next
* How many sleeps
* The Tiger who came to tea
* Image result for writing images cartoonElmer the Elephant
* A range of traditional tales

Different forms of writing ~* Lists
* Labelling
* Invitations
* Cards
 | **Mathematics*** Subitising numbers to 5
* Counting to 10 and beyond
* Image result for maths images cartoonSorting
* Simple sequences/ordering
* More/less
* 2D shapes and their properties
* Positional language
 | **Expressive Arts & Design*** Self portrait
* Painting portraits
* Experimenting with colour when painting.
* Singing familiar nursery rhymes and number songs

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| **Understanding the World**As with all our topics, we use our children’s interests to form how our themes progress. Below are some of the areas we will be covering:* Looking at ourselves. Celebrating our similarities and differences.
* Autumn changes
* People who help us: Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society.
* Talk about what life was like for our parents and grandparents when they were children.
* Through class discussions we will be looking at:

New beginningsWho am I in school?What other religions do we have in our class?Helping other peopleMe and my familyWe will read a range of Traditional tales and use them to compare to our own lives, do they have a television / a car etc?* The Three Little Pigs
* Goldilocks and the Three Bears
* Jack and the beanstalk
* The Gingerbread Man
* Little Red Riding Hood

We will look at old toys that baby brae may have played with and compare to the toys we have. Christmas:* We look at how Christmas is celebrated around the world.
* We read the Christmas story to learn about Christians beliefs.
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