English

This term we are focusing on writing a character description and we are looking at alternative endings to stories. We are focusing on the stories 'The Last Wolf' by Mini Grey and "Into the Woods' by Anthony Browne. Both stories have links with Little Red Riding Hood. Our class reader will be Winnie the Pooh.

Science

This term we will be looking at plants and the species of flower, plant and tree in our local area. We will look at how to identify plants and trees. We will also be thinking about the different parts of plants and what we can find in a woodland habitat.

Computing

We will be looking at IT all around us and how it is used. We will also be looking at digital footprints in our online safety lesson.



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Year 1 and 2 Curriculum Newsletter Topic: Into the Woods



Home Learning

It is important that the children read every day. We will be sending homework home every Friday and this needs to be returned by the following Thursday. We will also be sending spellings home to practise too.

General Information

Staff: Mrs Wilson, Mrs Sullivan and Mrs Steadman.

PE Kit: Your child will need their PE kit in school, every week and we will be doing PE on Monday and Wednesday.

Maths

In maths our learning for the term will focus on place value. The children will be developing their understanding of number and how numbers are formed. Children will be counting, ordering and sequencing numbers.

Theme

<u>RE</u> We are looking at what it means to belong to a Faith Community.

<u>Art/DT</u> We are making a shelter in the woods and thinking about how to make a healthy picnic.

<u>Georgraphy/History</u> - We will learn about our local area through studying maps and fieldwork.

<u>Music</u> - Our topic 'Orchestral instruments' looks at Prokofiev - Peter and the Wolf.

<u>PSHE</u>

We will be looking at the topic Dreams and Goals. We will look at what we want to achieve throughout the year and the small steps we need to get there.