

11/1/24

Dear Parents and Carers of Reception children,

Firstly we would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year, we hope you all enjoyed the festive break.

Once Upon a Time

Our focus for this half term is 'Once Upon a Time' and much of our learning will be based around traditional tales. Our writing activities will be based around this theme and in science we will be learning about different materials and conducting some experiments with a ginger bread man. Please may we remind you to refer to our school website to read weekly information about what we will be covering each week in school and also find further curriculum information including our Curriculum jigsaws and Knowledge organisers. Please copy and paste the following link:

<https://ecclesallprimary.co.uk/reception/>

Teddy bears

As part of our work related to traditional tales we would like all the children to bring a teddy bear into school on **Tuesday 16th January**. They will stay for the day and then come home with the children at the end of the day.

Phonics and reading

Please refer to the weekly information sent home to help your child practise the new sounds and don't forget to check the zappers in your child's reading diary.

If you have any further questions, please see a member of the Reception team. Once again, we would like to say a huge thank you for your ongoing support.

Kind regards
The Foundation Stage team