

Week Beginning January 29th

This half-term our topic is; 'Once upon a time...'

Literacy

We will be reading "The Gingerbread Man" this week and focusing on writing speech bubbles for the characters. We will be learning some new songs to help retell the story.

In phonics sessions we will be practising all previously learned letters and sounds and introducing the digraphs **ur**, **ow**, **oi** and the trigraphs **ear**. We will be reading and spelling lots of words and captions using our new sounds.

Mathematics

This week we will be learning to combine two groups by adding. We will be adding together the spots on dominoes to find the total. We will also practise using a number line to jump forwards to add.

Understanding the World

We will be carrying out an experiment this week and observing the changes that occur when a gingerbread man is added to water. We will be thinking of scientific words to describe the changes.



Key vocabulary for the week

- Character
- Float
- sink
- Predict