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Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back after the Easter holiday. We hope that you had a relaxing holiday and that the children are refreshed and ready for the summer term. We have some details of this term's topic to enable you to support your child in their learning.

Our topic this term is 'Traditional Tales'. We will be learning about fairy tales such as 'Goldilocks and The Three Bears' and 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff'. We will also plan lots of problem solving activities to encourage the children to work collaboratively, keep on trying if they encounter problems and extend their thinking. Anything you can do at home to encourage your child in their learning will be really valuable.

You can support your child's learning at home through daily reading. This will enable them to further develop their vocabulary and communication skills. We will start our 'Parents Reading Sessions 'every Wednesday morning again; you are very welcome to come into Nursery and spend some time between 9.00 and 9.30 reading with your child each week.

Just as a reminder the 'All about me' book will be used as a record to celebrate your child's achievements both at home and at school. You are welcome to bring any samples of work with added comments of their accomplishments at home.

The weather at this time of year can be very unpredictable. Please apply sun cream before your child comes to school. Please bring sun hats/caps and a lightweight coat/raincoat as the children have access to the outdoor area at all times.

Finally, we would like to thank you for your continued support and encouragement with the children's learning.

With best wishes

Mrs Bracken