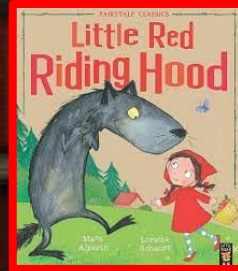
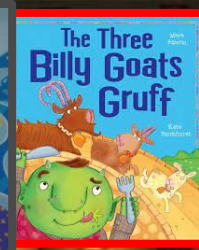


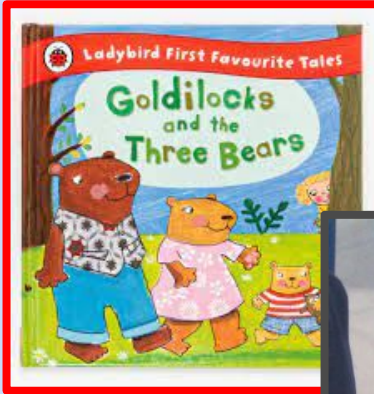
Year R Term 3



Once upon a time....

This term we enjoyed developing a love of reading and storytelling. We have been retelling and acting out familiar and traditional tales including *Cinderella*, *Goldilocks*, *Little Red Riding Hood*, *The Three Little Pigs* and *The Three Billy Goats Gruff*. We continued with our phonics sessions and have been developing our understanding of numbers 0-8 as well as measuring in a variety of ways.

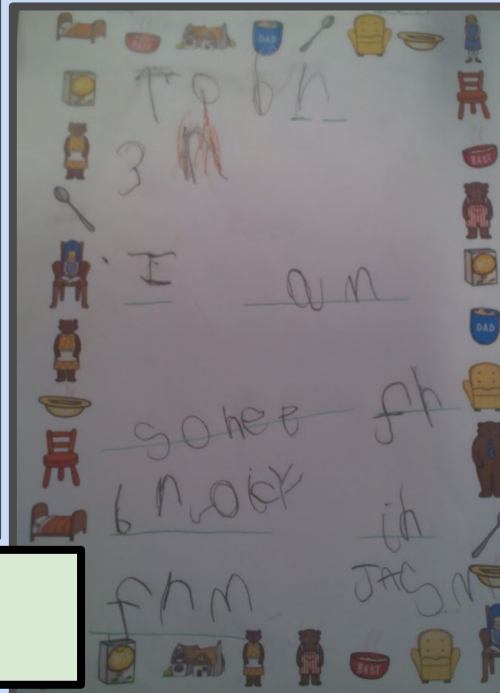




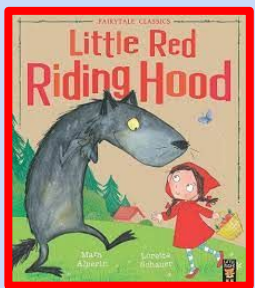
We started off the term with Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We retold the story, wrote sorry cards from Goldilocks and tasted porridge.



We wrote letters from Goldilocks to say sorry to the bears.

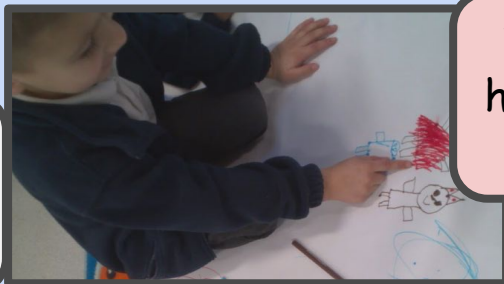


We came into school Monday to find someone had broken into the home corner. They had eaten all the porridge, broken the bears chairs and was asleep in the bears bed.....After some super investigating we discovered it was Goldilocks!

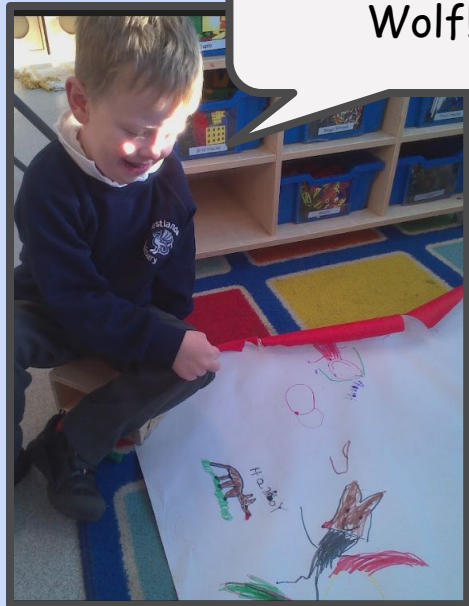


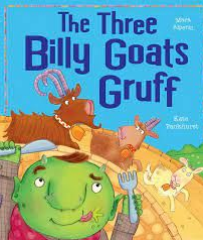
We were surprised to find out the Big Bad wolf had snuck his way into Grandma's house! Lucky the woodcutter was close by to help! The children enjoyed telling stories through pictures.

It's the Big Bad Wolf!



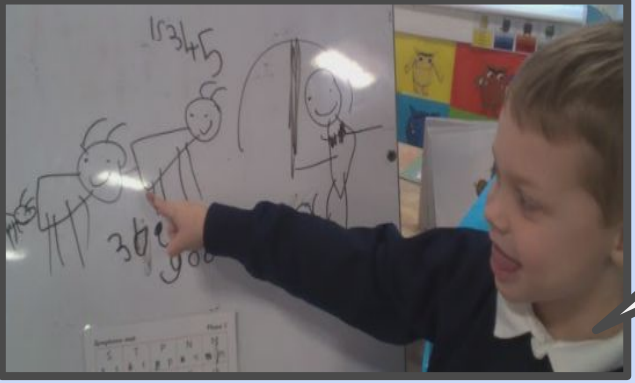
What big teeth you have....All the better to eat you with!





Trip Trap, Trip trap.... Who's that trip trapping over my bridge?

We created new bridges for the goats using small and large construction. We thought about what would make a strong stable bridge. We got creative and junk modelled characters from the story.



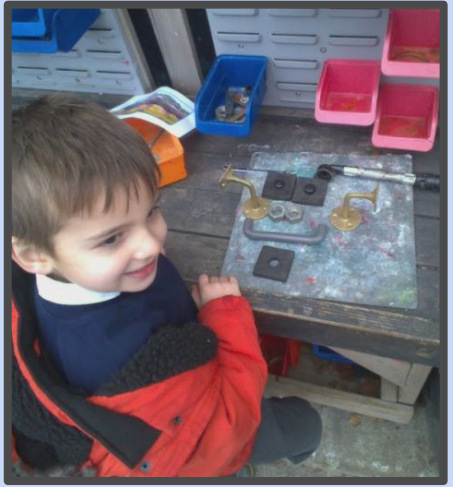
Come listen to me tell the story of the Billy Goats Gruff!



My bridge for the goats!



Trip-trap, trip-trap!

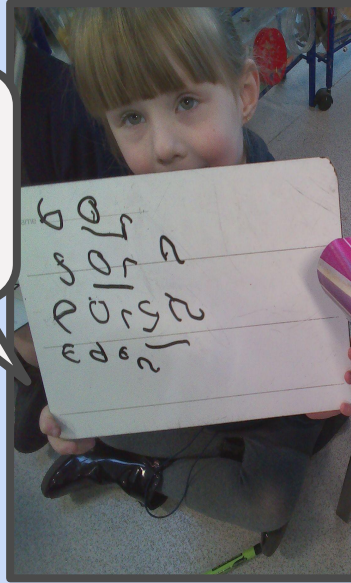


We created goats in a range of materials.

In our daily phonics sessions we have been learning the phase 3 digraphs and trigraphs. We have been impressing the teachers with our sentence reading and practice the tricky words!

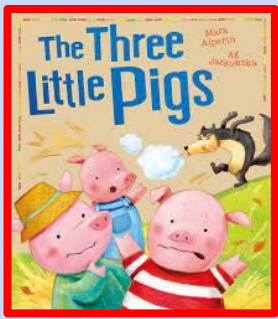
We are writing longer words!

I can spell words using the digraph 'or'!



We are putting our new phonics knowledge to use in a range of ways; writing letters, labelling our art work, writing sentences and creating stories!





Little pig, little pig...Let me come in!
We created houses for the three little pigs.
It was a good job we had some tools to create a strong house.

We built a house with stick and planks of wood.



We created house out of junk modelling materials.



We used rope to hang in a hammock.



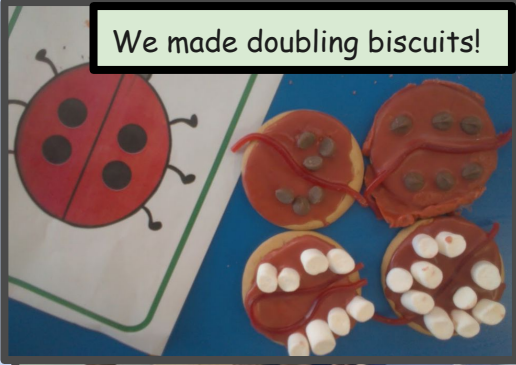
We cut wood with a bow saw to make a strong house.



Maths

We have been representing numbers to 8; finding more than and less than, exploring composition of number, investigating mass and capacity as well exploring length, height and time.

We made doubling biscuits!



We sorted 6, 7 and 8!



We sorted zero and not zero. We explored zero's place and why it is a very important number!



It is balanced.
That means it weighs the same!





Romero Britto

Romero Britto is an artist perhaps best known for his bright and bold artwork with thick, black outlines.



'Night Out', 2004

During art week we created a self-portrait using bright coloured paint pens like the artist Romero Britto. We loved exploring the new paint pens!