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Curriculum Letter for Summer 1

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you all had a restful Easter break and the children feel ready for some more exciting learning this term. This half term we will explore traditional tales as part of our new topic, **'Once Upon a Time'** ☺

Ways to support my child at home:

- When reading with your child, ask them questions to check they have really understood the text. Talk about their favourite parts of the story and any parts that puzzled them.
- Model to your child how to cut food with cutlery and eat using a knife and fork
- If they do not already do so, then encourage children to be as independent as possible when getting dressed

Additional information:

- Please send children with a hat to leave at school & apply sunscreen as we go into the hot weather

CURRICULUM AREA	Summer 1
	Once Upon a Time
Christian Value	Trust
Class books	The 3 Little Pigs / Pie Corbett/ The Jolly Postman Poems, stories and non-fiction Traditional tales
Literacy/ communication and language	Phase 4 phonics Oral story telling Beware of the wolf - poster List of what's in the basket for Granny Sign for Granny's house Hot seating – questions
Maths	Odd and even numbers Doubling/ halving/sharing Money Positional language
Understanding the World	Maps Visit from a builder & a postman Holding a Plant Sale
R.E. (Glos)	Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?
Expressive Art and Design	Charanga - Big Bear Funk! Make wolf-proof houses Role play: The 3 Little Pigs houses
P.E.	Gross motor control - athletics What's the time Mr Wolf? Fine motor control - letter formation
Personal, social and emotional	SCARF: Keeping safe: e-Safety Exploring celebrations

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes
Mrs Everett & Miss Ind-Smith

