Nursery Overview for November/December 2017

Find out what we will be doing. Our Topic is: 'Traditional Tales' followed by 'It's Christmas'

PSED

- Understanding rules and routines of Nursery
- Encouraging independence
- Making new friends
- Supporting children to resolve problems by talking

Communication and Language

- Speaking in sentences
- Holding a simple conversation
- Retelling a story or incident in the correct order
- Talking about emotions

Physical Development

- Encouraging independence when putting on coat
- Using the toilet independently and washing hands
- Working on holding a pencil effectively
- Writing names

Reading and Writing

- Reading the 3 Little Pigs story
- Preparing to write – practising circles, straight lines and zig zags
- Phonics – blending sounds to hear words hearing an initial sound

Mathematics

- Counting accurately
- Exploring shapes
- Shape pictures and repeating patterns
- Using mathematical language to describe quantity and size

Understanding the World

- Exploring the seasons Autumn and Winter
- Talking about our families
- Exploring building materials

Expressive Art and Design

- Painting portraits
- Mixing colours
- Weekly music sessions exploring loud and quiet, fast and slow
- Learning songs for our Nativity performance