

Twisted Tales

Over this term the children will be reading a variety of different traditional tales. These will include: Little Red Riding Hood, Goldilocks, The Three Billy Goats Gruff, Jack and the Bean Stalk, and There's No Dragon in this Story (which is a new book and story for all of us).

Support your child by reading these and other traditional tales at home with them and talking to them about the characters and stories.

Diary Dates

Thursday 13th February: Parents Evening

23rd, 24th, 30th and 31st January: Balanceability. All the children will be taught how to ride a balance bike, by a cycling expert from Bradford LA.

Friday 14th February: Trip to Greenwood Park. All parents welcome to join us, so pop the date in your diary!

Tuesday 10th March: Book Look. An opportunity for parents to come and look in their child's learning journal and see what they have been doing in school.

Tuesday 23rd March: Entertainments evening. A fun filled evening from 3.30pm – 5 PM for all the children. Tickets will be on sale soon



Happy New Year to you all!!

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Alhambra

What a fantastic start to the year we all had, with Receptions first trip out of school to see Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs at the Alhambra. The children had an amazing time, for many of them it will have been their first experience of going to the theatre and we hope it is one they will remember for ever.

Greenwood Park

On Friday 14th February we would like to take all the Reception children up to the park. It would be lovely if all the parents could come and join us! So please put the date in your diaries.

Baking Fund

This terms baking fund is now due. We ask all families to bring in a £3 contribution towards the children's weekly baking activities. Please send it to school in a names envelope.

Learning about different foods through baking helps the children to understand a healthy life style, supports their maths skills and supports communication and language development.

Thank you for your continued support. Without this we would find it difficult to run these activities.

Homework

Take Home and Talk:

Every second you spend with your child at home, talking and playing with them helps them to develop speaking and listening skill. This is vital to their development as they grow and mature. Please find the time to complete their 'Talk Home and Talk' sheets.

Reading books: Children will be given a reading book every week. Please read this with them and record it in their reading record book.

Tricky Words: Please continue to practise your child's tricky words with them at home. A new set will be given to them as they move through the different coloured groups.

50 Thing To Do Before You're 5!

You may remember this from our open evening.

Use the link below to get started!

<https://bradford.50thingstodo.org/app/os#!50thingstodobefore5/50-things-to-do-before-youre-five>

Tick-off **50 fantastic things** for you and your child to experience together.

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