



Class name: Trailblazers Spring 1 2025-26



English:

Some of our texts this half term include The Gruffalo, Owl Babies, Goldilocks and the Three Bears, and Bog Baby.

This half term we will focus on retelling stories and exploring the language related to classic stories.

Home learning:

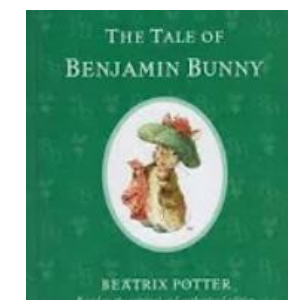
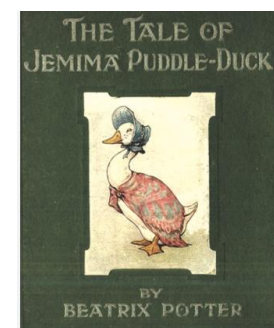
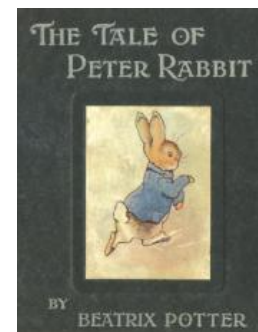
Reading records need to be returned every **Tuesday and Friday**. Please record a comment about what they have read. Please ask them questions to support their comprehension of what they've read. Children should read at least 3 times in a whole week.

Expressive arts and design:

Children will explore paint and painting techniques through nature, music and collaborative work. Developing creativity through child-led exploration of mixed-media, making collages and transient art.

Maths:

This half term we will be increasing our confidence in subitising and exploring patterns within 5. We will be developing accuracy when counting and thinking about patterns that show 1 more. We will be exploring ways of making unequal sets equal. In shape and space we will be focusing on mass and capacity and length, height and time.



Author of the term:

Our author of the term is Beatrix Potter. We will be exploring books such as Peter Rabbit, Jemima Puddle-Duck and Benjamin Bunny.

PSED:

In this unit, children will learn how we all have different beliefs and celebrations, what characteristics make a good friend, and how we need to listen to one another.

Understanding the world:

We will learn about different animal groups and begin classification skills. We will look at different animal habitats and look at minibeasts, animals from the zoo and animals from the farm.

RE:

The focus for this half term in RE is thinking about why some places are special. We will look at a church and a mosque.

PE:

Please can your child wear their PE kits each Tuesday. Our focus will be different types of movements such as running, jumping and skipping.