

Activities at Home

'Once Upon a Time'

Dear Parents,

The activity for week 2 on Thursday 14th January is:

'Who's been eating my porridge?'

The activity we will be covering involves:

- Understanding what fairy tales are and make predictions showing an understanding of ideas, events and characters
 - Learn new vocabulary and communicate their ideas and thoughts
 - Encouraging critical thinking
 - Developing fine motor skills
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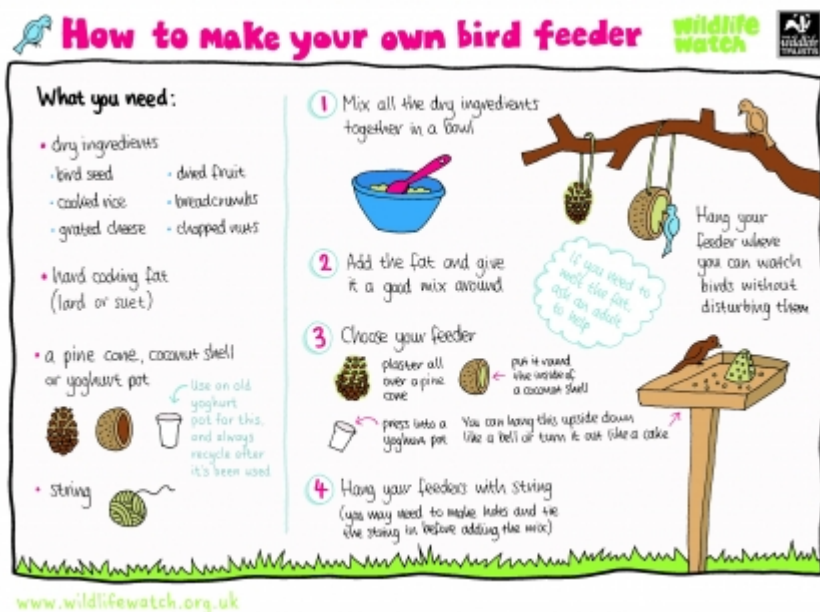
Our activity includes:

- Read "Who's Been Eating My Porridge?" by M. Christina Butler (below link) to the children and compare it to the classical version of the story

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wYrxilRetnU>

- Start a conversation about their favourite fairy tales and why they like it
- Talk to the children about the importance of eating a healthy diet

- Encourage the children to make a bird feeder:



You might wish to help your child to explore this topic at home or when you are out and about. Please feel free to approach the teachers for further explanations. Our suggested activities are:

- Read other Goldilocks and the Three Bears stories such as the best known version written by Robert Southey, **“Who’s Been Eating My Porridge?”** by Nick Ward, **“A Chair for Baby Bear”** by Kaye Umansky, **“Goldilocks and Just the One Bear”** by Leigh Hodgkinson or **“Eat Your Greens, Goldilocks”** by Steve Smallman
- Read and act out other fairy tales books such as:

“Hansel and Gretel”
“Cinderella,”
“The Frog Prince,”
“Rapunzel,” “Snow White”