



Activities at Home **'Once Upon a Time'**

Dear Parents,

The activity for week 6 on Thursday 11th February is: 'Little Red Reading Hood'

The activity we will be covering involves:

- Understanding what fairy tales are and make predictions showing 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 "Little Red Reading Hood" by Lucy Rowland to the children and compare it to the classical version of the story
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Wo60LNAq9o>
 - Start a conversation about their favourite fairy tales and why they like it
 - Talk to the children about imagination and creativity
 - Encourage the children to participate in a crafty activity depicting Red walking through the woods on her way to the library
Home learners – can you make a forest on paper with twigs and leaves and then paint Red Riding hood?
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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:

- Visit Wimbledon Common, King George's Park, Richmond park or other parks and have a picnic when the weather permits and restrictions permit – take a basket as Red Riding Hood does.

- Read other Little Red Riding Hood stories such as the best-known version written by Charles Perrault, “**Little Red Reading Hood and the Misread Wolf**” by Troy Wilson or “**Little Red**” by Bethan Woollvin
- Read and act out other fairy tale books such as: “**The Boy Who Cried Wolf**”.