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Coming up next week...21/02/2022

The children have worked hard this half term and had lots of fun learning new things and practising skills. We wish you all a good break and we look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 21st February.

Learning in school:

Theme for the Term: Traditional Tales with a Twist!

We will be continuing our learning about different story characters and themes. This topic's focus will be on well-loved traditional tales. But we will be exploring these stories from a different view point! Through drama and story retelling we will be developing the children's knowledge of story language and the structure of a story. Once secure with these stories we will then be drawing story maps and having a go at creating our own versions.

Theme for the Week: What big eyes you have!

This week's text is 'Little Red: A Howlingly Good Fairy Tale with a Twist' by Lynn Roberts. This alternative version of Little Red Riding Hood has a male main character. We will be making comparisons between this version and the traditional version of the story.

As it is LGBT History Month we will be celebrating the home lives of all children represented at The Mead. Through age appropriate stories and activities we will be looking at different types of families, what makes us special and celebrating diversity through the theme: Proud To Be Me.

Phonics:

This week we will be recapping the digraphs learned last term: ai, ee, igh, oa, oo/oo, ar, or, ur, ow, oi, ear. We will be continuing to orally blend, read sentences, practise writing and reading tricky words.

Maths:

This week we will be learning all about the numbers 9 and 10. We will be exploring different ways of making them and thinking about one more and one less.

Home Learning:

For children that are self-isolating, we have resources on the school website for you to access. Visit the school website and select the Covid 19 tab then home learning or follow this link.

<https://www.mead.surrey.sch.uk/covid-19/home-learning>

Additional notes and reminders

Please keep reading over the holiday and remember to log it on the Go Read App!

As we have to keep windows and doors open and the weather is colder, please make sure your child is appropriately dressed e.g. wearing a vest.

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.