

**Yew Tree Community School  
Foundation Stage Newsletter  
March 2019**

**Topic**

Our topic this half term is called "Let's Pretend". It is based around traditional fairy stories. Here are some of the activities we will be doing :

- Retelling the stories
- Sequencing pictures from the stories
- Pretending to be different characters
- Using puppets to develop language skills
- Writing our own versions with our own characters

**Homework**

We will be looking at the pictures in lots of books, especially those on the front covers. We would like you to design a new book cover for a fairy tale of your choice. We are sending a sheet that you could use if you want to. Please bring it into school for us to display on our homework wall.

**Stories**

Here is a list of some of the stories we will be reading :

**The Three Billy Goats Gruff**  
**The Enormous Turnip**  
**Goldilocks and the Three Bears**  
**The Magic Porridge Pot**  
**The Princess and the Pea**  
**Red Riding Hood**  
**The Three Little Pigs**

You can find versions of these stories on YouTube to watch with your child too.

**End of Topic Experience**

As a special treat we will be having a Fairy Tale experience with the story of The Princess and the Pea. more information to follow