



# Parents in Partnership

# Twisted Tales



Year 2

Topic Newsletter 13.9.19

## Topic News

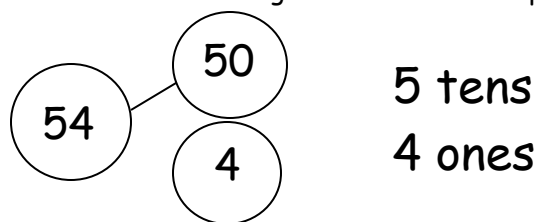
This half term our topic is 'Twisted Tales'. We will be focusing on three main texts, Little Red Riding Hood, The Gingerbread Man and the Three Little Pigs. We will be writing these traditional stories and then changing elements of the story to give them a special twist! The Three Little Pigs may become The Three Little Wolves! You can watch Twisted Traditional Stories at home on YouTube, to help your child get some ideas!!!

## PE

PE is on a Tuesday and Thursday. Please make sure that your child has the correct PE kit in school for these days. Could we also ask that all clothing is clearly labelled!

## Maths

This week, we have been focusing on partitioning two digit numbers in Maths. We have been working out how many tens and how many ones are in a number and recording our answers in the part, part, whole method.



## God Matters News

In RE, the children started the week with a liturgy about 'Creation'. We have spent time, discussing what the word 'Creation' means and talking about our own experiences and feelings.

**Our Key Question:** How do we know God cares for us?

Just to let you know, if you ever misplace a Parents in Partnership newsletter, they are all available on the school website.

## Homework Expectations

- It is an expectation that your child reads daily at home and an adult records this 'read' in the reading record provided.
- Homework will be given out on a Friday and homework is expected to be back by the following Wednesday.
- homework will be linked to what we have been learning about in English, Maths or Topic

## Spellings Homework:

Common Exception Words - use the ideas over the page to choose a fun way to practice these spellings in your homework book.

once
little
old
oh
said

## English Homework:

The past couple weeks we have been reading stories such as Little Red Riding Hood and The Gingerbread Man. Can you find any other traditional stories and share them together for example, The Magic Porridge Pot, Jack and the Beanstalk. Which is your favourite why?

## Maths Homework:

In your homework books, partition these numbers using the part, part, whole method.

28      52      31      108

Challenge: Can you partition them in a different way?

## Thank you

Thank you for your support. We appreciate all the efforts you make to support the children with their learning.  
Mrs Bladon, Mrs Tonkin, Mrs Wilkins and Miss Taylor

# Spelling Menu

## Pyramid

Write your spellings  
adding one word at a  
time.

E.g.

C

Ca

Cat

## Rhyming words

Write out your spelling  
words and think of a  
rhyming word for each.

## Rainbow

Write each spelling word  
using different colours.

**Spellings**

## ABC

Write out your spelling  
words in alphabetical  
order.

## Vowels Vs Consonants

Write out your spellings  
with red vowels and blue  
consonants.

Which word has the most  
vowels?

Which word has the most  
consonants?

## Silly sentences

Write some silly  
sentences using as many  
of your spelling words as  
you can!

## Fabulous fonts.

Write your spellings  
once in your normal  
handwriting then once  
in a fabulous font.

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## Acrostic

Write an acrostic poem  
using your spelling words.

## Hand switch

Write out your spelling  
using the hand you  
normally write with.  
Can you write them with  
the other hand?