



Week Ending:  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February.

## Reception class news at Ysgol y Ddraig

### Reminders

#### After-School clubs-

This term, Reception children will be able to start after school clubs with the rest of the school. Letters will soon be going home for you to see which clubs are suitable for Reception to join 😊

#### Eisteddfod-

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March. Children to come into school in Welsh costumes- welsh ladies and boys, rugby tops, welsh flag colours etc to help us celebrate our Eisteddfod.

### This week...

We have been writing our favourite part of *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*. We used our story map to re-tell our favourite part and worked with friends to identify the sounds we can hear in the words we need. We also carried out physical literacy around the school grounds. We imagined we were different fairy tale characters and rein-acted what the characters may be doing or saying. We have been re capping healthy eating and what foods are healthy and non-healthy for our bodies. We followed instructions to create delicious bear toast.

In Mathematics, we have been learning about length and distance. We discovered which car travelled the furthest and shortest distance.

Thank for your continued support.

Miss Whelan & the Reception team 😊

Dosbarth Ogwr suggested home learning tasks (Spring).

Class topic- Will you read me a story? This term will allow your child to explore the magic world of fairytales. Reading fairy tales can sweep us away into a fantastical world.

Here are some suggested home learning tasks that you are welcome to carry out with your children at home. Your child can carry out the tasks at their own pace with family and friends and bring in to share with peers and display in class.

Enjoy! ☺

<p>Develop recognition of numbers 1-20. Can you recognise and put the numbers in order?</p> <p>Begin to recognise numbers to 100.</p>	<p>Create your own fairytale- imagine your own setting, make up your own characters and objects. Re-tell and draw pictures of what happens in your story.</p>	<p>Get creative- use cellotape, glue, cardboard and lots of materials to build your own castle and fairy tale homes.</p>	<p>Ensure correct pencil grip is used to hold pencil (pincer grip- 2/3 fingers and thumb) and form letter shapes using RWI rhymes.</p>
<p>Create your own story sack for your favourite traditional fairytale. For example Goldilocks and the three bears could include- 3 teddy bears, bowls, wooden spoons, porridge, goldilocks and a copy of the book.</p>	<p>Bake gingerbread at home with family.</p>	<p>Create a Hansel and Gretel trail using bread and direct a family member to follow it.</p>	<p>Create a magic wand to go on our class display- remember to write your magic wish on your wand.</p>
<p>Recognise all set 1 RWI sounds and to use 'Fred talk' to blend sounds together to read simple words (c,a,t, cat). Use Fred fingers to begin to write the words.</p>	<p>Make spoon puppets from your favourite fairy tale and re-tell the story.</p>	<p>Write a letter to your favourite fairy tale character and tell them your favourite part of their fairy tale.</p>	<p>Add groups of objects together to find a total/ Take-away objects to find 'how many is left?' Write the number sentence to show your calculation.</p>