



# Curriculum Newsletter

## Happily Ever After

### Theme Overview

"Happily Ever After" is a thematic unit, based around fairy tales, with a key focus on literacy and drama. It is designed to enable pupils to develop a love of stories, as well as providing a vehicle for communication through creative arts work.

### Literacy

Traditional Stories and Fairy Tales  
Stories with Predictable and Patterned Language

### Maths Links

Shape  
Pattern

Time

### Science

New Life / Life Cycles  
Habitats

### Art

3-D Form

### Dance

Creating ways of moving that are appropriate for different emotions. character motifs are created and used in a game and small compositions in pairs are developed.



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## Design Technology

Design a bag, suitable for a fairy to carry things in

## Drama

Using call and response to help develop a range of emotions in their voices. Creating voices for familiar fairy tale characters.

## Music

Producing sound effects to be performed during the re-telling of different fairy stories

## PSHE

Name calling  
Unfair teasing  
Bullying

Finding help  
Empathy  
Positive and negative behaviour

## Speaking and Listening

Using their imagination and creativity to decide on magical properties of an item, whilst developing their ability to compromise.

## Computing

Multimedia  
Algorithms using directional language