

# Penguins Curriculum Map

## Writing

This term our topic is Journeys through Traditional tales. We will be acting out the stories using puppets, masks and small world characters. The children will role play the different characters to retell the story. They will also create story maps of the journey the characters take. They are now writing simple phrases through scaffolding the structure of a sentence

## Phonics

In Reception we will continue to use Read, Write Inc, to teach the children their sounds. This term they will be learning digraphs- two letters to make one sound. Please read with your child and ensure you write in their purple book so we can changed their reading books regularly.

## Term 3

## Learning Journey

We will be outside in our outside learning spaces this term as we are planning some den building in our forest school area to make our own Three Little Pigs houses.

## Maths

Much of our Maths teaching will continue to be through play based activities. We will also continue to use Number Blocks as starting points to our teaching. This term we will extend our numbers to 20 and continue counting beyond. We are starting to apply addition and subtraction concepts to our learning as well as combining sets of numbers

## Reading

The children have now learnt all the letter names and sounds and are practising blending these together to make simple three and four letter words. consonant, vowel, consonant. We focus on segmenting the individual sounds and then blending them together to read the whole word.

## How you can help!

I cannot stress enough the importance of reading at home with your child. Also please read them a bedtime story, it is a precious time together. Ways in which you can help your child with this topic would be to read them other versions of traditional tales and encourage them to retell stories that they have learnt at school. Or act them out with toys.

