In English we will learn to retell stories off by heart and then we will write these stories. We will then make simple changes to these stories. We think about how we describe characters and we will make a wanted poster for The big, bad wolf. We will be continuing to write in the 'pre-cursive' handwriting style. We will learn to write a letter. We will be learning new graphemes that represent sounds that we have previously learnt.

In ICT we will talk about the importance of staying safe when using the internet. We will use the chromebooks to make a front cover for our stories. The children will collect data. They will input the data into a programme to make a simple chart.

In Maths we will be learning to understand the value of numbers to 20. We will learn to add and subtract using different methods and equipment. We will continue to learn our number bonds to 10 and will use these to help us to begin to learn our number bonds to 20. We will use dienes to help us represent these numbers by thinking about the number of tens and ones that a number has. We will then use this to compare and order numbers.

## Traditional Tales- The Three Little Pigs.

In Art we will continue to have access to a range of materials to help us be creative. In D&T, we will be making moving pictures. We will learn about sliders, wheels and hinges and make a moving picture. We will evaluate our picture.

In Music we will practise singing during singalong. We will also learn new songs to help with our learning. We will practise keeping a steady beat.

In PE we will be taking part in football and gymnastics. We will also be going to Forest School and exploring outdoors to support our learning and development.

In Science we will be learning to name a range of everyday materials. We will learn about the different properties of these materials and consider why they are chosen for different purposes. We will use our senses to work scientifically and carry out several investigations. We will observe the changes around us as we head from Winter to Spring.

In geography, we will learn about the weather and keep a weather diary. In history, we will learn about significant explorers from beyond and within living memory. We will make comparisons between their journeys in the past and more recent expeditions. We will be writing a letter to a real astronaut to ask questions about their journey.

In RE we will learn about how Christians believe that Jesus showed friendship. We will learn about some of the key stories from the Bible that show Jesus' kindness and courage. We will talk about our friendships and our own courage. In Heartsmart, our focus this half term will be 'Too Much Selfie Isn't healthy'.