

## F1 Home Learning ideas for week beginning 25.1.2012

Hello everybody, we hope you are all well. Here are some activities for you and your children to do together this week. We are looking at the story of **The Three Billy Goats Gruff**. Please don't forget to post us photos and videos of your children learning at home via Tapestry. We love to see what you have all been up to!

### **Communication and Language**

Let's talk about goats! Why not watch this video on cbeebies all about pygmy goats!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b06rfx9n/sign/my-pet-and-me-series-2-10-pygmy-goats>



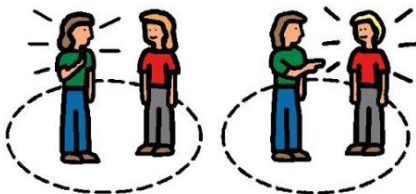
You could also look at some pictures of goats in a book or on the internet.

What do they look like? What do they do? Where do they live?

How do they sound? Can you find pictures of them climbing?

### **Personal, Social and Emotional Development**

Why do you think the troll didn't want the goats to cross the bridge? How would you feel if someone did something you didn't want them to do?

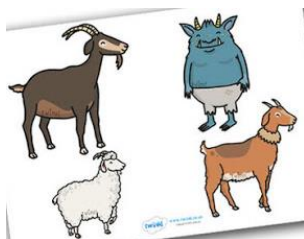


Play a turn taking game with a grown-up, maybe snap...or take turns to roll a ball to each other, put blocks on a tower or push a car down a ramp

- remember to say "my turn...your turn"

### **Physical Development**

Can you move like any of the characters from the story of The Three Billy Goats Gruff?



How would the little goat move? Tiptoe around the room!

How would the medium sized goat move? Walk around the room!

How would the big goat move? Stomp around the room!

How would the troll move? Creep around the room!

Do you have any other ideas? Take turns to be the leader and shout "big goat / medium goat / little goat / troll" and the other person has to move in that way!

Why not try out this yoga story of The Three Billy Goats Gruff too!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/p064kjdk/happy-tent-tales-3three-billy-goats-gruff>

## Literacy

Read the story of the Three Billy Goats Gruff if you have a book at home, or you can find these ones on the internet:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3QzT1sq6kCY> - this is a read along story

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nSST2cH\\_fH8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nSST2cH_fH8) - this is a sing along story

Can you describe the troll? Can you retell the story to your grown -ups?

## Mathematics



Write 1-5 or 1-10 on some pieces of paper, these are going to be the stepping stones - you could draw circles in chalk outside instead. Place the stepping stones on the floor in sequence from one to ten, leaving gaps between. Move across the stepping stones in a variety of ways. You could call out the numbers on the stones as you land on them, jump from stone to stone, or to hop or step gingerly across them. Introduce the game by acting as leader for the children to follow - children learn a great deal from observation and imitation! The smallest goat steps gingerly and lightly over the bridge, the middle-sized goat has a heavier tread, and the big goat tramps noisily across it.

## Understanding the World



Let's talk about bridges. Where are there bridges near you? Do you know any famous bridges? What do they look like? These are all bridges in Birkenhead - do you know where they are?

Try building a bridge for the goats to get across the river. You could build a bridge using different materials. For example, you could use Lego, Duplo or toy wooden bricks. You could also build a bridge using old cardboard boxes and kitchen roll tubes. You could even use a blue towel or piece of material for the river! If you enjoy building a simple bridge, there are some more ideas on this website... <https://stayathomeeducator.com/build-and-test-bridges-theme>

## Expressive Arts and Design



Explore how to mix the colour green using green, white, blue and orange paint to create different shades for the grass.

Try making a handprint Goat! Or paint or draw a colourful picture of The Troll.

Use instruments if you have them (or pots, pans and kitchen utensils if you don't) to make the noises of the different goats crossing the bridge. You could also play the instruments or clap your hands and chant "Who is that trip trapping over my bridge?"

Good luck everyone! We hope you enjoy the activities!