

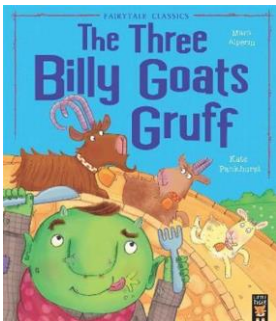
Friday 18th September 2026

YEAR 1 NEWSLETTER

ENGLISH

Writing/Reading:

Next week we will begin a new Traditional Tale of the Three Billy Goats Gruff. We will continue to write character description sentences.



Phonics:

Review of Reception Phase 4 and long vowels.

MATHS

These short videos will give you an overview of the learning for the week.

Count on from any number

<https://vimeo.com/729556701>

1 more

<https://vimeo.com/729556981>

Count backwards

<https://vimeo.com/729557283>

We also recommend that children practice their subitising skills on the White Rose [1 minute maths app](#), using a tablet or phone.

TOPIC

This week we will explore our school grounds and looking at maps of the local area.



What types of building and shops can you see on the way to school? You could discuss this with your child.

HOMEWORK

Handwriting:

<https://www.letterjoin.co.uk/log-in.html>

Username: park

Password: hill

Reading at Home:

Please read three times a week and record in your child's diary. Please bring your physical book back on Monday.

REMINDERS

Please could you send in any empty boxes, cylinder shapes, milk tops etc for junk modelling. No toilet rolls.

Please also remember to send your child's Big Cat (Little Wandle) reading book to school on Fridays and to keep their reading record in their book bag. ☺