

# Sunshine's Learning Letter

Week beginning 20/02/17



## Important Notices

### Welcome back

We hope you have all had a very relaxing and restful half term. This half term we have lots of exciting learning experiences planned. The eggs arrive next week ready to hatch into chicks, which is always a brilliant opportunity for discussion!

### Dates to remember

Open day Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March

## Song of the week

### Spring in my toes

I've got a spring, spring, spring in my toes,

I've got a spring, spring, spring in my toes,

I'm skipping along, singing a song,

I've got a spring in my toes.

Repeat with hopping, jumping and running.

## Theme

### Traditional Tales

This half term the children will be learning about traditional tales, they will be introduced to stories such as Goldilocks and the Three Bears. They will also focus on different cultures through the teaching of music.

### Book of the week

The gingerbread man –  
Audley Daly

### Sound of the week

Every week the children will be introduced to a new phoneme. This week we are

learning: **p,i,n**

## What we are learning.

Each week the children take part in four adult led activities to support their learning.

Activity 1: Children will be listening to the story of "The gingerbread man," they will join in with repeated refrains and key words.

Activity 2: The children will be recognising and discussing the properties of 2D shapes whilst making gingerbread men.

Activity 3: The children will be introduced to our new role play area, a shop. They will learn how to use equipment and take of their belongings.

Activity 4: The children will be developing their gross motor and fine motor skills by practising curly caterpillar letters.



## Word of the week

Each week the children will have a new word that links in with all of their learning. This week the word is

**Round**