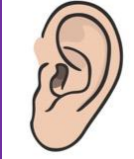# To be able to follow simple rules and expectations
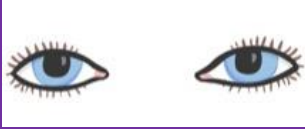
1. Good listening

2. Good sitting

3. Good looking

4. Wait for your turn to speak/ answer

5. Hands to your self

Word bank

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Let's Pretend!

Word bank
Story
Traditional tale
Setting
characters

Virtue and values: Respect

This half term our topic is Let's Pretend. We will learn about different traditional tales. What is your fav story?

An Introduction to

Traditional Tales

Traditional Tales

- Traditional tales are stories that have been told and retold for many years. These are stories that are known by everyone.

- There are often lots of different versions of the same story – sometimes they have different parts/ endings

- Traditional tales are also known as fairy stories or fairy tales.

Traditional tales often begin with:

Once upon a time…

A long, long time ago…
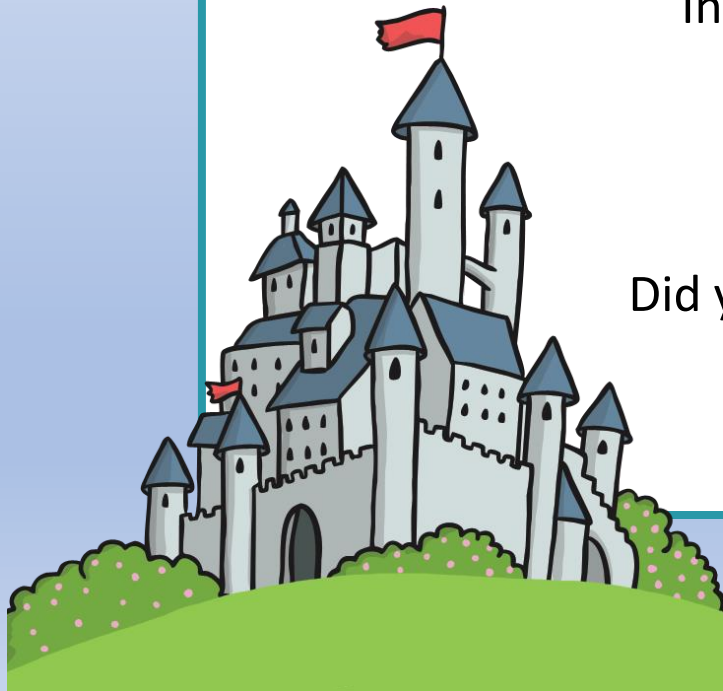
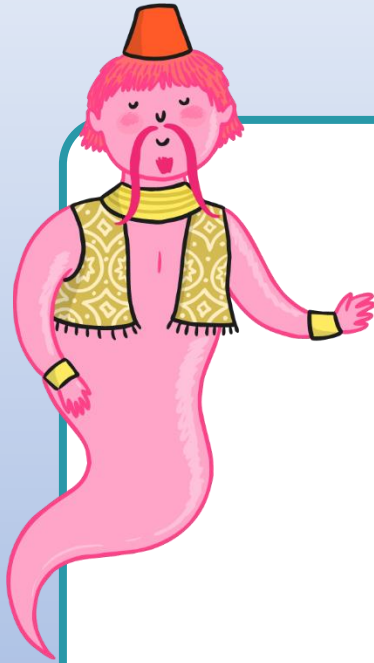In a land far, far away…

In a faraway kingdom…

One sunny day…

Did you ever hear the story of…

Early one morning…

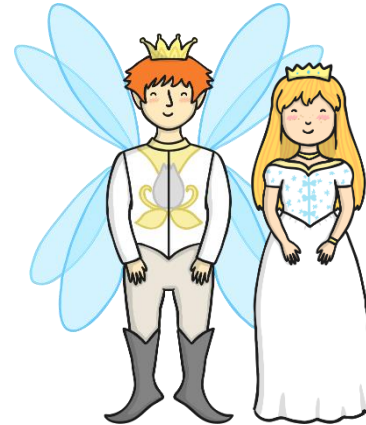# Common themes in traditional tales include...

Magic

Love

Talking animals

Good against bad

A happy ending: "And they all lived happily ever after."

Can you name some traditional tales that you know of? (click to find answers/ prompts)

Popular Traditional Tale Titles

Jack and the Beanstalk

Cinderella

Goldilocks and the Three Bears

The Emperor's New Clothes

The Little Red Hen

The Ugly Duckling

The Frog Prince

Hansel and Gretel

Rapunzel

Little Red Riding Hood

Pinocchio

The Three Billy Goats Gruff

The Three Little Pigs

Rumpelstiltskin

Sleeping Beauty

Beauty and the Beast

Characters

- **Characters are the people/ creatures/ animals in the story.**
- Traditional Tales will always have different characters.
- Some good (hero/ heroine)
- Some bad (villain)

Can you name any **characters** from a traditional tale? (click to find prompts or answers)

Setting

A **setting (the environment)** is where the story takes place.

Popular Settings:

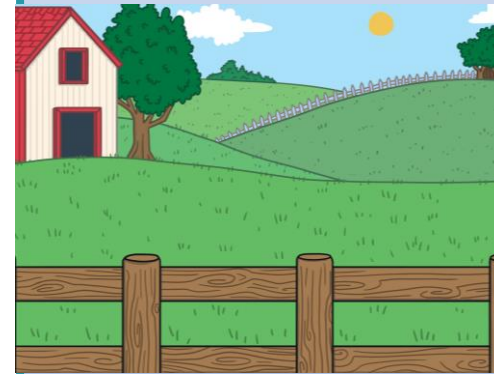Magical kingdom
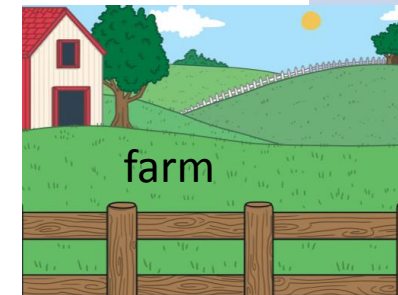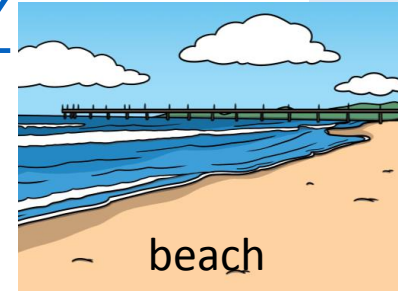
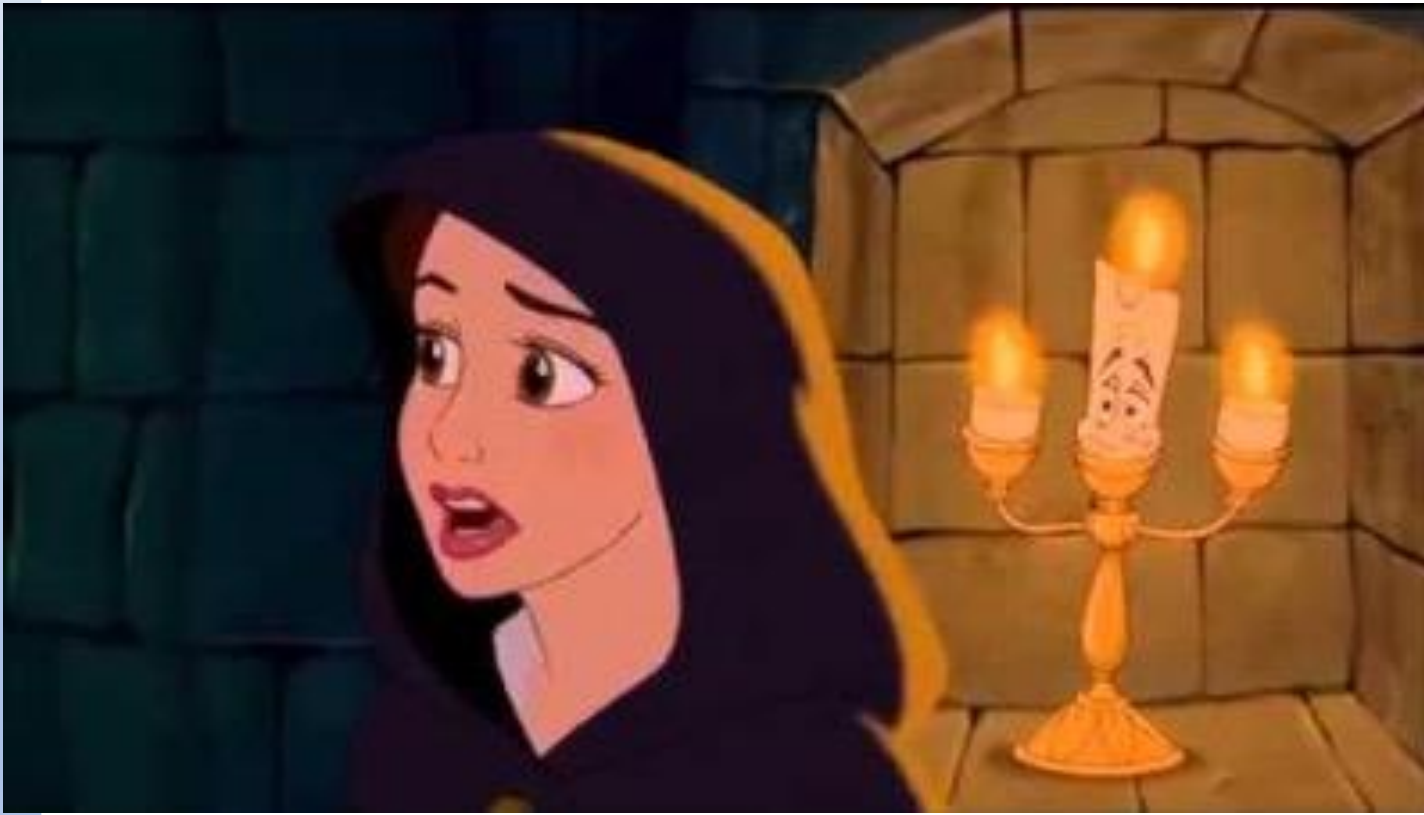A land far, far away

A cottage

In the woods

In a forest

A castle

What is your current setting?

Let's guess the setting!

Watch the clip and guess the setting from the below options

beach

farm

castle

Extension: can you describe the setting (eg: the castle is SPOOKY)

Let's guess the setting!

Watch the clip and guess the setting from the below options

Haunted house

sea

castle

Extension: can you describe the setting (eg: the castle is SPOOKY)

Let's guess the setting!

Watch the clip and guess the setting from the below options https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QLhYSw67pd...

Haunted house

beach

forest

Extension: can you describe the setting (eg: the castle is SPOOKY)

Let's guess the setting!

Watch the clip and guess the setting from the below options https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3QzT1sq6kCY

house

Hill side/ Valley

Only watch the first few minutes- focus on the setting

forest

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What story are we focussing on this week and next week?

The forest

Virtue and values:
Critical thinking
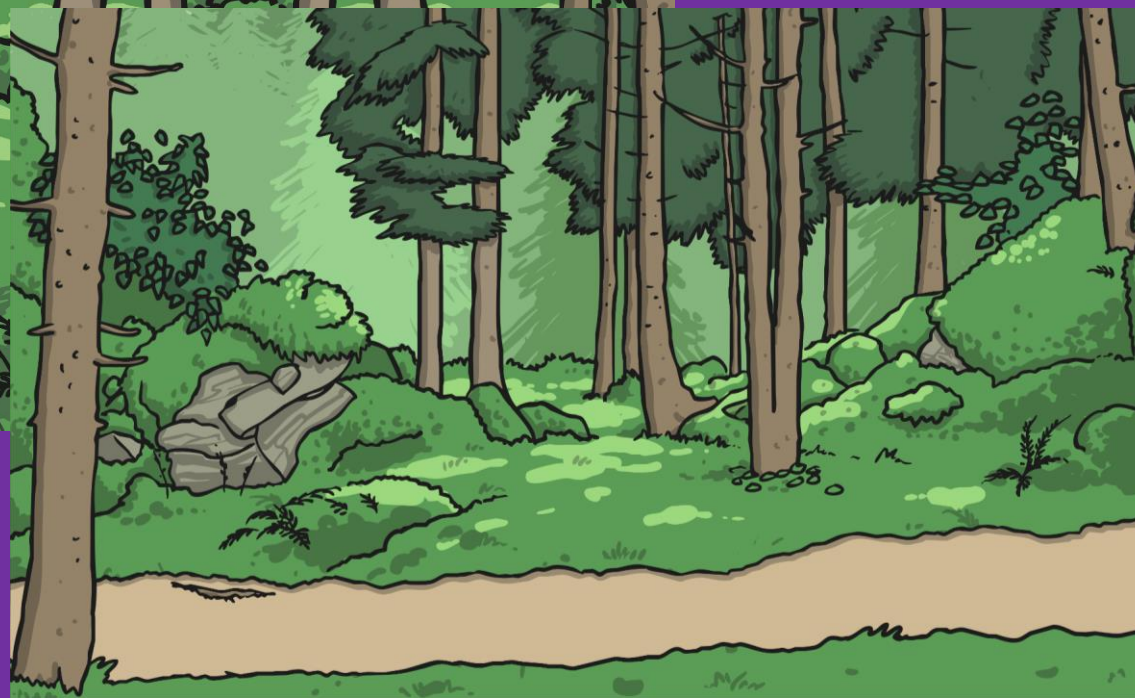
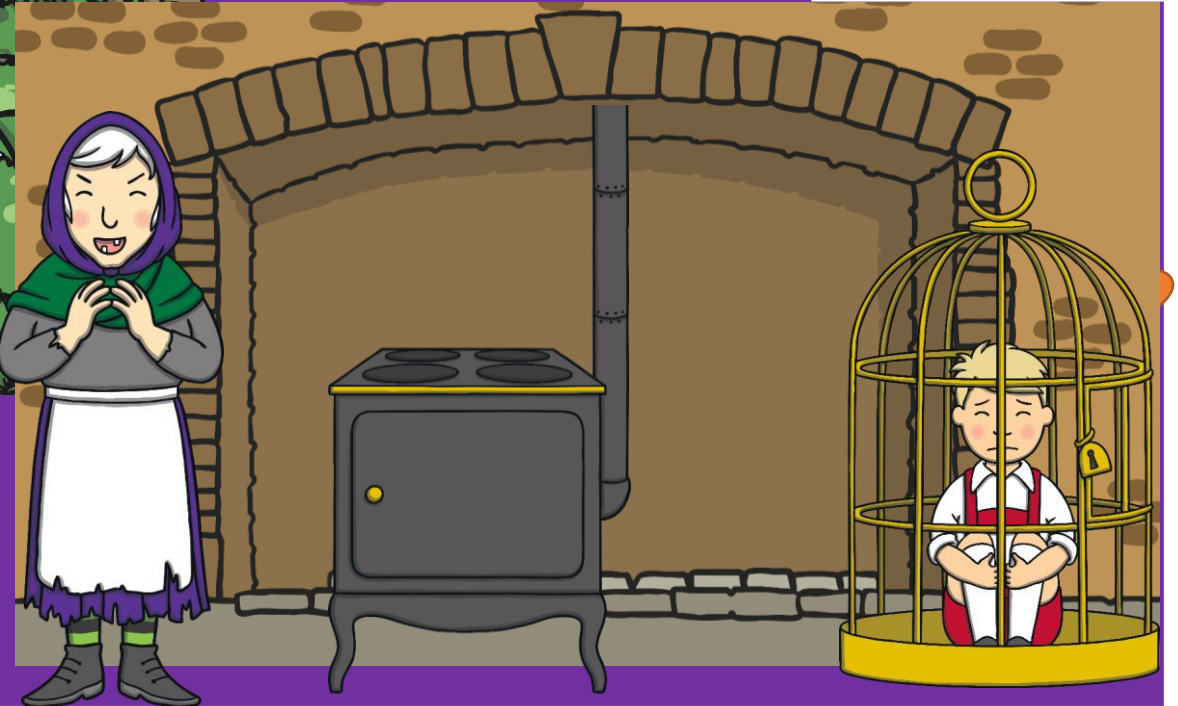What is the setting for Hansel & Gretel? Is it the same setting throughout the story?

The gingerbread house

When H & G come to this scene.. What does the setting change to?

LO: identifying and describing story settings.

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We will be focussing on story settings and making links to Understanding of the World, where we will make links to different environments. We will also begin to use describing words (adjectives) to describe the settings.

- Spend some time thinking about the setting in your stories/ bug club stories/ movies or programmes that you watch
- create your own story setting for Hansel and Gretel – use different media and materials to do this

LO: Listen and join with stories
LO: To recall main events from a story
LO: To use role play to act out a story

Model

Hansel and Gretel

gingerbread house

Hansel

Gretel

woodcutter

witch

birds
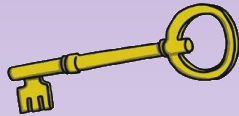
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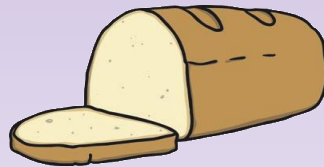
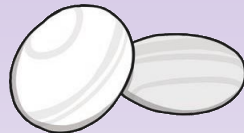**treasure chest**

cage

stepmother

crumbs

bread

pebbles

oven

forest

Go over the key vocabulary with your adult/ sibling. Think of an action for each word so we can use it on our story map
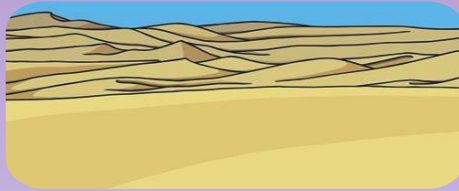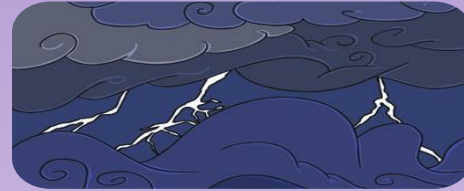
Settings Adjectives

warm / sunny / pleasant   **cold / snowy / wintry**   **hot / humid / sticky**   **windy / gusty / stormy**   **spooky / haunted / creepy**
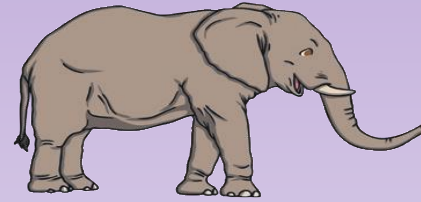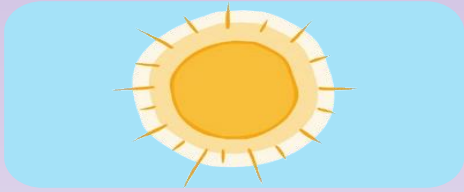
scary / terrifying   **restful / peaceful**   **crowded / busy**   **enormous / huge**   **tiny / miniscule**

dazzling / bright   **gloomy / dark**   **quiet / peaceful**   **noisy / loud**   **smooth**
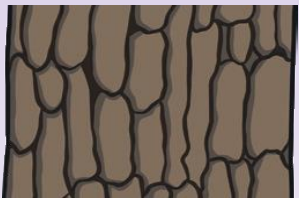
rough   **dirty**   **clean**   **tidy / neat**   **untidy / messy**

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