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## 7/2/2020

This week is National Storytelling week so we have been having more stories than usual! The children have enjoyed telling and acting out traditional tales throughout the week including; Goldilocks and the 3 Bears, The Little Red Hen, 3 Little Pigs and Little Red Riding Hood.

Do you have any dual language story or rhyme books which you no longer use? If so, we would be very grateful if you could donate them to playgroup.

The children have been creating Chinese Lanterns helping to broaden our knowledge and understanding of the World and how others celebrate special times, as it was Chinese New Year on Saturday 25/1/2020. We created patterns onto our paper and folded it in half talking about size, following instructions and being careful using scissors. While reading a story about the animals the children built their vocabulary and encouraged mutual respect about a different culture

<u>Noticeboard</u>. You may have noticed that some of the key documents are no longer on display, these are now filed within playgroup and are available to view at any time.

<u>Supervision</u>. There have been several incidents of rough play in the playground prior to drop off and collection from playgroup. Could we please ask that children and supervised and any rough play stopped? Please also remember that scooters and bikes are NOT to be used in the playground.



<u>Family Board.</u> Many thanks for the photographs that have bee supplied, our board is coming along nicely.

## Packed Lunches

Can we remind you to be mindful of what you send in your child's lunchbox please? We aim to adopt a healthy eating approach at playgroup and would request that you do not include full size chocolate bars in the lunch boxes. Please note that we also operate **a nut free** policy at playgroup along with Calton Primary School



<u>Dates for your Diary</u> Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2020 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020 Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Last day of Term 3 Inset Day Playgroup re-opens @ 9.00am