

Owlet Class
TOPIC/LEARNING FOR SPRING 1 2017

Jack and the
Beanstalk

Share story, retell story using story path, discuss and describe characters, read and write simple sentences about the story and characters, role play, Panto visit, class book related to visit.

Measure - heaviest and lightest, 2D and 3D shapes (Giant Castle), counting up to and beyond 20, ordering numbers to 20 and above, (magic beans)

Growing a bean, What does a bean need to grow? Look at different seeds. How are they the same and how are they different? How can we sort the beans? How can we describe the beans?

Giant Tricky Word Hunt
Tiny Spot the phoneme
Building a beanstalk
Puppet show and props - role play
Castle Climb - reading CVC words

Winter and
Cold Places

Polar Bear, Polar Bear What do you Hear? Listen to story, look at illustrations, think about new pages that could be written. rhyming, Winter information book, what do we find in the book, write captions and labels.

Measure - tallest and shortest, counting to 20 and beyond, ordering numbers, matching objects to numbers, adding and taking away, 1 more and 1 |

What do we wear during Winter? What is the weather like? How is it different to Autumn? What can we do to help animals? What do animals do? What animals like in cold places? What are they like? North and South pole.

Create snowman, create polar bear, create snowflakes and winter picture, use junk to make home for animal from cold place, investigate ice, investigate colour and texture

Frozen story shelves, Cold place role play, North and South Pole small world play, Cold Place transient art, Snowman playdough, Snowflake funky fingers.

Chinese New
Year

Chinese New Year Story, retell story using role play and puppets. Write and read simple sentences related to story. Write about animals from the race.

Positional language, counting, English digits and Chinese numerals. half of shapes (cookies)

Learn about the customs related to the Chinese New Year and compare to those of our English New Year.

Chinese dragons and lions, Chinese music and ribbons to dance with, art work related to the year of the rooster, Chinese take away role play, Chinese (red and yellow) tuff spot exploring.