### Writing

Imagine you are a character in the story and think of a new name for yourself.

My new name is going to be Wizard Wetherell and Miss Smith is going to be called Princess Smith!

Create your own invitation to Princess Eliza's birthday party?

Write a recipe for your own magic potion – what will you create?

How many different colours are mentioned in the story? Write a list of them all.

### Understanding the World

<u>Computing</u> – As we are setting up Microsoft Teams, it is important to know all about staying safe online. Please watch Buddy the dog's E-Safety video that I will share with you on Teams on Thursday.

<u>History</u> — Look at the PPT about royal families from around the world. Choose your favourite king, queen or princess and draw their portrait to add to our gallery.

<u>RE</u> - Talk to your parents about your own Godparents.

Who are they and why were they chosen?
What does a Godparent do?

#### Reading

On Monday I will share with you our story for the week via Teams. This week you can listen to me reading The Princess and the Wizard story.

You can read a Winnie the Witch story here: Winnie the Witch story (See your login sheet for details.)

### Comprehension

Look at the comprehension activity PPT and have a go at reading the captions and finding the correct picture.

Let me know how many you get right!



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Our focus this half term is: Once Upon A Time

We will be reading lots of different fairy tale stories and linking our learning to our favourite books.

This week our book is:
The Princess and the Wizard.

### Physical Development

For PE this week I would like you to listen to this story and join in with the actions. Remember to listen very carefully and send me your photographs!

BBC Let's Move - The Dragon Hunt

### Expressive Arts and Design

Imagine that you have your own fairy godparent.

Can you draw a picture of them?

Princess Eliza turns into different objects with different colours. Can you make a list of, or draw, things that are each colour for Princess Eliza to turn into?

Design and make a new sparkly dress for Princess Eliza. Can you design a new sparkly outfit for the wizard / fairy godmother too?

Join in with the song: There was a princess long ago.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This week we will be recognising and understanding dangers you could find in your house.

You will be exploring the different rooms and be thinking about the dangers you might find and how it would harm you.

You will create a poster warning others of the dangers they might find and how to keep safe.

This lesson will be part of our learning on Teams on Friday.

Don't forget to email me any work you do:

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