# Key Vocabulary

Past Slow Palace Present Loud Castle Character Quiet Turrets Setting Life cycle Drawbridge Fairytale Tadpole Arrow slits Froglet Instrument Royal Tempo Froq Ipad Dynamics Programme King Fast Queen

#### **Assessment**

I can compare aspects of my life to that of the past.

I can change the tempo and dynamics when using a musical instrument and singing.

I can talk about the features of castles and talk about King Charles.



# Theme- Once Upon A Time Reception-Summer 1

#### I will learn...

- How our life today is different to that in the past.
- Facts and the life cycle of a frog.
- Features of a castle
- Who is St George and what did he do.
- About the Royal family and where they live.
- What 'tempo', 'dynamics' mean and how to change these.

**Key Texts:** Cinderella, The frog Prince, Snow white

My Journey		
28.4.25	Cinderella	I will learn and role play the
	St George's day	story of St George.
	23 <sup>.</sup> April	I will find out about features
		of a castle and build a model
		castle.
		I will find out about the Royal
		family, the King and
		Buckingham Palace.
5.5.25 –	Bank Holiday	I will compare my life to that
4 day	Cinderella	of characters in the past-
week		clothes, homes, technology.
12.5.25	Frog Prince	I will learn facts about frogs.
		I will explore the life cycle of a
		frog.
19.5.25		Well-being week
	Well being	
	week off time	
	table	

### Language and Communication

- Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.
- Learn new vocabulary
- Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.
- Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them

# Understanding the World

- Comment on images of familiar situations in the past.
- Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past.
- Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.
- Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.

# Creative

I will explore tempo and dynamics.

I will learn new songs.

Consolidate tempo, dynamics and pitch in music. I will use small paint brushes to create more detailed paintings.

I will models of castles and carriages.

### Physical development

I will take part in physical challenges.
I will learn about the things that keep my body

healthy.

I will move to music.

## Provision Enhancements

Fairytale role play areas
Cups, plates and cutlery in the water
Building castles in construction
Story stones in small world
Making music using instruments
Balls and nets in the water
Use tweezers and pom poms to feed
hungry frogs
Invitations in the writing area
Get the beebots to the ball
Ipads
Afternoon tea in play-dough