# FAIRY TALE ADVENTURES FMS - LESSON 4 - Nursery

Learning Intention: Learning Intention: How can you cross the river?

## **EQUIPMENT:**

Throw down spots, strips, benches

#### **Physical Development:**

Negotiate space and obstacles safely; with consideration for themselves and others. Demonstrate strength, balance and co-ordination.

Move energetically, such as running, jumping, hopping, and skipping

Keywords: Run, stomp, fast, slow, freeze, hop, skip, jump, big, small, throw, catch, balance

## STORY TIME: Before the lesson

Share the story of The Gingerbread Man with the children.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AdSwrvVm9V8

Please note this is an external link to PPP.

## WARM UP:

Children to move around in different ways.

Teacher to call the names of the following animals:

Fox

Horse

Cow

Dog

Cockrell

Pig

Negotiate spaceMove energetica

Move energetically - Jumping

Move energetically - Hopping

Move energetically - Running

Demonstrate balance

Children are to move around, pretending they are the animal. If teacher calls "FREEZE", they are to freeze in the animal shape.









## ACTIVITY 1: Run, run as fast you can

Children to listen and follow the instructions.

Move energetically - Running

Move energetically - Jumping

Move energetically - Jumpin

Move energetically - Skipping

Move energetically - Hopping

"Run, run" as fast as you can, you can't catch me I am the gingerbread man = children run around in the area

"Skip, skip" as fast as you can, you can't catch me I am the gingerbread man = children skip around in the area

"Hop, hop" as fast as you can, you can't catch me I am the gingerbread man = children hop around in the area

"Jump, jump" as fast as you can, you can't catch me I am the gingerbread man = children jump around in the area

"Tiptoe, tiptoe" as fast as you can, you can't catch me I am the gingerbread man = children tiptoe around in the area







"Jump, jump"

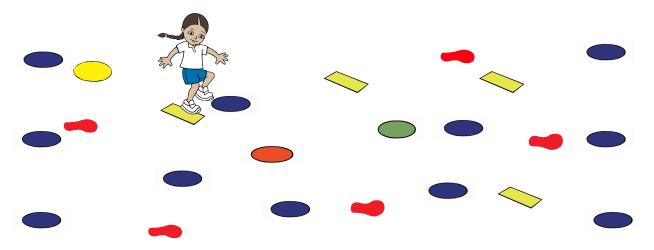
## **ACTIVITY 2: Cross the river**

1. Children to imagine they are the 'gingerbread man' and they have to find different ways to cross the river: step, hop, jump etc...



Teacher can put out spots, benches, throwdown strips, anything they can step on to get across to the other side.

Make it harder: Add some benches at the beginning of the river - these can be fences for the gingerbread man to climb over.



## **ACTIVITY 3: Circle time**



Children to get into a circle, tell them they are going to imagine that they are baking their own 'gingerbread man'.

- 1. The first thing we need is dough. Ask the children to **curl up** into a ball, like dough.
- 2. Next, the dough is rolled out. Ask the children to lie as long and flat and as they can.
- 3. After that, the dough is cut into the shape of a gingerbread man. Ask the children to lie down in the **shape of a gingerbread** man.
- 4. Then, it is baked in the oven. This is when the gingerbread man comes to life. Children to jump up and come to life.

Finally, the oven door is opened and the **gingerbread man runs away.** Children to **run** on the spot.

1. Curl up



2. Long



3. Gingerbread man



4. Jump up



5. Run on spot



#### **COOL DOWN**

Children to tiptoe around, try not to wake up the sleeping Fox

