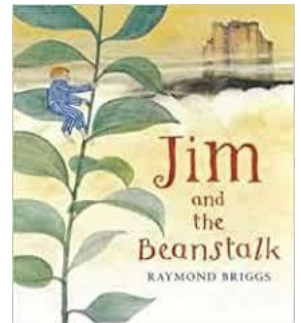


Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May

WALT: become increasingly familiar with a wider range of stories, fairy stories and traditional tales

Read Part 5 of the Story

Continue reading the story below, remember to Fred talk (sound out) words you don't know and get a parent or carer to read with you. Break up any larger words to help you read the whole word.



'Jim and the Beanstalk' by Raymond Briggs

He put on all his best clothes and danced about the room, beaming at himself in the mirror.

"Marvellous! Wonderful!" he boomed. "I'm happy again. I feel like a new Giant. And my appetite has come back too..."

The Giant stood still and looked at Jim. "Fried boy," he said thoughtfully. "Hmmm..."

Jim waited to hear no more. He ran to the beanstalk, slid down it as fast as he could and landed below in a heap. Above him he could hear the thunder of the Giant's footsteps. Seizing an axe, Jim swung mightily and chopped down the beanstalk. At the very moment the beanstalk fell, something else landed beside Jim with a thud. It was a huge piece of paper wrapped around a giant gold coin. On the paper was written:

DEER JIM

THANK you for the teath and the glassis

Also the lovly wig

Your frend

The Giant

Jim ran inside and showed the giant gold coin to his mother. "At last you can keep a coin for yourself!" she said. Somewhere in the distance Jim heard the rumble of laughter.

Here is a link to Miss Ward reading the whole story: <https://vimeo.com/418550670>

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Remember to join in and read along if you can!

**Activity:** Draw a picture of what you might find at the top of a beanstalk. Label it and use your imagination. Don't forget to upload any drawings or ideas to Padlet!