Dip and Pick Activities Year 1 Week 7

Reading	Have a go at the 'Billy Goat's Gruff' reading comprehension	Use the phonics activity booklet for your group	Listen to a story on 'storyline online'. (see web links)	Read your favourite story. Who are the characters? Where is the story set? Can you draw a story map to go with your story?
Writing	Design your own make believe fantasy world. It could be a land of sweets, a unicorn palace or any other idea you can think of.	Describe the fantasy world you have designed. Write a description telling someone what it looks like, what you can smell there etc. Remember to use wow words!	Who would live in your fantasy world? Draw pictures and label them.	Have a go at writing a story using your make believe fantasy world as the setting of your story.
Maths	Get someone to call out simple subtraction number sentences for you to solve eg: 19 - 7, 12 - 4 etc	Talk about missing numbers in a number sequence. Which numbers have the aliens taken away? (see resources)	What is the same and different about the numbers 8 and 18? eg: 1 digit, 2 digit, both have an 8 in, half of one is 4 and half of the other is 9	Talk about halves and quarters of shapes. Have a go at solving the challenge (see resources)
Topic/ Life skills	Talk about road safety. What do we need to do when we cross the road?	Design a new animal and create a new habitat for it. It could be half giraffe and half elephant but live underwater!	Talk about animal groups. How do you know which animal goes where? See resources for recording sheet and animal group fact sheets	Go on a material hunt and discuss the purpose of each material (e.g. a pillow is made from fabric and it is soft so I can sleep on it)