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An excited chorus of 'It's the wrong way around' met my reading of the title and Year 2 children were immediately caught and intrigued by this very funny and fearfully unpredictable tale of bricks, concrete, iron bars, pneumatic drills, dynamite ... and a beautifully tranquil, happy ending. Undoubtedly, success does depend on knowing the traditional tale and familiarity with 'I'll huff and I'll puff ...' but neither would it be such a success without a very cleverly crafted storyline, a sensitive message (that baddies don't necessarily have to stay bad) and Oxenbury's brilliant illustrations. As much - but not more - of a 'classic' as the traditional version.

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