

FOXES & LIONS



English

We have loved looking at 'A Series of Unfortunate Events' and will finish the unit by writing our persuasive film reviews before turning our hands to writing a new brochure for our school to include all of the wonderful things we enjoy. We will then move towards studying another fantastic book called 'Holes by Louis Sachar. Here we will unpick the characters and situations by inferring and analysing the author's intent.

PE

As the sun begins to shine (hopefully), we will be venturing outside more and learning about Tennis and athletics



PSHE

In PSHE, we will be looking at managing risks whilst staying safe. We will be looking at physical and emotional risks, how responsibility changes as we grow older and also looking at first aid and preventing accidents.

Science

During our circulatory systems unit, we will explore how our heart pumps blood around to our organs and what blood is made up of.

RE

How does faith help people when life gets hard? We will be exploring how different faiths deal with good and bad times in our lives.



The countdown is on...

This half term will see our children explore a range of topics – all with hands-on experiences! A prime example of this is where we will be looking at real pig hearts as they resemble our hearts. This always proves to be a very memorable experience! We will also be looking to consolidate our knowledge in preparation for our SATs which commences on Monday 8th May. Details have been sent out to all parents. The week after SATS will also see our children put their entrepreneurial skills to the test when they hold a whole school fayre to raise money for their end-of-year celebrations! More details will follow nearer the time.

PE days: Monday and Thursday
Library Slot: Fridays!

Maths

Before we move towards our revision weeks, we will concentrate on shape properties! We will then spend time consolidating all of our learning by recapping fractions, number, worded problems and algebra and ratio!

Computing

A micro:bit is a tiny, pocket-sized computer that is used by millions of young people worldwide to get hands-on with computer science and technology



SUMMER 1

History

Why did the ancient Maya change the way they lived? Our new exciting topic will look at the occupations of Maya people today, the true story of two traveller-explorers found in the jungles of Central America in 1839 and what the ruins of Chichen Itza tells us about the lives of ancient Maya.



French

Our new topic will be 'At the weekend' where we will learn to tell the time, and describe weekend activities.

Art and DT

We are VERY excited to turn our hands towards creating fashion items with Maya jewellery and headdresses. We will infuse our history learning with the world of art and textiles resulting in a catwalk!



Music

This half term we will be looking at playing a variety of musical devices, timbres, textures, and techniques when creating and playing music whilst following notation.