

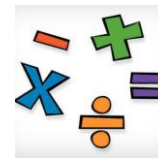
## Communication Language and Literacy

**SPaG-** Foxes will learn how to read contractions (I'm, there's) and will learn what the apostrophe means. Year 2 will learn how to spell contractions.

They will explore tense, learning to use past and present tense accurately, applying the -ed spelling rules, as well as learning about irregular verbs.

**Instructions-** The writers will complete their instruction unit around commands using the books by Mo Willems. 'Don't let the pigeon stay up late!

**Fairy Tales-** The writers will listen to retell and explore the story of Hansel and Gretel. They will identify and describe the characters as well as exploring the dilemmas in the story. They will look at ordering 9876 and creating alternative ending through the story of Rapunzel. The authors will plan and write their own fairy tale.



## Problem Solving Reasoning and Numeracy

Year 1- The mathematicians will spend most of the term learning about measurement. They will compare and measure length, height, mass and capacity. They will ensure they are using the correct terminology and units of measure.

Year 2- The mathematicians will similarly explore measurement. They will compare and measure length, height, mass, capacity and temperature.

Year 1 and 2 will continue to sharpen their mental arithmetic skills with revision of calculations, including their times tables and number bonds.

Year 1: count in 2s, 5s and 10s.

Year 2: Know their 2, 5, 10 and 3 times table.

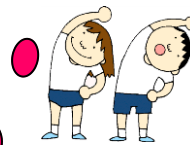
## Knowledge and Understanding of the World

**Science –** Plants with Mrs Jones

The scientists will explore growing things in their environment. They will plant, observe and measure the growth of a plant. They will identify and label parts of a plant.

**Topic-** The geologists will learn about human and physical geography at the seaside. They will locate the countries, capital cities and some seaside towns that make up the United Kingdom. They will look closer at a seaside town and compare it to their own locality. The historians will explore how seascides have changed over time.

**Computing-** The pupils will plan and create their own animated book. They will draw pictures, add text and learn how to add animations.



## Physical Development

**Tuesday-** The athletes will develop their co-ordination and ball skills.

**Wednesday –**The athletes will explore movement through Dance with Mrs Ranson using Friendship as a theme.



## Creative Development

**Art and design-** The artists will be designing, making and evaluating their own puppets. They will also explore line and shape in their sketchbooks.

**Music –** with Mrs Stamper The children will listen to a range of music within a zoo theme. They will learn a reggae song.

## Personal Social and Emotional Development

**RE –** Foxes will explore:  
How should we care for the world and for others, and why does that matter?

**PSHE –** Foxes will explore their rights and responsibilities. They will look at: co-ordination, self-regulation, online safety and looking after money.



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# Spring term 2: Coasts



Welcome back after half term.  
I hope you had a great week! It's hard to believe that we are already half way through the school year!

The Topic this term is 'Oh I do like to be beside the seaside!' We are looking forward to exploring the coasts around the United Kingdom.

This term we are looking forward to World Book Day and our author visit.

There is parents evening this term, therefore please sign up online to make a time to talk about your child.

Well done to the children for completing homework, spellings, RM EasiMaths and reading. Thank you for your support at home! It really makes a difference. It is lovely to add so many names to the reading raffle for their reading each week. There is a termly competition for children who are spending time on rmeasimaths. The pupil with the highest time, has a nonuniform day that term. This term it is: 9<sup>th</sup> March.

We are currently organising our class trip for summer term and will let you know the details once confirmed.

We continue to add to our adventures in the class blog at: <https://warmingtonfoxes.wordpress.com/>.

We look forward to the warmer weather, longer days and enjoying the term with the Foxes.

## Important Dates/Events

Tuesday- PE with Miss Aldous	2.3.23- World Book Day
Wednesday- PE with Mrs Ransom Homework due	2.3.23- Class trip to see the author
Friday-Spelling Test New homework and spellings sent home	6.3.23 and 7.3.23- Parents Evening
	17.3.23 Comic relief
	17.3.23 Wood green visitor (in school)
	31.3.23 Last day of school
	18.4.23 Back to school