

English

This term, we will be exploring two fantastic texts:

- **Street Child** by Berlie Doherty
- **Another Twist in the Tale** by Catherine Bruton

Through these texts, children will:

- Develop their reading comprehension and inference skills
- Explore characters, themes and historical contexts
- Write for a range of purposes, including narrative and non-fiction
- Build vocabulary and improve sentence structure

We will also continue to focus on spelling, punctuation and grammar to support children in becoming confident writers.

History

This term, we will be learning about The Victorians, developing our understanding of life in Britain during Queen Victoria's reign. Children will explore how the Industrial Revolution changed society, learn about important figures such as Queen Victoria, and compare daily life for rich and poor, including schools and working children

Year 3/4

Foxes class

Welcome back! We hope you all had a wonderful half term break. We are looking forward to an exciting final term of the year, with lots of engaging learning across the curriculum.

Monday: PE – Net/Wall Skills

Wednesday: Forest School

Science

This term, our topic is Electricity. Children will develop their scientific enquiry skills through practical investigations.

They will learn to:

- Identify appliances that use electricity
- Build and test simple circuits
- Understand how circuits work (including switches and complete loops)
- Explore conductors and insulators
- Design and create their own electrical circuits and switches

Religious Education

Children will learn about Christian pilgrimage, focusing on the historical case study of the Boston Pilgrims. They will discover why people go on journeys for religious reasons and how this can help believers grow spiritually.

Maths

This term, we will begin by focusing on fractions, developing understanding of counting in fractions, recognising equivalent fractions and adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator. Children will also find fractions of amounts and solve practical problems.

Later in the term, we will explore geometry, money, multiplication and time, building fluency and confidence through problem-solving and real-life contexts.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will be focusing on rules, laws and responsibilities.

Children will learn about:

- Why rules and laws exist and how they keep us safe
- Democracy and how laws are made
- Human rights and children's rights
- The role of citizens in a community
- Respect, equality and responsibility

DT

This term, children will be designing and creating their own light up map, linked to our Science learning on electricity.

