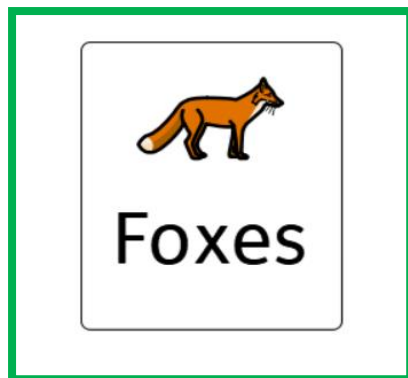




Woodlands Theme Overview

**Class - Foxes
Self**



CIISS Values

Communication — To be confident communicators in their own form of communication.

Inclusion — To experience opportunities that develop a strong sense of belonging whilst embracing diversity and individuality.

Independence — To be as independent as possible and have self-help skills for learning and life.

Social interaction — To be confident to engage in social interaction using the social skills they have learnt and developed in their own unique way.

Success — To be happy and confident individuals who access and learn from an enriched curriculum that meets their needs.

Theme- My Super



Books

Class reader –

George's Marvellous Medicine

How to be a Lion – Ed Vere

At My House – Claire Clarke

Super Duper You – Sophy Henn

I feel Something – Dj Corchin

Freya's Funny Feeling – Samia Qudus

Out and About

This term, we will be exploring the wonders of our local area. We will be researching people who help us and where they work.

We will also visit

- Our local pocket park
- Abington Park
- Weston Favell Shopping Centre
- Local Shoe Shop
- Northampton Shoe Museum



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Communication & Interaction/Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term, we are concentrating on spatial awareness throughout the school day and when out and about. We are using turn-taking games to establish communication whilst building relationships with different adults and peers. We are exploring the topic of 'My Super Self' by discussing our family life and environment and expressing our thoughts, feelings and beginning to describe our emotions. We are exploring our CISS values to encourage independence and success.

Scientific Technologies/Understanding the World

In Science and scientific technologies, we will be exploring the human body. We will spend time finding out about our internal organs and their purpose and linking this to our senses. We will also find out about what we can do to keep ourselves fit, well and happy. In history and understanding the world, we will be exploring our own history and family tree. We will locate ourselves and homes within the local area, explore our own family trees and history and research Northamptonshire and its shoe history. This research will inform our trip to the shoe museum.

English and Maths

In English we will be using our core texts to inspire our writing. We will read George's Marvellous Medicine daily and we will develop our inference and retrieval skills in our comprehension lessons.

We will use our core 'Talk for Writing' text 'How to be a Lion' to develop our story writing skills. We will be learning all about lions, immersing ourselves in the story and funny characters of Leonard the Lion and Marianne the Duck, rehearsing and learning the story using a story map and innovating our very own version of the story.

We will use the text 'I Feel something' to explore how we can verbalise and describe how we are feeling.

In maths, we will be focussing on the topic of place value. We will represent numbers from 0-100, order numbers, compare numbers, estimate numbers and find 1,10 and 100 more and less of any number. We will use visual tools and practical equipment to support our learning. In maths we love pushing ourselves with our spicy challenges and we address misconception in our work through our silly Mr Whoops! Each week, we will also have a separate lesson on shape, where we will explore and compare their properties.