

Books we will be reading:

- 'The Invention of Hugo Cabret' by Brian Selznick
- 'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty
- 'A Christmas Carol' by Charles Dickens
- 'The Hound of the Baskervilles' by Arthur Conan Doyle



We will be writing:

- Cliffhanger Narrative
- Formal Report



'Foxes' (Year 5/6) Learning Overview 2nd Autumn Term 2022

In our writing we will be learning and embedding:

- Linking ideas across paragraphs, using adverbials
- Relative clauses beginning with who, which, where, when, whose, that or an omitted relative pronoun
- Use commas to clarify meaning and avoid ambiguity
- Semi-colons to separate the boundary between independent clauses
- The difference between vocabulary of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate to formal speech and writing – formal tone
- Use hyphens to avoid ambiguity
- Semi-colons to mark boundaries between independent clauses
- Colons and bullet points

Our spellings will come home each week and will also be set on 'Spelling Shed':

- Year 5:
 - Words ending in '-ant'
 - Words ending in '-ance' and '-ancy'
 - Words ending in '-ent' and '-ence'
 - Words ending in '-able' and '-ible'
 - Words ending in '-ably' and '-ibly'
 - Challenge Words
 - Words ending in '-able', where the 'e' from the root word remain
- Year 6:
 - Challenge Words
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 - Words with the short vowel sound /i/ spelled 'y'
 - Words with the long vowel sound /igh/ spelled 'y'
 - Adding the prefix '-over'

In our Maths we will be learning and embedding:

Year 5:

- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division A
- Fractions A

Year 6:

- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
- Fractions A
- Fractions B
- Measurement- converting units

We will also have tasks set on 'Mathletics' and 'TTRS'

Things to remember this term:

- PE Monday and Thursday
- Children in Need – PJ day – 18th Nov
- Muncaster Castle Trip- 30th Nov
- Christingle service – 1st Dec
- Christmas Jumper Day – 9th Dec
- Christmas dinner day – 14th Dec
- Christmas panto trip – 15th Dec
- Break up for holidays – 20th Dec

In our other curriculum areas we will be learning?

History	Five Significant Monarchs / when did we create the British Empire?	
Geography	The British Empire	What makes Paris such a significant city in Europe? (mini study)
Science	Know how we get to hear things and how sound is created	Know why we can see and the part our eyes have in helping us see
Art	Art and design skills	Formal elements of Art
Computing Science	Creating Media Web design	Programming Further Scratch coding
RE	Harvest: How do people of faith say thank you to God for the harvest?	How do our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas?
PHSE	Families and Relationships	Health and Wellbeing
French	Portraits (catch-up – French Greetings)	Clothes (catch-up – adjectives)
Music	Classical music uncovered Composing using Ostinati / pentatonic scale / Drone. Singing in parts. Harvest for school	1900-1960 music uncovered Composing with Sycopation/ chord notation / melody Christmas singing in parts
PE	Swimming	Football & Gymnastics



Log ins you will need for online learning and homework:

- Mathletics
- Times Tables Rock Stars
- Spelling Shed

Please note: this learning is not set in stone as we like to be flexible to children's interests and needs as well as current events – thank you