



# FOXES FORUM

First Edition

September 2019

Welcome to the Foxes Den. We are looking forward to another superb year. Thank you to all of you who were able to pop along to the meet the teacher event. If you couldn't but you have any questions or queries, please do contact me. I will put notes from the meeting on Class Dojo.

**Fox Class Team:** Mrs New, Mrs Brown, Mrs Goold and Mrs Bell

This half term we will be:

**Mathematicians** - the focus will be on place value, addition and subtraction.

**Readers** - We will be reading the book Wonder by RJ Palacio.

**Writers** - stories using time lapse and monologue, and persuasive letters.

**Scientists** - Finding out about the properties of materials and what happens when materials are mixed together.

**Musicians** -writing song lyrics, exploring metre and ostinato.

**Sports Stars** - PE kits will be needed on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

**Computer Technicians** - Coding and Internet Safety

Homework:

**Times Table Rock Stars** (40 Games per Week)

**Spelling Practise**

5 minutes daily

**Reading**

20 + minutes per day (Please note that children may quiz on books from home as long as they are in the quiz database. Reading books are not restricted to those taken from the school library.)

**Projects** linked to classwork will be suggested via Class Dojo - these are not compulsory.

Children will receive Dojo points for commitment to homework: the more they do, the more points they will receive.



Trips and Visitors

Autumn 2 - Cornard Country Park (Map reading skills)

Spring 1 - Planetarium (in school)

Spring 2 - Ipswich Museum (Egyptians)

Spring 2 - Residential Trip

Summer - Duxford (WW2)

Diary Dates:

11<sup>th</sup> October - photographs

15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> October - parents' evening

17<sup>th</sup> October - Harvest Festival

11<sup>th</sup> November - Class Assembly

7<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas

**Contact Me**

If you have any queries or concerns, please either send a message via Class Dojo, or make an appointment via the school office (01787 283200).