

In English we will use a variety of texts including Roald Dahl's 'Fantastic Mr Fox' to:

- Write a story
- Write a non-chronological report about farm animals
- Write a set of descriptive paragraphs

The spelling rules we will learn and consolidate are:

- The /l/ sound spelt -le, el, il and al at the end of words
- Homophones e.g. there, they're and their
- The /aI/ sound spelt -y at the end of words
- Adding -es to nouns and verbs ending in -y

In Science we will:

- Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants
- Find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy - including how changing these affects the plant
- Learn and understand the difference between living and non-living
- Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

In Design technology we will:

- Design, make and evaluate a healthy meal
- Talk about their design as they develop and identify good and bad points
- Learn how to cut, peel, grate and chop a range of ingredients
- Measure and weigh ingredients

Panther Class

Parent Information Sheet



The Farm Shop Spring 2



How can I help my child?

1. Read with your child every day, asking questions about what they have read
2. Practise spellings together
3. Practise the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables
4. Research about farm animals and healthy eating

Don't forget...

- Spelling homework is due in on Thursday
- Reading books and diaries need to be in school everyday

Thank you

In Maths we will:

- Deepen and extend our understanding of the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables and associated division facts
- Recognise, find, name and write fractions $1/3$, $1/4$, $2/4$ and $3/4$ of a length, shape, set of objects and quantities
- Write simple fractions e.g. $\frac{1}{2}$ of $6 = 3$ and recognise the equivalence of $2/4 = \frac{1}{2}$
- Recognise and use symbols for £ and p; combine amounts to make a particular value
- Find different combinations of coins that equal the same amount of money
- Solve simple problems in practical contexts involving money including giving change
- Tell and write the time to the nearest 5 minutes
- Interpret and construct simple pictograms, tally charts, block diagrams and simple tables
- Ask and answer questions about totalling and comparing categorical data

In Art and Design we will develop our skills through:

- Printing

Children will take inspiration from Cezanne's 'Apples' and Renoir's 'Onions', developing their own prints of fruits and vegetables.

In PSHCE we will learn how to understand our feelings and celebrate our talents.

This term our SEAL topic is 'Good to be Me'.

Indoor and outdoor PE kits need to be in school each week.

PE DAYS ARE WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY