

PSHE

THE FOXTON CURRICULUM



Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.
– Margaret Mead

At Foxton Primary School, we are global citizens.



Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education is a vital part of the curriculum at Foxton and underpins our commitment to developing global citizens. We follow the Cambridgeshire Primary Personal Development Programme, which provides a comprehensive and progressive framework that aligns closely with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Our curriculum also incorporates statutory Relationships, Health, and Sex Education (RHSE).

The overview and progression maps in this document outline the key themes that pupils explore and revisit over time, enabling them to deepen their knowledge, reflect on their values, and build essential life skills.

Our PSHE curriculum is designed to:

- Support pupils' spiritual, moral, cultural, mental, and physical development

- Prepare pupils for the opportunities, responsibilities, and experiences of later life
- Teach pupils about safeguarding, including online safety and risk awareness
- Help pupils explore, clarify, and reflect on their own and others' values, beliefs, rights, and responsibilities
- Equip pupils with the skills, language, and strategies needed to lead safe, healthy, fulfilling, and responsible lives
- Foster positive personal attributes, aligned with both our school values and British values

Safeguarding and SMSC

Our PSHE curriculum provides a comprehensive and well-sequenced approach to safeguarding education. Topics such as *Personal Safety*, *Digital Lifestyles*, and *Managing Risk* help pupils develop the awareness, vocabulary, and strategies needed to keep themselves and others safe. Teaching is age-appropriate and builds year on year.

We also explicitly address:

- **Online Safety** – including recognising unsafe content, managing screen time, reporting concerns, and navigating social media responsibly.
- **Consent and Boundaries** – starting in EYFS, pupils learn about their personal space, how to say no, and what to do if they feel uncomfortable or unsafe.
- **Trusted Networks** – children are taught who to go to for help and how to persist in asking if they are not listened to.
- **Mental Health and Wellbeing** – woven throughout the curriculum, with emphasis on self-care, emotional regulation, and building resilience.

The curriculum also makes a clear contribution to Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural (SMSC) development. Pupils explore identity, emotions, relationships, rights, and responsibilities - learning how to live with integrity, compassion, and respect for others.

British Values and the Prevent Duty

British Values are embedded across the PSHE curriculum. Pupils learn about:

- **Democracy** – through School Council elections, classroom decision-making, and debates.
- **Rule of Law** – explored in units on rights and responsibilities, both in school and society.
- **Individual Liberty** – children develop a strong sense of self, understand their rights, and learn how to make safe, informed choices.
- **Mutual Respect and Tolerance** – units on diversity and communities promote understanding of different faiths, beliefs, and lifestyles.

The curriculum also supports the Prevent Duty by equipping children with critical thinking skills, digital literacy, and respectful debate, so they are less vulnerable to radicalisation and extremism.

Cycle A Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Fox Cubs	Beginning and Belonging MMR1BBF	Family and Friends (incl. anti-bullying) MMR2 FFF My Emotions MMR3 MEF	Me and My World Cit2 MWF Identities and Diversity Cit1 IDF	Healthy Lifestyles HSL3 HLF	Keeping Safe (incl. Drug Education) HSL2 KSF	My Body and Growing Up HSL1 BGF
Class 1	Beginning and Belonging MMR4 BB12	Family and Friends MMR6 FF12 Anti-bullying MMR7 AB12	Working Together Cit3 WT12 Financial Capability EW1 FC12	Healthy Lifestyles Digital Lifestyles TG	Managing Safety and Risk HSL4 MR12	Relationships Education HSL6 SR1 HSL10 SR2
Class 2	Beginning and Belonging MMR9 BB34	Family and Friends MMR11 FF34 Anti-bullying MMR12 AB34	Working Together Cit6 WT34 Financial Capability EW2 FC34	Healthy Lifestyles HSL14 HL34	Managing Safety and Risk HSL11 MR34 Digital Lifestyles	Relationships Education HSL13 SR3 HSL17 SR4
Class 3	Beginning and Belonging MMR14 BB56	Family and Friends MMR16 FF56 Anti-bullying MMR17 AB56	Working Together Cit9 WT56 Financial Capability EW3 FC56	Healthy Lifestyles HSL21 HL56	Managing Safety and Risk HSL18 MR56 Digital Lifestyles	Sex and Relationships Education HSL20 SR5 HSL24 SR6

Cycle B Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Fox Cubs	Beginning and Belonging MMR1BBF	Family and Friends (incl. anti-bullying) MMR2 FFF My Emotions MMR3 MEF	Me and My World Cit2 MWF Identities and Diversity Cit1 IDF	Healthy Lifestyles HSL3 HLF	Keeping Safe (incl. Drug Education) HSL2 KSF	My Body and Growing Up HSL1 BGF
Class 1	Rights, Rules and Responsibilities Cit5 RR12	My Emotions MMR5 ME12 Anti-bullying MMR7 AB12	Diversity and Communities Cit4 DC12	Drug Education HSL8 DE12	Personal Safety HSL9 PS12	Managing Change MMR8 MC12
Class 2	Rights, Rules and Responsibilities Cit8 RR34	My Emotions MMR10 ME34 Anti-bullying MMR12 AB34	Diversity and Communities Cit7 DC34	Drug Education HSL15 DE34	Personal Safety HSL16 PS34	Managing Change MMR13 MC34
Class 3	Rights, Rules and Responsibilities Cit11 RR56	My Emotions MMR15 ME56 Anti-bullying MMR17 AB56	Diversity and Communities Cit10 DC56	Drug Education HSL22 DE56	Personal Safety HSL23 PS56	Managing Change MMR18 MC56

Knowledge Progression

Myself & My Relationships Beginning and Belonging			
Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How am I special and what is special about other people in my class? • What have I learnt to do and what would I like to learn next? • How do we welcome new people to our class? • What can I do to help everyone in our classroom feel safer and happier? • How can I play and work well with others? • How can I show I am listening to an adult? • What can help me to follow instructions? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do I understand simple ways to help my school feel like a safe, happy place? • How can I get to know the people in my class? • How do I feel when I am doing something new? • How can I help someone feel welcome in class? • What helps me manage in new situations? • Who can help me at home and at school? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is my role in helping my school be a place where we can learn happily and safely? • How can we build relationships in our class and how does this benefit me? • What does it feel like to be new or to start something new? • How can I help children and adults feel welcome in school? • What helps me manage a new situation or learn something new? • Who are the different people in my network who I can ask for help? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are my responsibilities for helping others in school feel happy and safe? • How can I take responsibility for building relationships in my school and how does this benefit us all? • How might different people feel when starting something new and how can I help? • How do we help people feel welcome and valued in and out of school? • What helps me to be resilient in a range of new situations? • Are there more ways I can get help now and how do I seek support?

**Citizenship
Rights, Rules & Responsibilities**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do rules make me feel happy and safe? • How do I take part in making rules? • Who looks after me and what are their responsibilities? • What jobs and responsibilities do I have in school and at home? • Can I listen to other people, share my views and take turns? • Can I take part in discussions and decisions in class? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does it mean to be treated and to treat others with respect? • Who are those in positions of authority within our school and communities and how can we show respect? • Why do we need rules at home and at school? • What part can I play in making and changing rules? • What do we mean by rights and responsibilities? • What are my responsibilities at home and at school? • How do we make democratic decisions in school? • What is a representative and how do we elect them? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are the conventions of courtesy & manners and how do these vary? • How does my behaviour online affect others & how can I show respect? • Why is it important to keep my personal information private, especially online? • How can I contribute to making and changing rules in school? • How else can I make a difference in school? • Are there places or times when I have to behave differently? • What are the basic rights of children and adults? • Why do we have laws in our country? • How does democracy work in our community and in our country? • What do councils, councillors, parliament and MPs do? • How do I take part in a debate respectfully and listen to other people's views?

Myself & My Relationships
My Emotions

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can I recognise and talk about my feelings? • Can I recognise emotions in other people and say how they might be feeling? • Do I know what might cause different emotions in myself and other people? • How might I and others feel when things change? • What are some simple ways to make myself feel better? • How can I help to make other people feel better? • What could I do when things are difficult for me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What am I good at and what is special about me? • How can I stand up for myself? • Can I name some different feelings? • Can I describe situations in which I might feel happy, sad, cross etc? • How do my feelings and actions affect others? • How do I manage some of my emotions and associated behaviours? • What are the different ways people might relax and what helps me to feel relaxed? • Who do I share my feelings with? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why is it important to accept and feel proud of who we are? • What does the word 'unique' mean and what do I feel proud of about myself? • Why is mental wellbeing as important as physical wellbeing? • How can I communicate my emotions? • Can I recognise some simple ways to manage difficult emotions? • What does it mean when someone says I am "over reacting" and how do I show understanding towards myself and others? • How do my actions and feelings affect the way I and others feel? • How do I care for other people's feelings? • Who can I talk to about the way I feel? • How can I disagree without being disagreeable? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we make mental wellbeing a normal part of daily life, in the same way as physical wellbeing? MW • What does it mean to have a 'strong sense of identity' & 'self-respect'? • What can I do to boost my self-respect? • How do I manage strong emotions? • How can I judge if my own feelings and behaviours are appropriate & proportionate? • How do I recognise how other people feel and respond to them? • What is loneliness and how can we manage feelings of isolation? • How common is mental ill health and what self-care techniques can I use? • How and from whom do I get support when things are difficult?

Citizenship
Diversity and Communities

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who are the people in my class and how are we similar to and different from each other? • Who are the different people who make up a family? • What things are especially important to my family and me? • What are some of the similarities and differences in the way people including families live their lives? • What is life like in other countries? • How can we value different types of people including what they believe in and how they live their lives? • How do we celebrate what we believe in and how is this different for different people? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What makes me 'me', what makes you 'you'? • Do all boys and all girls like the same things? • What is my family like and how are other families different? • What different groups do we belong to? • What is a stereotype and can I give some examples? • Who helps people in my locality and what help do they need? • What does 'my community' mean and how does it feel to be part of it? • How do people find out about what is happening in my community? • How do we care for animals and plants? • How can I help look after my school? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What have we got in common and how are we different? • How might others' expectations of girls and boys affect people's feelings and choices? • How are our families the same and how are they different? • Do people who live in my locality have different traditions, cultures and beliefs? • How does valuing diversity benefit everyone? • Why are stereotypes unfair and how can I challenge them? • How do people in my locality benefit from being part of different groups? • What are the roles of people who support others with different needs in my community? • How does the media work in my community? • How can we care for the local environment and what are the benefits? • What do animals need, and what are our responsibilities? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do other people's perceptions, views and stereotypes influence my sense of identity? • How do views of gender affect my identity, friendships, behaviour & choices? • What are people's different identities, locally and in the UK? • How can I show respect to those with different lifestyles, beliefs & traditions? • What are the negative effects of stereotyping? • Which wider communities & groups am I part of & how does this benefit me? • What are voluntary organisations and how do they make a difference? • What is the role of the media and how does it influence me and my community? • Who cares for the wider environment and what is my contribution?

**Healthy & Safer Lifestyles
Drug Education**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What goes on to and into my body and who puts it there? • Why do people use medicines? • What are the safety rules relating to medicines and who helps me with these? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Which substances might enter our bodies, how do they get there and what do they do? • What are medicines and why and when do some people use them? • When and why do people have an injection from a doctor or a nurse? • Who is in charge of what medicine I take? • What different things can help me feel better if I feel poorly? • How can I keep safe with medicines and substances at home and at school? • What is persuasion and how does it feel to be persuaded? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What medical & legal drugs do I know about, and what are their effects? • Who uses and misuses legal drugs? • Why do some people need medicine and who prescribes it? • What are immunisations and have I had any? HP • What are the safety rules for storing medicine and other risky substances? • What should I do if I find something risky, like a syringe? • What do I understand about how friends and the media persuade and influence me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do I know about medicines, alcohol, smoking, solvents and illegal drugs and why people use them? • How does drug use affect the way a body or brain works? • How do medicines help people with different illnesses? • What immunisations have I had or may I have in future and how do they keep me healthy? • What is drug misuse? • What are some of the laws about drugs? • How can I assess risk, recognise peer influence & respond assertively? • When and how should I check information about drugs?

**Citizenship
Working Together**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<p>(Linked to Beginning and Belonging unit)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can I play and work well with others? • How can I show I am listening to an adult? • What can help me to follow instructions? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What am I and other people good at? • What new skills would I like to develop? • How can I listen well to other people? • How can I work well in a group? • Why is it important to take turns? • How can I negotiate to sort out disagreements? • How are my skills useful in a group? • What is a useful evaluation? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What am I good at and what are others good at? • What new skills would I like or need to develop? • How well can I listen to other people? • How do I ask open questions? • How can I share my views and opinions effectively? • How can different people contribute to a group task? • How can I persevere and overcome obstacles to my learning? • How can I work well in a group? • What is useful evaluation? • How do I give constructive feedback and receive it from others? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are my strengths and skills and how are they seen by others? • What helps me learn new skills effectively? • What would I like to improve and how can I achieve this? • How could my skills and strengths be used in future employment? • What are some of the jobs that people do? • How can I be a good listener to other people? • How can I share my views effectively and negotiate with others to reach agreement? • How can I persevere and help others to do so? • How can I give, receive and act on sensitive and constructive feedback?

**Myself & My Relationships
Family & Friends**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who are my special people and why are they special to me? • Who is my family and how do we care for each other? • What is a friend and how can I be a good one? • How do I make new friends? • How can I respect my own needs and the needs of others? • How can I make up with friends when I have fallen out with them? • How does what I do affect others? • Do I know what to do if someone is unkind to me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can I describe what a good friend is and does and how it feels to be friends? • Why is telling the truth important? • What skills do I need to choose, make and develop friendships? • How might friendships go wrong, and how does it feel? • How can I try to mend friendships if they have become difficult? • What is my personal space and how do I talk to people about it? • Who is in my family and how do we care for each other? • Who are my special people, why are they special and how do they support me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do good friends behave on and offline and how do I feel as a result? • What is a healthy friendship and how does trust play an essential part? • What skills do I need for choosing, making and developing friendships and how effective are they? • How can I help to resolve disagreements positively by listening and compromising? • Can I empathise with other people in a disagreement? • How can I check with my friends that their personal boundaries have not been crossed? • How do my family members help each other to feel safe and secure even when things are tough? • Who is in my network of special people now and how do we affect and support each other? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are the characteristics of healthy friendships on and offline and how do they benefit me? • How do trust and loyalty feature in my relationships on and offline? • What are the benefits and risks of making new friends, including those I only know online? • Can I always balance the needs of family & friends & how do I manage this? • Can I communicate, empathise & compromise when resolving friendship issues? • How can I check that my friends give consent on and offline? • How do people in my family continue to support each other as things change? • Who are in my networks, on & offline, and how have these, changed and how do we support each other?

**Healthy & Safer Lifestyles
Managing Safety & Risk**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are risky situations and how might I feel? • What is my name, address and phone number and when might I need to give them? • What is an emergency and who can help? • What makes a place or activity safe for me? • What are the benefits and risks for me when walking near the road, and how can I stay safer? • What are the benefits and risks for me in the sun and how can I stay safer? • What do I enjoy when I'm near water and how can I stay safer? • What are the risks for me if I am lost and how can I get help? • How can I help to stop simple accidents from happening and how can I help if there is an accident? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do I feel in risky situations and how might my body react? • Can I make decisions in risky situations and might my friends affect these decisions? • When might I meet adults I don't know & how can I respond safely? • What actions could I take in an emergency or accident and how can I call the emergency services? • What are the benefits of using the roads and being near water and how can I reduce the risks? • How is fire risky and how can I reduce the risks? • How do I keep myself safe during activities and visits? • How can I stop accidents happening at home and when I'm out? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When might it be good for my mental health for me to take a risk? • What are the possible benefits and consequences of taking physical, emotional and social risks? • When am I responsible for my own safety as I get older and how can I keep others safer? • How can I safely get the attention of a known or unknown adult in an emergency? • Can I carry out basic first aid in common situations, including head injuries? • What are the benefits of cycling and walking on my own and how can I stay safer? • How can being outside support my wellbeing & how do I keep myself safe in the sun? • What are the benefits of using public transport and how can I stay safe near railways? • How can I prevent accidents at school and at home, now that I can take more responsibility?

**Healthy & Safer Lifestyles
Personal Safety**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are some situations where I need to think about how to keep myself safer? • Do I understand simple safety rules for when I am at home, at school and when I am out and about? • What are the clues my body gives me if I am feeling unsafe? • Can I say 'No!' if I feel unsafe or unsure about something? • Can I ask for help and tell people who care for me if I feel unsafe, worried or upset? • Who are the people who help to keep me safe? • What goes on to and into my body and who puts it there? • Why do people use medicines? • What are the safety rules relating to medicines and who helps me with these? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can I identify different feelings and tell others how I feel? • Which school/classroom rules are about helping people to feel safe? • Can I name my own Early Warning Signs? • How do I know which adults and friends I can trust? • Who could I talk with if I have a worry or need to ask for help? • What could I do if a friend or someone in my family isn't kind to me? • Can I identify private body parts and say 'no' to unwanted touch? • What could I do if I feel worried about a secret? • What could I do if something worries or upsets me when I am online? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do I recognise my own feelings and communicate them to others? • Which school/classroom rules are about helping people to feel safe? • Can I recognise when my Early Warning Signs are telling me I don't feel safe? • What qualities do trusted adults and trusted friends have? • Who is on my network of support and how can I ask them for help? • What could I do if I feel worried about a friendship or family relationship? • What sort of physical contact do I feel comfortable with and what could I do if physical contact is unwanted? • How can I decide if a secret is safe or unsafe? • How can I keep safe online? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do I recognise my own feelings and consider how my actions may affect the feelings of others? • Can I use my Early Warning Signs to judge how safe I am feeling? • How do I judge who is a trusted adult or trusted friend? • How can I seek help or advice from someone on my network of support and when should I review my network? • How could I report concerns of abuse or neglect? • Can I identify appropriate & inappropriate or unsafe physical contact? • How do I judge when it is not right to keep a secret and what action could I take? • How can I recognise risks online and report concerns? • What strategies can I use to assess risk and help me feel safer when I am feeling unsafe?

**Myself & My Relationships
Managing Change**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are my achievements, skills and responsibilities changing and what else might change? • How might people feel during times of loss and change? • How do friendships change? • What helps me to feel calmer when I am experiencing strong emotions linked to loss and change? • How might people feel when they lose a special possession? • When can I make choices about changes? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What changes have I and my peers already experienced and what might happen in the future? • What helps me when I'm experiencing strong emotions due to loss or change? • What strategies help me to thrive when my friendships change? • How might I behave when I feel strong emotions linked to loss and change? • How might people feel when loved ones or pets die, or they are separated from them for other reasons? • What changes might people welcome and how can they plan for these? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What positive and negative changes might people experience? • How do people's emotions evolve over time as they experience loss and change? • How can I manage the changing influences and pressures on my friendships and relationships? • What different strategies do people use to manage feelings linked to loss and change and how can I help? • How might people whose families change feel? • When might change lead to positive outcomes for people? • What positive and negative changes have I experienced and how have these experiences affected me? • What strategies will help me to thrive when I move to my next school?

**Myself & My Relationships
Anti-bullying**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<p>(Taken from Friends and Family unit)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who are my special people and why are they special to me? • Who is my family and how do we care for each other? • What is a friend and how can I be a good one? • How do I make new friends? • How can I respect my own needs and the needs of others? • How can I make up with friends when I have fallen out with them? • How does what I do affect others? • Do I know what to do if someone is unkind to me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why might people fall out with their friends? • Can I describe what bullying is? • Do I understand some of the reasons people bully others? • Why is bullying never acceptable or respectful? • How might people feel if they are being bullied? • Who can I talk to if I have worries about friendship difficulties or bullying? • How can I be assertive? • Do I know what to do if I think someone is being bullied? • How do people help me to build positive and safe relationships? • What does my school do to stop bullying? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are falling out and bullying different? CF • How do people use power when they bully others? • What are the key characteristics of different types of bullying? • How can lack of respect and empathy towards others lead to bullying? • What is the difference between direct and indirect forms of bullying? • What are bystanders and followers and how might they feel? • Do I understand that bullying might affect how people feel for a long time? • How can I support people I know who are being bullied by being assertive? • How does my school prevent bullying and support people involved? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can I explain the differences between friendship difficulties and bullying? • Can I define the characteristics and different forms of bullying? • How do people use technology & social media to bully others and how can I help others to prevent and manage this? • What do all types of bullying have in common? • Might different groups experience bullying in different ways? • How can people's personal circumstances affect their experiences? • How does prejudice sometimes lead people to bully others? • Can I respond assertively to bullying, online and offline? • How might bullying affect people's mental wellbeing and behaviour? • How and why might peers become colluders or supporters in bullying situations? • Can I identify ways of preventing bullying in school and the wider community?

**Economic Wellbeing
Financial Capability**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<p>(Taken from 'Me and My World' unit)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is money and why do we need it? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where does money come from and where does it go when we 'use' it? • How might I get money and what can I do with it? • How do we pay for things? • What does it mean to have more or less money than you need? • How do I feel about money? • How do my choices affect me, my family, others? • What is a charity? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What different ways are there to earn and spend money? • What do saving, spending and budgeting mean to me? • How can I decide what to spend my money on and choose the best way to pay? • What might my family have to spend money on? • What is 'value for money'? • How do my feelings about money change? • How do my choices affect my family, the community, the world and me? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What different ways are there to gain money? • What sort of things do adults need to pay for? • How can I afford the things I want or need? • How can I make sure I get 'value for money'? • Why don't people get all the money they earn? • How is money used to benefit the community or the wider world? • What is poverty?

Healthy and Safer Lifestyles
Healthy Lifestyles

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What things can I do when I feel good and healthy? • What can't I do when I am feeling ill or not so healthy? • What can I do to help keep my body healthy? MS • Why are food and drink are good for us? MS • How can I make healthier choices about food? MS • What is exercise is and why is it good for us? • Why are rest and sleep good for us? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can I stay as healthy as possible? • What does it feel like to be healthy? • What does healthy eating mean and why is it important? • Why is it important to be active & what are the opportunities for physical activity? • What foods do I like and dislike and why? • What can help us eat healthily? • Why do we need food? • What healthy choices can I make? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does healthy eating and a balanced diet mean? • What is an active lifestyle and how does it help me to be healthier? • What is mental wellbeing and how is it affected by my physical health? • How much sleep do I need & what happens if I don't have enough? • How do nutrition and physical activity work together? • How can I plan and prepare simple, healthy meals safely? • How can I look after my teeth and why is it important? • Who is responsible for my lifestyle choices and how are these choices influenced? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How does physical activity help me & what might be the risks of not engaging in it? • What could characterise a balanced or unbalanced diet and what are the associated benefits and risks? • What are the different aspects of a healthy lifestyle and how could I become healthier? • What are the factors influencing me when I'm making lifestyle choices and how might these change over time? • What might be the signs of physical illness and how might I respond? • What are the benefits and risks of spending time online/on electronic devices, in terms of my physical and mental health? • Why are online apps and games age restricted?

**Healthy and Safer Lifestyles
Sex & Relationships Education**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does my body look like? • How has my body changed as it has grown? • What can my body do? • What differences and similarities are there between our bodies? • How can I look after my body and keep it clean? • How am I learning to take care of myself and what do I still need help with? • Who are the members of my family and trusted people who look after me? • How do I feel about growing up? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are the names of the main parts of the body? • What can my amazing body do? • When am I in charge of my actions and my body? • How can I keep my body clean? HP • How can I avoid spreading common illnesses and diseases? • How do babies change and grow? (Statutory NC Science Y2) • How have I changed since I was a baby? (Statutory NC Science Y2) • What's growing in that bump? (NC Science) • What do babies and children need from their families? • Which stable, caring relationships are at the heart of families I know? • What are my responsibilities now I'm growing up? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How are male and female bodies different and what are the different parts called? • When do we talk about our bodies, how they change, and who do we talk to? BS • What can my body do and how is it special? • Why is it important to keep myself clean? • What can I do for myself to stay clean and how will this change in the future? • How do different illnesses and diseases spread and what can I do to prevent this? • What are the main stages of the human life cycle? Science • How did I begin? Sex Education • What does it mean to be 'grown up'? • What am I responsible for now and how will this change? • How do different caring, stable, adult relationships create a secure environment for children to grow up? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are male and female sexual parts called and what are their functions? • How can I talk about bodies confidently and appropriately? BS • What happens to different bodies at puberty? • What might influence my view of my body? • How can I keep my growing and changing body clean? • How can I reduce the spread of viruses and bacteria? • What are different ways babies are conceived and born? (Sex Education) • What effect might puberty have on people's feelings and emotions? • How can my words or actions affect how others feel, and what are my responsibilities? • What should adults think about before they have children? • Why might people get married or become civil partners? • What are different families like?

**Healthy and Safer Lifestyles
Digital Lifestyles**

Fox Cubs	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are some examples of ways in which I use technology and the internet and what are the benefits? • What is meant by "identity" and how might someone's identity online be different from their identity in the physical world? • What are some examples of online content or contact which might mean I feel unsafe, worried or upset? • What sort of information might I choose to put online and what do I need to consider before I do so? • When might I need to report something and how would I do this? • What sort of rules can help to keep us safer and healthier when using technology? • Who can help me if I have questions or concerns about what I experience online or about others' online behaviour? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How might my use of technology change as I get older, and how can I make healthier and safer decisions? • How does my own and others' online identity affect my decisions about communicating online? • How might people with similar likes & interests get together online? • Can I explain the difference between "liking" and "trusting" someone online? • What does it mean to show respect online, and how could my feelings, and those of others, be affected by online content or contact? • When looking at online content, what is the difference between opinions, beliefs and facts? • Why is it important to ration the time we spend using technology and/or online? • How might the things I see and do online affect how I feel and how healthy I am, and how can I get support when I need it? • Why are social media, some computer games, online gaming and TV/films age restricted and how does peer influence play a part in my decision making? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are some examples of how I use the internet, the services it offers, and how do I make decisions? • What are the principles for my contact and conduct online, including when I am anonymous? • How can I critically consider my online friendships, contacts and sources of information, and make positive contributions? • How might the media shape my ideas about various issues and how can I challenge or reject these? • Can I explain some ways in which information and data is shared and used online? • How can online content impact on me positively or negatively? • What are my responsibilities for my own and others' mental and physical wellbeing online and how can I fulfil these? • What are some ways of reporting concerns and why is it important to persist in asking? • Can I identify, flag and report inappropriate content?

Knowing more and remembering more

Every PSHE lesson begins with retrieval practice to strengthen memory and combat the forgetting curve. This draws on both recent and previous learning to help pupils make connections across themes. Through responsive teaching, staff continuously assess pupils' progress against age-related expectations, offering in-lesson feedback to move learning forward. Targeted support and challenge are provided as needed.

Evidence of work is collected in a whole-class floorbook, including written responses, photographs, and pupil voice. This scrapbook approach allows for meaningful documentation of learning, while also supporting discussion and reflection. At the end of each unit, teachers record summative assessment data, which then informs planning and ensures subsequent units are tailored to pupil needs.

A Global Curriculum

At Foxton, PSHE forms the foundation of global citizenship and sits at the heart of our global curriculum. The values and UN Sustainable Development Goals introduced in Monday assemblies are embedded throughout PSHE lessons, particularly aligning with:

- **Goal 3: Good Health and Wellbeing** – through units on *Healthy Lifestyles*, *Managing Change*, and *My Emotions*, children are equipped with strategies to care for both physical and mental wellbeing.
- **Goal 4: Quality Education** – pupils develop self-awareness, resilience, and emotional literacy, creating strong foundations for lifelong learning.
- **Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities** – through focus areas such as *Diversity and Communities* and *Anti-Bullying*, children learn to value difference, show empathy, and actively promote inclusion.
- **Goal 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions** – units like *Working Together* and *Rights, Rules and Responsibilities* promote democratic participation, fairness, and community engagement.
- **Goal 17: Partnerships for the Goals** – through initiatives like Eco Club and School Council, children develop their sense of agency and responsibility, linking classroom learning to real-world impact.

In essence, our primary PSHE curriculum is a bridge to global citizenship, embodying the principles of the SDGs and empowering students to become informed, compassionate, and proactive contributors to a more harmonious and equitable world.