



Foxyards Primary School  
Curriculum  
EYFS

The Early Years Foundation Stage curriculum is divided into seven areas of learning and development:

- **Personal, Social and Emotional Development** focuses on children learning to work, play and co-operate with others beyond the family. It also covers aspects of Personal, social, Moral and Spiritual Development.
- **Communication and language** focuses on enabling the children to develop their confidence and skills to be able to talk and listen in a range of situations.
- **Physical Development** focuses on developing fine and gross motor skills and positive attitudes towards a healthy lifestyles through PE and Games using a range of large and small equipment.
- **Literacy** focuses on introducing the children to letters and sounds to enable them to being to read and write. The children are also introduced to a range of different stories and books.
- **Mathematics** focuses on practical activities to develop their counting skills and on using and understanding number and other mathematical language.
- **Understanding of the World** focus on providing the children with opportunities to learn about the world around them through History, Science, Geography and Religious topics.
- **Expressive Arts and Design** focuses on developing children's imagination through Art, Music, Dance, stories and Role [lay.

Emphasis is placed on establishing good standards of behaviour, social skills and independence.

The seven areas are taught through topics that are inspired through the children's own interests at the time.