

English

This term our writing focus is on story openings. The children will be practising their writing skills and developing their use of description to set the scene and introduce the characters for their adventure stories.

Our model writing text this term is Beowulf which has been translated by various authors over the years.



Whole Class Reading

During the term the children will be reading with an adult individually, in groups and as a class.

Our whole class reading book this term is an exciting adventure story - Ice Palace by Robert Swindells



RE - Salvation

Our Big Question is: 'Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday?'



In the build up to Easter we will be following Jesus on his journey into Jerusalem, his death on the cross and his resurrection.

PE

Hockey

The children will be learning how to control the ball, pass, shoot, attack and defend.



Gymnastics

The children will be learning a routine and adapting it for themselves.



Art & DT

Exploring Anglo-Saxon and Viking patterns

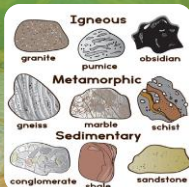


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Anglo-Saxons and Vikings

Science - Rocks

The subject of our lessons this term is rocks and geology. We are looking at the different types of rock, researching jobs that geologists do and using our investigative and observation skills to discover different properties of rocks.



Computing

Computers will be used across the curriculum this term for research, maths learning, Reading Plus activities and other core skills.



Topic

We will be looking at the period of British history from 410 AD, the fall of the Roman Empire, to 1066, when William the Conqueror took the throne. During this period, Britain was invaded by the Angles, Jutes and Saxons and then later by the Vikings - a turbulent time in our history.

Maths

Data

Bar charts, pictograms and tables.

Properties of Shape

We will be reinforcing shape recognition, investigating angles and turns, understanding horizontal, vertical, parallel and perpendicular lines.

Time



Our final unit for the term will look at telling the time, AM/PM, 24-hour clock.