

Class: Class Three

Year Groups: Year 5 and Year 6

Autumn Term 2014
14 weeks
Connected Curriculum Valiant Vikings
<u>Subject Areas</u> <u>History</u> The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor. <u>Geography</u> Understanding geographical similarities and differences of a region in the United Kingdom and a region in a European country. Children will discover types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links. <u>Art and Design</u> Children will practice art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials. <u>Design and Technology</u> Cooking and Nutrition: understand seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed; understand and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet. <u>Music</u> Children will play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. <u>Computing</u> Children will select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information.
<u>English</u> Novel as a theme - The Lost Boy Digitext Children will discuss the setting, characters, plot and will response to the text Cross-curricular writing: Stories from other cultures - Children will be listening to and writing their own Viking saga. Poetry Free Verse - Children will write their own poems linked to the Vikings and healthy eating Children will be following the New National Curriculum Grammar, Punctuation, Composition and Spelling Framework.

Maths

Block A Unit 1 - Counting, partitioning and calculating

Block B Unit 1 - Securing number facts, understanding shape

Block C Unit 1 - Handling data and measures

Block D Unit 1 - Calculating, measuring and understanding shape

Block E Unit 1 - Securing number facts, calculating, identifying relationships

Religious Education

Exploring the lives of significant women in the Old Testament

The Bible - Linked to Bible Alive

How do Christians prepare for Christmas?

Science

Properties and changes of materials

- compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties
- understand the process of dissolving and solidifying
- use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating

Physical Education

Children will play competitive games, modified where appropriate and apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending.

Net/wall games

Invasion games

Swimming and water safety: swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres; use a range of strokes effectively; perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.

MFL

Children will listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding; speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures; read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing

Outdoor Links

Using the school grounds and its produce to design and make/cook healthy food.

Seasonal work: Identify shrubs and trees in the school grounds using identification charts.

Education Visits/Visitors to school

- **Visit to Yorvik Museum, York**
- **Life Education Caravan**