

OUR DRIVERS:

Spiritual, Moral, Diversity & Beliefs

Communities & Environment

Life Skills

Personal, Social & Emotional Well Being

Understanding English, Communication & Languages

To learn to tell the story of Beowulf.  
To rewrite part of Beowulf from Grendel's point of view.

To write poetry inspired by the Vikings.

To write biographies

French using Rising Stars  
Je suis le musicien

Historical, Geographical and Social Understanding

To place the Viking period on a timeline.

To understand the terms 'invade' and 'settle'.

To explore what life was like for the Vikings.

Find out how the Vikings were defeated by Alfred the Great.

To understand who the Anglo Saxons were.

To research the Anglo Saxon way of life.

To find out about Edward the Confessor.

To explore the mystery behind the burial ship at Sutton Hoo.

To name and locate counties and cities in the United Kingdom.

To ask historical questions.

Mathematical Understanding

To use the mastery approach to teach multiplication and division, area, fractions and decimals.

Year 4 Spring Term  
Viking invaders and Saxon settlements



WOW day - Viking Visitor in school

Approx cost - £10 - £15

Outcomes

1. To take part in a class netball tournament.
2. Make Anglo-Saxon snacks to share with year 3.

Scientific and Technological Understanding

E-safety.

To learn to use Logo.

To learn to use Excel.

Big Science investigation

To compare and group materials based on whether they are solids, liquids or gases.

To observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled and to measure or research the temperature at which this happens.

To understand the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle.

Understanding Physical Development, Health & Well-being

Netball - to learn netball skills and how to play as part of a team

Tennis - to learn ball and racquet skills and how to play games

PSHE following the Jigsaw scheme

Puzzle 3: Dreams and Goals

Puzzle 4: Healthy Me

Religious Education

What do the parables of Jesus teach us? How do stories convey messages to me?

Encounter unit - Sikhism

Understanding the Arts

Art

Viking ship collages - exploring the use of different media and materials.

3D Viking faces - using clay focussing on sculpting and key clay techniques.

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Design and make Viking long boats with moving oars focussing on joining methods and moving parts.

Music

To use our voices to perform and to compose additions to songs.