

Year 4- Summer Term

# Invaders



**Music**  
Continue to learn to play the guitar  
Rhythm and notation

## Art and Design-

Create own artefacts to represent the items used by the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings  
Art inspired by the invaders.

## Science -

Living things and their habitats - name, identify, classification, effect of changing environments  
Mini beast investigation and Pond Dipping  
Electricity - electrical appliances, simple circuits, switches, conductors, insulators

**The Anglo-Saxons**  
Where they came from and why they came to Britain  
Timeline of key events during the period up to 1066

Literacy - on-going throughout the term

- Writing Genres/VCOP
- Speaking/Listening
- Guided reading
- Drama
- Grammar/Spelling

## Raiders and Settlers

How the Anglo-Saxons lived and the effect they had on Britain

## The Vikings

Who were they and where did they come from?  
Visit from History expert to re-enact scenes from the past/workshop

Short story writing:  
Write creative stories set in Anglo-Saxon and Viking times and situations.

## History:

Locate the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings on a timeline  
Recognise characteristics that place Anglo-Saxons and Vikings in the past  
Understand the terms 'invade' and 'settle'.  
Learn about the way of life of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings  
Locate the Anglo-Saxons and Viking homelands on a map.



## Vikings

What the Vikings left behind.  
Viking research and presentation as an exhibition.

Non-fiction:  
**Comparison of beliefs and life-styles of early Britons to Anglo-Saxons and Vikings**

Script writing  
Report effectively and convey detailed information coherently for listeners

## National School Sports Week

Activities based around health and fitness  
Sports Day

Letter writing and Diary Entries

## Alfred the Great

A closer look at Alfred and the defence of Wessex from the Vikings

**RE : Christianity** - Forgiveness  
**Judaism** - Beliefs and practices - rites of passage  
**Christianity** - Prayer and worship  
Beliefs of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings

## Computing:

Multimedia - Use the Green Screen to create a short film.  
Data Handling - Plan, create and search a database to answer questions

## PE- Cricket

Striking and fielding  
Net games  
Athletics

**PSHE** - Relationships and Changes

**The end of the rule of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings 1066**

**MFL**- Link to Geography study of a European Country  
Learn the names of fruit and vegetables in French.  
Role play - Buy fruit and veg from a market