

# Traders & Raiders



## Key Areas of Learning

As **Historians** we will be learning about the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings.

As **Geographers** we will be using maps, looking at settlements and Europe—linking in with our history work.

As **Artists/Designers** we will be looking at Anglo-Saxon patterns, jewellery and weapon making, and creating models of Anglo-Saxon homes.

## English

### Reading

We will be looking at the story of the Dragon Slayer in our English lessons.

### Writing

We will be writing stories with a dilemma, then looking at information texts.

### Spelling and Grammar

We will have a weekly spelling lesson and cover aspects of grammar in our English lessons. This will include looking at fronted adverbials and paragraphs this term.

## Mathematics

### Number

We will be working on different ways to add, subtract and multiply mentally. We will also look at written methods to add and subtract. We will also look at telling the time to the nearest minute using analogue and digital clocks.

### Shape and Space

We will be measuring using millimetres, centimetres and metres, converting between the different units.

## Computing

### Stop-motion Animation

We will be using the iPads to produce a stop-motion animation, linking in with our topic work.

## Music

We will not be having any music lessons this term, but our topic after half-term is music-focused—*Playlist*. We will be doing lots of music work in this, as well as the usual weekly singing assemblies.

## British Values

### We will be focusing on The Rule of Law

We encourage children to accept responsibility for their behaviour, essential for wellbeing and safety, and that this involves consequences when rules are broken.

## Physical Education

### Netball and Dance

Indoor PE this term is dance and movement, linking in with our topic work.

Outdoor PE this term is netball.

PE will be on **Mondays** (indoor) and **Wednesdays** (outdoor).

## French

### Playtime

This term in French, Miss B will be covering vocabulary related to playtime. We will be learning to talk about our favourite playground games and where we like to play.

## SMSC

### Spiritual, moral, social and cultural awareness

This will be linked to RE and our school values. We will also explore this through Philosophy for Children (P4C) and the Big Questions.

## Religious Education

### Hinduism

We will be exploring how Hindus express their beliefs through images of deities and symbols. We will also discover key stories about the Hindu deities and what Hindus learn about God from the stories.

## PSHE

### New Beginnings

We will be looking at how to make others feel welcome and valued. We will use a problem-solving process to solve real life problems. We will also predict how we will feel in a new situation and work on ways to manage our feelings.

## Enrichment Wow Day

### Overnight Stay

We will have the opportunity to spend an overnight stay in the school hall. We will take part in activities linked to our topic in the evening. More details of this will follow nearer the time.