

Year 3- Summer term VIKINGS!

Science


In Science this half term we are looking at **light**! There are many objectives we cover in this topic such as recognizing we need light in order to see, understanding how shadows are formed and change and more!

R.E.

We are looking at the question:
'What is the role of a faith leader who has been called by God?'

P.E.

This half term we are looking at the topics:

- Netball 
- Cricket
- Swimming (Wednesday afternoons)

Music

We are continuing with our work learning and using the recorder!

This half term we are looking at **improvisation, creating a piece of music and presenting.**

French

We are turning into an ice cream parlour! The children will learn different flavours of ice cream and also learn how to ask for them in French!

Maths

- Fractions (Adding, subtracting, partitioning, fractions of objects and amounts)
- Money (pounds and pence, converting pounds and pence, adding, subtracting and finding change)
- Time (Reading to 1 minute on an analogue clock, reading a digital clock, durations of time)
- Shape (Angles, measure and draw shapes, lines, 2D and 3D shapes)
 - Statistics (pictograms, bar charts and representing data)

Creative curriculum

History

As we are going 'all out Viking' in other topics, I bet you can guess what our history topic is? That's right – The Vikings! We will be thinking about the question 'Were all Vikings vicious?'. We will be looking at their attack on Lindisfarne, how and why they wanted to come to our country and what changes they made, whether for the better or worse, we will decide!

Geography

In Geography this term, we are looking at Lancashire and Penwortham and how the geographical land around us helps shape the lives of our community!

Art & Design

Sticking with our Vikings theme, we are looking at textiles, in particular a skill the Vikings used to use – weaving and wefting! We will create our own piece of woven artwork using wool, fabric and other material!

Design & Technology

Vikings were famous for their long ships! We are going to be diving into this and looking how we can create our own moving mechanism with linkages, levers and also circuits!

English

In English we will be looking at the story of Arthur and the Golden Rope, re-writing our own version of a Viking adventure with Arthur! After this, we will be looking at Viking themed poems and creating our own.

Sticking with the Viking theme, we will then move onto reading, writing and performing play scripts, as well as writing an explanation text! On top of all of this, we will also be exploring and writing biographies. A very busy term!

PSHE

This half term we are building on from last half term, sticking with the theme of **Health and Wellbeing**. However we are now moving onto keeping active and sleeping well, as well as thinking about 'communities' and what this means.

- Being healthy
- Eating well
- Dental care



MY HAPPY MIND – ENGAGE

Computing

In computing this term we are looking at creating media and publishing! We will look at layout, text and images to create our own magazine front cover! As well as this, we are looking back at Programming with Scratch, building up our skills and knowledge to create a game!

