

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>English</b></p> <p>To begin the term, the pupils are developing their knowledge of non-fiction writing through looking at great examples of a balanced discussion and then having a go at writing their own to debate whether Beowulf should fight Grendel. Pupils will be introduced to cohesive devices to link their ideas across paragraphs as well as other typical features. Later in the term, pupils will be working on narratives that advance action through the use of speech.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Maths</b></p> <p>This term, the pupils will be extending their knowledge of addition and subtraction by applying these skills to solve problems. Pupils will then complete a statistics block, learning to read and interpret line graphs and timetables, as well as solve problems. Finally, pupils will also be introduced to multiplication vocabulary and facts such as factors, multiplies, square and cube numbers.</p>	<p><b><u>Autumn Term 2</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Class – 5</u></b></p> <p><b>Invaders</b></p> <p><b>Class Book:</b></p>  <p><b>Beowulf Dragon Slayer</b> (Rosemary Sutcliff)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Topic</b></p> <p>Our topic this term is <i>Invaders</i>. Pupils will be learning about why the Anglo-Saxons invaded Britain, what their lives were like as well as their struggle against the Vikings. During this topic, pupils will get the opportunity to investigate using various sources and draw their own conclusions from the evidence that has been found in known settlements from around the UK. There will also be the opportunity to learn about how their houses were built and how the Anglo-Saxons have influenced our language today, particularly for name places.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Science</b></p> <p>Pupils will be continuing to explore the properties of materials. Pupils will be developing their investigative skills through planning their own experiment and writing it up in order to draw conclusions.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Art and D&amp;T</b></p> <p>In D&amp;T this term, pupils will be researching Anglo-Saxon clothing and accessories as well as weapons. Pupils will design and make a brooch from clay, make a dagger with intricate designs on in the style of the period. Finally, finishing by making runes from Mod-Roc and a drawstring bag to keep them in.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Music</b></p> <p>Music this term, is learning to use their voices, through learning the Christmas production songs. Pupils will apply their knowledge of pitch and dynamics that they learnt last term with instruments to their voices.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Computing</b></p> <p>This term, pupils will be focussing on features of a spreadsheets. Pupils will be able to use cell formatting and basic fomulas. This will also support their statistics work in mathematics.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>The pupils will be focusing on the two topics this term <i>Feeling Safe</i> and <i>Relationships</i>. In the first topic, pupils will be exploring what a bully looks life which fits in well with national Anti-Bullying Week. After this, in <i>Relationships</i> pupils will be exploring what makes a good friend.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>French</b></p> <p>Pupils will be continuing to build upon their learning so far by learning to talk about pets, hobbies and the weather.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PE</b></p> <p>This term pupils will be developing their basketball skills such as passes, dribbling, shooting and attacking and defending.</p>