

## Y5 Curriculum Summary: Autumn Term 2023

### ENGLISH

Children will be using 'The Journey' by Aaron Becker as their stimulus to write setting descriptions, narratives and their own action sequel.

In grammar, we will focus on word class and learning about using different types of clauses as well writing complex sentences.

### SCIENCE

#### **Properties and changes of materials:**

Children will learn about different materials, their uses and their properties as well as dissolving, separating mixtures and irreversible changes. They will sort and classify objects according to their properties.

### MATHEMATICS

Children will develop their skills, knowledge and understanding in the following areas: place value of whole and decimal numbers, fractions and problem-solving, Children will be applying these skills to solve real life mathematical problems.

### PSHE

**Health and wellbeing:** Children will explore what makes a person's identity and how to recognise and respect similarities and differences between people.

### HISTORY

Children will learn about the culture, lifestyle, beliefs and legacies of the Anglo Saxons and Vikings.

### YEAR FIVE

#### AUTUMN TERM:

RAIDERS OR TRADERS?

### DT

Children will be using clay and modelling techniques to recreate an Anglo Saxon village and a wooden Viking shield.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Creation:** Children will compare the stories of Creation and explore what it means to live in God's way.

**Prayer, Saints and Feasts:** Children will investigate pilgrimage as a journey of prayer. Advent: Children will deepen their understanding about the coming of Jesus and how we prepare through the O Antiphons and the words of John the Baptist and Isaiah.

### COMPUTING

Children will learn all about sharing information online.

### PE

We will be beginning swimming and learning essential skills to keep safe in water.

#### **Suggestions of ways in which you can help your child at home to reinforce their learning:**

- Learn all times tables up to 12 x 12
- Encourage children to complete their homework
- Listen to children read at home every evening and ask questions relating to the text.

### MUSIC

Children will listen, appraise and evaluate Rock music. Children will also compose and perform to 'Living on a Prayer'.