

Creative:

- learn about the cultural significance of storytelling, poetry, music and jewellery to the Anglo-Saxons.
- make an Anglo Saxon inspired brooch or necklace pendant using air-drying clay.
- create their own Anglo Saxon settlement models using a range of materials.
- design and create their very own miniature Viking Longboat.

Humanities

- Learn about the invasion of the Scots and Anglo-Saxons in the 5th century and investigate how life in Britain changed as a result including the English language.
- examine and analyse artefacts from the period
- Learn what life was like in a typical Anglo-Saxon village, what jobs people did and what the houses and clothes were like.
- Learn who the Vikings were as well as when and where they raided and settled.
- Learn about significant events and Anglo-Saxon kings who ruled during the 'Viking Age'
- Learn about different aspects of everyday Viking life. They will explore the types of houses they lived in, what clothes they wore and even what types of food they ate.

PSHE

- Consider people in our community who help to keep us safe. How exactly do they help us?
- Discuss strangers and how we can keep ourselves safe.

Science- Plants

- Learn about different parts of flowering plants and the job they do.
- Explore the requirements of plants for life and growth, and how they vary from plant to plant.
- investigate the way in which water is transported within plants
- Explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal.

Anglo Saxons and Vikings

Skylark Class Curriculum Information

Summer Term 2023



RE

- Learn about belonging in communities and religions.
- How do symbols represent belonging?
- To consider how we feel in a range of groups.

Outdoor Learning

- Use the outside environment to explore and identify wild plants
- Create an Anglo Saxon settlement
- Pond dipping
- Complete a range of Forest School activities to encourage cooperation, problems solving skills and an appreciation of the natural world.

Literacy

- The children will enjoy reading, making predictions and comparing picture books about Ralfy Rabbit by Emily Mackenzie. The children will use Charlie Cooks Favourite Book as inspiration to write their own stories about well-known characters and explore how adjectives can be turned into adverbs and how conjunctions can be used.
- Write their own Kennings to perform
- Spelling, punctuation & grammar.
- Read Write Inc - practise and develop phonic knowledge, reading skills and writing skills through a variety of texts.

ICT

- To develop awareness and use of keyboard layout and use navigation skills appropriately (e.g. backspace, enter, spacebar, mouse).
- To create, edit and format text (insert/delete words, use bold/italics/underline).

PE

- Tennis-practise ball skills including catching, throwing and hitting.

Music

- Sing and appraise songs about friendship.
- To find the pulse in a range of songs and clap rhythms to names, colours and phrases.
- To perform songs and listen to others performing.