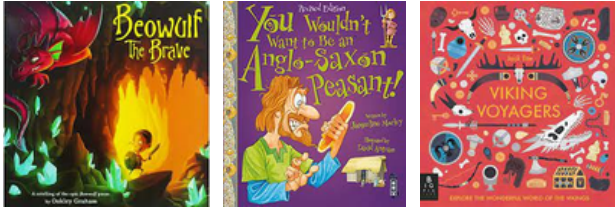


YEAR 4

Spring 1: Invaders & Settlers



HISTORY

Children will understand what life was like in Britain during the age of the Anglo-Saxons. They will learn that Britain was invaded many times over centuries and that the Viking invasions were one of these. These occupations brought about advancements as well as tensions. Children will understand that Britain has not always been united but was made up of different kingdoms and countries during this period.

ART: PRINTING

Children develop their printing skills to add detail and decoration to sculptures. They learn how to create a block print and take their inspiration from natural or built environments.

ENGLISH

Narrative (extended): historical fiction (e.g. Spring 1 - Beowulf)

Fiction (short): Fantasy (Spring 2)

Non-fiction: Non-chronological report (e.g. Great Monuments), newspaper report (e.g. Vikings)

Poetry - Kennings

MATHS

Multiplication & Division - multiplication and division facts for the 11 and 12 times tables, multiply and divide a 3-digit number by a 1-digit number and find factor pairs.

Measure area - measure and compare area by counting squares.

Fractions - add and subtract fractions including from whole amounts, recognise equivalent fractions, find fractions of objects or quantities and count in fractions.

Decimals - recognise tenths and hundredths as decimals on a place value grid and divide 1-digit and 2-digit numbers by 100.

SCIENCE

Living things & their habitats
Sound

P.E

Football
Swimming

MUSIC

Live specialist lessons - ukulele: chord of A minor, chord of F, chord of G, Italian terms

Exploring pulse, rhythm, pitch, duration and phrasing.

COMPUTING

We are musicians

We are bloggers

PSHE/RSE

Different families, same love

- Challenging stereotypes
- Understanding family differences
- Understanding feelings of loss and separation

Living & growing

- Growing and changing
- Understanding changes that take place during puberty
- E-safety: being share aware

R.E

How and why do Hindus worship in the Mandir?

Why is Easter important to Christians?

M.F.L

Spanish:

- Family members
- Ask and answer questions about family members
- Pets
- Revision of autumn & spring learning

Spring 2: Magnificent Monuments



GEOGRAPHY

Children will learn about the geographical regions and counties in the UK, including their key features and the locations of important monuments. Children will then study the Great Zimbabwe civilization and compare it to Britain during the same time. Thus, children will understand that civilisations have occurred at different times around the world. They will learn about land use and why settlements grow in particular locations.

D&T: STRUCTURES

Children design and make a free-standing structure using a range of materials and different reinforcement techniques. They utilize their knowledge of monuments to design a structure that considers the existing natural or physical features of a place.