

## English

### Term 1: Writing to Entertain *Viking Boy*

- Character descriptions based on text
- Setting descriptions – land of fire & ice
- Sequence existing story, plan and write own version
- Poetry based on Viking Boy & Yggdrasil (Norse mythology)

### Term 2: Writing to Persuade

- 'The Vikings were nothing more than brutal savages' – a report to persuade the reader either way
- Write a letter to persuade fellow Vikings to join you in Britain
- Persuasive brochure to persuade tourists to visit the historical island of Lindisfarne
- Trade vs plunder: Viking raids on monasteries – persuade Vikings not to raid from a monk's perspective

## Maths

### Geometry

- Identify and describe 3D shapes
- Angles: estimate, measure, draw and name
- Angles in triangles and quadrilaterals
- Coordinates using four quadrants
- Reflection/translation

### Measurement and Time

- Perimeter, area and volume
- Converting between units
- Time
- Metric/imperial units: understand basic equivalences

### Statistics

- Interpret and construct pie charts, line graphs, frequency tables and line graphs
- Find the mean, median and mode of data

## Science

### Animals, including Humans - Circulatory System

- Heart – pictures, models, dissection?? To identify main parts
- Blood vessels – name, describe and make models
- Blood – describe the function of the blood and its components
- Investigate the impact of diet, exercise and drugs on the way bodies function (**PSHE link**)
- Describe changes as humans develop

### Enquiry

Comparative fair testing, observing changes over time, research using secondary sources

## Computing

### Online Safety

Cyberbullying  
Secure websites  
People online  
Girls and boys online

### Computer Software

Spreadsheets:  
number operations, ordering and presenting, adding, editing and calculating, planning a party

### Word:

Design an invite, adding pictures, colours, shapes

## Year 5/6 Cycle A Summer Term Vikings



### MFL: German

Hobbies  
Likes and dislikes  
Understanding others talking about last / next weekend  
Talk about events in the past and future  
Countries  
Travel and holidays

### PE

Athletics  
Gymnastics  
Badminton  
Rounders/Baseball

### PSHE

#### Keeping Safe

Think before you click  
To share or not to share?  
Drugs and the law  
Alcohol

Joe's story – case study

#### Being My Best

What's the risk?  
First aid and sepsis awareness  
Five ways to wellbeing

### RE

#### Investigating Religions, Near & Far

Diversity of religions in local area  
Hinduism in Nottingham and UK  
Hindu beliefs – sacred scriptures, cycle of life and Moksha  
Sikhism in Nottingham and UK  
Religions in UK and World/ Non-violence  
**Expressing Faith through the Arts**  
Music, dance and drama as ways of expressing faith  
Music in the Bible  
Expressing faith through the arts in Hinduism, Islam and Christianity

## Geography

- Locate countries in Europe (Scandinavia)
- Where did the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings invade and settle?
- Understand the change in physical aspects over time
- Physical and human features associate with Viking raids
- Human Geography – land use and trade in Scandinavia
- Project – compare UK and other country in Europe relating to climate, population, trade, features

## History

- Anglo-Saxon life and culture
- The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England up to the time of Edward the Confessor
- Anglo-Saxon laws and justice
- Viking raids and invasion and danegeld (tax)
- Resistance by Alfred the Great and Athelstan, the first King of England
- Edward the Confessor and his death 1066
- What was it like to be a Viking?
- Viking mythology
- Industry, commerce and trading
- A local history study: Lincoln

## Art

### Bodies

Drawing outlines – Julian Opie  
Drawing shapes with charcoal – Henry Moore  
Drawing bodies in pen  
Making body maquettes and figures in clay – Giacometti  
Making paper clothes

### DT

#### Viking Long ships

Investigate ways of joining wood and practise  
Small models using card  
Design, make and evaluate (test joins in water)

## Music

### Woodwind

Quaver notes and articulation  
Notes C and F  
Slurring playing E, D and C  
Notes Bb  
Dotted notes and high D  
Learning C, D and E  
**Dood and J Sax**  
Dotted quarter notes  
Staccato notes  
Playing first and second time endings  
Developing technique