

English

We will start the term by reading some historical books by Terry Deary and in turn write our own gruesome stories. We will then look the Anglo-Saxon invention of kennings and try to create our own. Muntjac will also focus on writing some chronological reports on how to show courage like the Anglo-Saxons. Finally, the children will be writing some recounts.

PSHE

The children will receive a weekly lesson by Mrs Turner on 'My Friends and Family' and 'Looking Forward'. We will explore what our own responsibilities are and look at different family structures.

RE

We are looking at two major questions this term in R.E but one is withing Christianity and one within Buddhism. Firstly, we will ask if it is possible for everyone to be happy and then in the run up to Easter we will consider why Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'.

Science

This term's topics are Light and Animals. We will look at the absence of light and the use of mirrors. We will also investigate which surfaces reflect light best. Our animals work will look at which nutrients are most needed and they will sort animals based on their skeletons. They will also identify bones and compare different skeletons.

Who were the Anglo-Saxons?

Muntjac Class

Topic

We are covering our very exciting Anglo-Saxons topic this term and we will begin with some fun looking at and creating a clay amulet. However, our main focus is on Courage and thinking about when and how the Anglo-Saxons displayed it which means we will also look at such matters as the invasions, the settlers and their religious system.

Physical Activity

The children will need their P.E kit for lessons on Tuesdays and Fridays where we will learn the key skills in handball, tennis and gymnastics.

Maths

The children will begin with work on division and will move onto learning their final formal method of calculation – bus-stop. We will be learning about the properties of shapes, counting money and measuring perimeter. Also, we will focus on addition and subtraction in a more revision-style topic to end the term.

Music

On Mondays, taught by Mrs Turner, the children will be exploring pitch, rhythm and dynamics as we focus on playing the glockenspiel once more.

Computing

We will look at coding through the medium of Scratch to create an Anglo-Saxon game.

MFL

The children will continue to receive a French lesson each week on Mondays from Madam Sophie to develop their French.

