

English: Reading into Writing

- ◇ The Lost Thing: We will be using visual literacy to support us in retelling a narrative, and creating our own mysterious lost thing.
- ◇ Unspoken: We will be exploring slavery in America through a picture book, which explores

Through these books, we will be continue to develop our confidence in using relative clauses, modal verbs/ adverbs
Class Reader - The Viking Boy by Tony Hardman

Maths

- ◇ Multiplication and Division: using formal written method for multiplication and division; using these to solve single and multi-step problems; mental strategies
- ◇ Fractions: Equivalent fractions; improper fractions; mixed numbers; compare and order fractions; adding/subtracting/multiplying fractions

We will be using a range of manipulatives to deepen our understanding of these key concepts, which will further support us in solving mastery problems

Science

Properties and Changes of Materials

We will be completing lots of investigations within this topic, so we are able to complete classifications, explore which materials will dissolve and different solutions, which will react differently to different materials



Year 5

Spring 1st Half

PE

- ◇ We will also be doing tag-rugby where we will develop our skills from Invasion Games and previous units in passing, tackling and scoring.

Music

The children are looking at musical motifs and how music can tell stories through Richard Wagner's Ride of the Valkyries.

French

This half term is all about the weather! The children will learn phrases to describe the weather and listen to a weather forecast in French. They will then work in small groups to prepare and perform their own weather forecast.

Computing

We will be using a new teaching computing programme, looking at computer systems and networks- systems and searches.

History & Geography

Anglo-Saxons and Viking Invaders

We will be looking at how, when, where and why the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings invaded Great Britain. We will also learn about their beliefs, crime and punishment, what long-term effects they have had and the Kings that were in charge.

PSHE

Keeping Myself Safe: We are exploring aspects of keeping ourselves safe, risk and hazards and making sensible choices.

RE

We will be looking at the Hindu Beliefs in Hinduism

Art/ D&T

Our focus for the term is sewing. We will be designing and making our own tote bag out of recycled clothing.