

As mathematicians we will be...

We will be completing a unit of work on fractions from last half term. We will be adding and subtracting fractions and using fractions for problem solving.

We will then visit a topic on decimals! Children will be taught to recognise tenths and hundredths, tenths as decimals, tenths on a place value grid and tenths on a number line. Followed by divide 1-digit by 10, divide 2-digits by 10 Hundredths, hundredths as decimals, hundredths on a place value grid and divide 1 or 2-digits by 100.

Please continue to practise times tables at home! We will continue to prepare for the test in June!



As writers and communicators we will be... finishing our new class book 'The Boy Who Biked the World' by Alastair Humphreys.

After that we will be studying 'Arthur and the Golden Rope' by Joe Todd Stanton. We will be taken into the world of Professor Brownstone and his collection of treasures and relics from the ancient world. We will be taken back to Viking times and discover swords brandished by ancient warriors! We will use this text as a writing stimulus – developing our planning structures and our editing skills.

In addition, we will be working on grammar, punctuation and spelling rules. What a busy time!

As historians we will be... learning about the Vikings. We will understand who the Vikings were and where they came from. We will learn how and why they invaded and begin to understand what life was like as a Viking. We will relate our work on Vikings to our class text, Arthur and the Golden Rope.



As musicians we will be... continuing our ukulele We will consolidate our chord patterns using, C, F, G7 and A minor chords and extend our repertoire using these. We will be practising strumming patterns.... exploring how to create different patterns using up and down strums, whilst still fitting into the pulse of the music. We will be exploring dynamics - strumming loud and quiet and tempo of fast and slow songs. We will be creating melodies using single finger notes and reading music.

As health and well-being experts we will be... continuing to promote physical and mental health with a focus on ball control in PE lessons. We will practise our skills through a range of fun games such as curling and cricket! We will exercise through the Daily Mile and active learning lessons. PSHE remains a huge focus for us this half term. We will be exploring the wider world with a focus on environment.

BE KIND

BE HAPPY

BE SAFE

As artists and design technologists we will be... we will design and create a Viking shield which will then be displayed on our class Viking ship! Later in the term we will start our DT topic on creating our own Viking Long Boat! Exciting times!