



Monkton CofE Primary School

Term 2

Topic - Vikings

Compassion, Courage, Justice - Jesus said, 'Go and do the same.'

Subjects	What the children will be learning
Reading	How To Train your Dragon, Norse Folk Tales, myths, legends- Anika Hussain
Writing	Playscripts/ Advertisements/ Letters/ Posters
Maths	Addition and Subtraction/ Multiplication and Division/ Measuring area
Religious Education	Sikhi- "What is important for Sikh people" and "How do religious and non-religious communities celebrate key festivals?"
Science	Data Collection/ States of Matter- the water cycle
Geography	Four and six figure grid references, Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn
History	The Viking Invasion/ Everyday lives of Vikings/ King Athelstan/ The Norman invasion.
Computing	Creating Media- Audio production
Art and Design	Warp and Weft- Textiles through time.
Design and Technology	Fresh Food, Good Food- Prepare, package and evaluate a healthy snack.
Physical Education	Gymnastics and Fitness
Relationships and Health Education	HeartSmart- Don't Forget To Let Love In
Home Learning	Daily Reading Log/ Times Table rockstars/ ATOM learning

Key Vocabulary

English	Maths	Themed Words
Playscript/Narrator/ Dialogue/Monologue/ Direction Myth/ Legend/ Folk Tale Persuasive writing/ Advertisement Persuasive language/ Rhetorical questions Imperative verbs/ Fronted adverbials Prepositions/ Conjunctions Subordinate Clauses Exclamation mark/ Question mark Comma Letter writing Address/ Date/ Paragraph Emotive language/ conclusion Signature	Addition/ Subtraction Exchange/ Column/ Thousands/ Hundreds/ Tens/ Ones 4 digit numbers Sum/ Difference Multiplication/ Division Multiple, Group, Repeated addition Array/ Product/ Square number/ Factor/ Divide/ Share/ Equal Times Tables/ Double Measurement Area/ Square/ Quadrilateral Perimeter/ Total Internal/ Complete	Viking/ Norsemen Invasion/ Raid/ longship Lindisfarne/ Monastery Monks/ precious/ Capture/ enslave Surrender/ Retaliate Civilisations/ Characteristics King Athelstan/ leader Biography/ Alfred the Great King of all England Normans Edward the Confessor Throne/ Claimants Battle of Stamford Bridge Harold Godwinson, Harald Hardrada, William, Duke of Normandy 1066/ Battle of Hastings

An Inspirational and Ambitious Curriculum – Trips and Experiences

To enrich our science learning this term, we will be visiting Brockhill Country Park to undertake some hands-on investigations. This will help inform our long term investigation about habitats and our term's focus on changes in states of matter and the water cycle.

Our trip will be in week 2 of the term on 13th November.

To launch our new Spanish curriculum, Class 3 and 4 will be celebrating 'Spanish day' - Date TBC

Forest School days for Class 3 this term will be:
15th November and 6th December

Key Dates for Term 1 and 2

Monday 4th November – First day of Term 2

Tuesday 12th November – Year 6 Cathedral Day

Wednesday 13th November- Years 3 and 4 trip to Brockhill Country Park

Friday 22nd November- PTA Winter Disco

Tuesday 26th November – Years 5 and 6 WW2 Day @ Kent Life

Friday 29th November – Movember Day!

Friday 6th December- PTA Christmas Fair

Thursday 12th December – Christmas Jumper Day/Parent Book Look (2:30pm)

Friday 13th December – EYFS Nativity

Monday 16th December – School Christingle Service at the church (family service) 6pm

Wednesday 18th- Christmas lunch

Thursday 19th December – Monkton's Got Talent Christmas Show

Thursday 19th December – Last day of Term 2

Monday 6th January – First day of Term 3