

## English

Our children will enjoy creating an adventure story based on our class story, 'A Dragon Quest'. They will be learning how to excite and entertain a reader.

## Science

Our focus this half term will be on animals including humans. Within this, the children will be discussing what teeth humans have and what they do, as well as understanding the process of digestion.

## Welcome Back!

We hope that you had an amazing and restful break and that your children are coming back ready to shine this half term!

## History

Our focus will be on the Vikings. Children will be learning about how the Vikings lived and understanding how we find out about time and events from the past.

## Maths

We will continue with a focus on learning & using our times table knowledge. We will then be applying this knowledge to using factor pairs and multiplying & dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.

## Art

We will be looking at Kente tribal patterns and designs, print making and using textiles to create our own designs.

**PE**

The children in Year 4 will be learning some basic gymnastics skills as well as some classes going swimming. They will practise a range of skills in gymnastics including jumping, rolling and travelling.

**Music**

The children will be following musical notations, practising this on glockenspiels. They will be learning to read music and play along in time to a piece of Mozart music.

**PSHE**

This half term we are beginning to learn about having hopes and dreams. We have some exciting themed weeks planned which your children will enjoy including Children’s Mental Health Week.

**Geography**

Your children will continue to learn about latitude and longitude. They will also explore locations, time zones and day and night, helping them to understand our world.

**RE**

We will be learning about Buddhism this term. The children will look at the teachings of Buddha and how this may help solve problems in the world. Also, they will look at Buddha’s stories.

**Dates to remember...**

W/C 20.01.25 Into University workshops  
 W/C 27.01.25 National story telling week  
 W/C 03.02.25 Children’s mental health week  
 11.02.25 Safer internet day  
 Every Thursday – times table bingo stay and learn