



## Has a Dragon Ever Touched our Shores?

Wayfield School

*Proud to achieve!*

Curriculum Map

Year 3 Term 1 2018



### Literacy & Languages

*At school we will :*

- Write a set of instructions on how to catch a dragon.
- Write a story involving helping a dragon get home.
- Practising our spellings.
- Reading a range of texts – fiction, non-fiction, song lyrics and poetry.
- Following instructions.

*At home you can help by:*

- Practising spellings.
- Reading a variety of genres (fiction/non-fiction.)
- Follow a recipe.
- Look at books with instructions – recipe books and discuss how it is organised.

### Humanities

*At school we will :*

- Look at the Gods the Vikings worshipped and compare with some of the religions today.
- Look at and label European maps.
- Study the Viking invasions on a map and label where they settled and invaded.
- Discuss who the Vikings were and where they came from.

*At home you can help by:*

- Discussing different religions in the world.
- Talking to your children about Vikings – research with them.

### Stimulus

Bake Viking bread.

### Maths

*At school we will :*

- Look at place value of digits.
- Addition and subtraction.
- Multiplication facts through exciting apps such as times table rock stars.

*At home you can help by:*

- Practising multiplication and division facts up to 12 x 12 – this can be done through the use of apps on the iPad, the internet (hit the button and times table rockstars are available online if you don't have an iPad.)

### Healthy Living

*At school we will :*

- Have PE every day, where they will learn new skills and be active.
- Identify similarities and comparisons between Viking foods and food of today.
- Bake some Viking food and discuss its nutritional content.

*At home you can help by:*

- Discussing healthy foods and their nutritional content
- Explain the importance of food and water and what living things need to grow.

### Showcase

Parents come in and look at the work the children have created – date TBC.

### Science & Technology

*At school we will :*

- Investigate plants and what it is they need to grow.
- Explain the plant life cycle in a variety of ways.
- Identify and explain the functions of a plant.
- Using 'Kodable' to support computer science skills (algorithms, sequencing.)

*At home you can help by:*

- Growing a plant/vegetable/fruit in the garden and discussing what it needs to grow – a pumpkin might be a good one for this time of year!

### The Arts

*At school we will :*

- Designing and making a Viking Longboat.
  - Sketching ideas and developing these sketches.
  - Use drama to explore the life cycle of a plant/flower.
  - Learn to play a new instrument (Drums.)
- At home you can help by:*
- Encouraging children to make sketches and develop these.
  - Listen to music that uses drums – YouTube will be good for this.

### Wayfield WOW moment

Trip to Kent Life for a Real Viking Experience.