

# 1066 Autumn Term

## Reading

Over terms 1 and 2, we will be reading a range of books:

- Varjak Paw by SF Said
- I was there... by Jim Eldridge
- Tell me a dragon by Jackie Morris

We're travelling back to 1066! We'll research the events of 1066 using books and online information. What was the Battle of Hastings, and how did it change our country? We will also discover what life was like for Norman people.

## Maths

- Number: Place Value
- Number: Addition and Subtraction
- Number: Multiplication and Division
- Measurement: Length and Perimeter

## English

During the Autumn term, we will cover a range of grammar elements that will feature in a variety of text types:

- Newspaper report
- Setting description
- Eyewitness account
- Dialogue between two characters
- Comic strip
- Narrative
- Letter
- Diary entry
- Free verse poem
- Character description
- Non-chronological report

## Art and Design

- Look in detail at sections from the Bayeux Tapestry. The children will sketch sections.
- We will practice our running, back, blanket and cross stitch to recreate an aspect from the Bayeux Tapestry
- In DT we will design and build a castle with strong defences, amenities for a comfortable castle life and a working drawbridge.

## Computing

The children will show an understanding of working safely online, investigate effective search terms, to research and check reliability of sources. Children will create a poster selling their chosen Norman Castle from around England.

## PSHE

- What is special about me?
- My thoughts and feelings
- What affects our energy levels and the way we feel?

## French

- Speaking, Listening and reading greetings.
- Numbers and age.

## Geography

- Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom
- Locate Africa and Australia including its main countries
- Identify the position & significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn

## P.E.

- Competition skills with Vinny
- Basketball
- Dodgeball
- Boccia

## Science

We will be learning all about States of matter. Investigating gases, talking about heating and cooling. Understanding the water cycle and exploring evaporation.