



Steeton Primary School

UKS2



Summer 1 Newsletter 2022

The Vikings



Our topic for this half term will be “The Vikings”. Children develop their knowledge of the Viking invasion and settlement in Britain in their Learning for Life lessons. They will learn about the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor. In addition to this they will also learn and do individual and group projects about the village life of Viking people, their way of life, their religion, their clothing and jewellery.

Magic Monday

Pupils will be taught to further develop their techniques they have learnt over the past year. Including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.

They will be using their sketch books to draw and paint Viking long boats and then go on to design their own collage using different materials like the example here.



English / Reading

When we watch a film, it is easy to feel the emotions of the characters—this is portrayed through what our eyes can see, the music and the way the characters act.

In writing this half term, we are learning to put suspense and panic into our writing. We will look at setting descriptions as well as using precise vocabulary to capture the way characters are feeling.

Ash class are reading *The Haunting of Aveline Jones*

Holly class are reading *The Worst Class in The World*

Silver Birch class are reading *Planet Omar*

Science

Electricity



Pupils will be taught to:

- associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit
- compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches
- use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram

Pupil Offer / Dates for Your Diary

09.05.22 - 12.05.22 Year 6 SATS Week (Breakfast provided from 8am)

23.05.22
Road Safety Visitor in School

27.05.22
Jubilee Party. Children can come in their party clothes.

Other Information

Magic Monday clothes on the following dates: 16.05.22 and 23.05.22

Please see the PE timetable below for the dates **children should come to school in their PE kits.**



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PE Rota Year 5/6 Summer Term

	PE LESSON	Music	PSHCE
Wednesday 27 th April 2022	Silver Birch	Holly	Ash
Wednesday 4 th May 2022	Ash	Silver Birch	Holly
Wednesday 11 th May 2022	Holly	Ash	Silver Birch
Wednesday 18 th May 2022	Silver Birch	Holly	Ash
Wednesday 25 th May 2022	Ash	Silver Birch	Holly
Half Term	Half Term	Half Term	Half Term
Wednesday 15 th June 2022	Silver Birch	Holly	Ash
Wednesday 22 nd June 2022	Ash	Silver Birch	Holly
Wednesday 29 th June 2022	Holly	Ash	Silver Birch
Wednesday 6 th July 2022	Silver Birch	Holly	Ash
Wednesday 13 th Ju- ly 2022	Ash	Silver Birch	Holly
Wednesday 20 th Ju- ly 2022	(Year 6s on Residential) Sports Day for Rest of School		

(Another Year 6 Sports Day will be held on Tuesday 12th July)