

Year group: 5

Time Allocation: 6 weeks

Date: Autumn 1 2019

Teacher: R.Carter

Stanstead Nursery
and Primary School

Theme Title

Anglo—Saxons

Literacy/Communication:

Our English will be linked to our history topic about the Anglo-Saxons. We will be using the text Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo to support our writing. In this unit we will have a variety of different writing opportunities which will include legends, letters, character descriptions, dialogue and settings which will help us to showcase all of the different language and grammar skills we have learned. We will also be focusing on developing our reading and comprehension skills whilst trying to develop and broaden our vocabulary.

Numeracy: In Maths, we will be completing a unit on place value. We will be looking at the value of each digit in a number and will be looking at numbers within 100,000. We will also be developing our skills at rounding to the nearest, 10, 100 and 1000. In addition, we will be using our knowledge of all areas of maths to solve a range of problems.

Science: In Science we will be looking at Living Things and their Habitats. We will be learning about how plants and animals reproduce. We will also be learning about the different life cycles of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds.

Computing: In computing we will be learning about search engines. We will be looking at how search results are selected and ranked.

History: In history we will be learning about the Anglo-Saxons. We will learn where the Anglo-Saxons came from and why they chose to settle in Britain. We will be looking at what life was like in Anglo-Saxon Britain and how the country was divided between the different Anglo-Saxon rulers.

Art and design: In Art and design we will be looking at how to create texture in drawing and painting. We will look at a range of different techniques used in Art including hatching, cross hatching and stippling. We will also be looking at botanical drawings connected with our Science topic.

PSHE: In Year 5 we will be looking at what makes a lifestyle healthy and discussing people who we think make good role models. We will be learning about how we can take care of our bodies and minds by making positive choices.

R.E: In R.E we will be learning about what a pilgrimage is. We will be comparing different religions to look at the different pilgrimages that people take part in.

PE: In PE we will be taking part in competitive games and dance. In our games lessons we will be looking at how we can work as a team and develop our skills to play a game strategically. In dance we will be learning about how to create our own compositions in a creative way. We will look at what skills are needed to perform our dances and discuss how to improve them.

Class Book
The Midnight Fox
by
Betsy Byars

