# Year 2/3/4 Curriculum Newsletter

# Autumn term 2 – 2023

Dear Parents, Carers,

#### Maths:

All the children will be working hard on addition and subtraction, moving onto multiplication. Year 4 will consolidate their knowledge of Roman Numerals. Year 3 will be looking at their 3 times tables and year 2 will be exploring halving and doubling.

#### Science:

During our learning in science this term, the children will be learning about light and how we see. We will be exploring shadows, reflections and the eye.

#### PE and Games:

This term the children will be developing their fitness, skills and stamina through a range of athletic activities and games. They will be encouraged to evaluate improvements and work as a team.

#### French:

During the term, the children will be learning about the family tree, pets and around town. Expanding upon previously taught knowledge and beginning to create conversations with vocabulary and grammar prompts

If you have any questions, please do drop in and ask!

Kind regards, Mrs Riding.

#### Theme:

This term, learning will be focused around two main projects. The children will be the Anglo Saxons and Vikings, looking at why they invaded and how they lived. We will hopefully be going on a school trip to Dover museum, where amongst other things, we will be doing some pottery.



### English, Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar:

The children continue to secure their application of spelling. This is done through direct teaching and the introduction of the practice books which come home with them.

This term the children will be learning about whether to use a or an, prefixes and suffixes. We will also be continuing to practice commas, capital letters and full stops.

In English the children will be writing a recount of their trip to the museum and an adventure story based on their Viking knowledge.

#### Woodland:

The children will continue to develop a range of skills during their weekly woodland session. This term is focusing on orienteering, compass and map skills.

## RE:

Our big question this term is: Was Jesus the Messiah? The children will develop and explore – through a combination of activities and discussion - their own views, insights and ideas.