



14th January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please see below details of all the topics we are covering this term and the exciting plans for each subject.

All children will continue to go swimming on Tuesday mornings and it is essential that children always bring necessary kit. P.E will be on Wednesdays. It is vital that all children have the correct P.E kit to enable them to take part in every lesson. PE kit should consist of a white T-Shirt, navy or black shorts and navy or black jogging bottoms and jumpers for outdoor PE lessons. This also includes suitable footwear such as pumps or trainers, as when possible, P.E will take place outside. Please ensure your child's clothing is labelled. Long hair needs to be tied back and earrings need to be removed/ covered with plasters during PE lessons.

Below is a brief outline of the topics we will be covering this term:

	Spr1 - 7 weeks	Spr2 - 6 weeks
Geography/ History Driver	Were the Anglo-Saxons super or scary?	
Science Driver	How different will you be when you are as old as your grandparents?	Do all plants and animals start life as an egg?
English	Traditional stories, myths and legends (3 weeks) Instructions (3 weeks)	'Tuesday' (3 weeks) Journalistic reports (3 weeks)
Maths	Perimeter & Area Multiplication and Division Fractions Decimals & Percentages	
Computing	Multimedia	Visual Media
DT	Design and make an Anglo-Saxon house	Pneumatic Systems - Moving Animals
Art	Drawing	Salvador Dali
RE	What values are shown in codes of living?	Should we forgive others?
PE	Swimming Gymnastics	Swimming Netball
PSHE	How can we help in an emergency?	How can friends communicate safely?

Homework is given on a Friday and is to be handed in the following Wednesday. The children will receive:

- A piece of Maths or English work (occasionally linked to Science/Topic)
- Spellings

Children will also bring home their reading book to read independently or with an adult at home.

I continue to have extremely high expectations for all children regarding the effort they put into their work and their behaviour in school. Every child is aware of our class rules, the rewards and consequences which follow.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to come and see me and I will help in any way I can.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs. Davidson

Year 5 teacher.