

### English

In English we will link our writing to our history unit and the children will write instructions for How to raid an Anglo-Saxons settlement. After that, we will write a narrative based on Norse Mythology, called Artura and the Silver Lasso. Children will continue to focus on sentence structure, including the use of semicolons, colons, brackets, dashes and hyphens.

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#### What you can do to help at home:

Please ensure your children read as much as possible- this is key to progress in reading and writing. Year Six children can purchase SATs revision books from Asda or other supermarkets for reading and writing if they would like to do some extra work

## Falconhurst School Spring Two 2025

**Year Group: Five and Six**

### History



In history we are exploring the theme of exploration and invasion. We will study the substantive skills of: migration, trade, monarchy, settlement and rebellion through our study of the Anglo-Saxons. We will learn how Britain changed in the late 4<sup>th</sup> century.

#### What you can do to help at home:

Finding stories of films that link to the Anglo-Saxons and the Vikings. In class, we are reading Beowulf.

### Maths

In maths, year 5 will begin to explore the relationship between decimals and percentages. They will be covering area and perimeter, where they will use apply their knowledge of times tables. They will cover statistics, including line graphs and tables. Year 6 will be learning about the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages and how to convert and compare them. They will build on their learning in year 5 on area and perimeter. In statistics, we will revisit line graphs and tables as well as pie charts and how to find the mean.

#### What you can do to help at home::

Five minutes daily practise on TT Rockstars will make a hugely positive difference to your child's confidence in maths lessons.



### Science:



In science we will be exploring forces, including contact and non-contact forces. We will discuss gravity and forces which work against it such as air resistance. We will be conducting fair tests, comparative tests to learn about air resistance and friction. We will explore water resistance through pattern seeking.

#### What you can do to help at home:

**There are lots of videos online aimed at KS2 children which explain forces in a fun and engaging way.**



### Religious Studies:

**We are exploring the question, 'Why is there suffering?' through different scriptures and beliefs of Abrahamic religions. We will discuss different views people have in response to suffering.**



### PHSE:

**We will be learning about rights and respect. We will discuss the 54 rights of a child and what happens in we don't feel safe. We will discuss ways to ensure we are show respect at all times and how to do this during a conflict.**



### Physical Education:

**We will be working on passing and dribbling control skills within football. Children will learn to control the ball whilst dribbling under pressure and to pass with accuracy during a competitive match**



### Computing:

**We are going to be learning about data handling. We will use google sheets to resize cell widths and use spreadsheets for different types of data. We were learn some simple formulae and how to search a database for information.**