



Our learning this half term is Europe, the Vikings and Sound.

This half term we will be looking at Europe. We will locate different countries in Europe using an atlas and then finding out more about them.

Also, we will be going back in time to the Vikings. Using our knowledge of Europe, we will be able to see where they originated from and where they travelled to. We will be finding out what life was like in Viking times and linking this to our previous work on the Saxons.

Our Science focus for the half term will be sound. We will look at how sound is made and how we can get different volumes and pitches.

HOME LEARNING

In addition to reading, spelling and times tables, homework will be set via MyMaths.

READING

Children should aim to read a minimum of three times weekly. It is important that your child's reading book and reading record comes into school **every day**. Pupils will continue to complete the reading quizzes from Accelerated Reading when they have completed their books. These quizzes can now be done at home. Due to Covid restrictions, each class now has a set time slot to change their books. Your continued support with developing your child's reading is appreciated.

TIMES TABLES

It is important that your child practices their times tables weekly. This can be done on TTRockstars. Please contact your child's class teacher if your child requires a login.

Additional information

Please label **ALL** of your child's clothes and belongings including trainers, hats, shorts, t-shirts, jumpers, cardigans and water bottles.

USEFUL INFORMATION

PE

Please bring your PE kits in on a Monday so they are in for the week. They will be returned on Friday.

Forest School

Please come appropriately dressed for forest school when it is your class day. Children must still come wearing sun cream and with hats and water bottles. Please ensure that children wear insect repellent and have waterproofs and a change of footwear as the weather changes.

Wednesday - USA Class

Monday - Brazil and Mexico classes

SeeSaw

Your child should have been issued with a QR code so that you can access SeeSaw. This platform will allow class teachers to share information with you. It will also allow you to contact your child's class teacher and see the children's learning.

Library

Your child will choose a library book to read for pleasure. Your class teacher will communicate with you the day in which they can change their books.