English

Instructions: Children will work to identify the features, structure and vocabulary typical of instruction texts.

Biographies: Well will be exploring biographies and autobiographies, focusing on a figure from Viking Britain and applying our learning on biographies to write our own.

SPaG: Use of punctuation for different purposes, for example the use of colons and semi-colons for lists, adverbials, phrases and clauses.

Reading: Children will focus on reading comprehension, drawing inferences and identifying themes from fiction texts as well as applying their knowledge of a variety of non-fiction texts to use them efficiently to evidence discussion ideas.

Art / DT

Exploring and creating a Viking dish, developing knowledge of nutritional information and recipes.

Researching the Bayeux Tapestry and recreating it through different art forms.

Science

Year 5 and 6 will be finding out all about evolution and inheritance, recognising that living things have changed over time, offspring vary from their parents and that animals & plants adapt & evolve.

# Year 5&6 2018-19

# Spring 2

# Vikings

Music

Children will be learning a brass instrument throughout the year, reading music and learning the technical vocabulary.

Geography & History

We will be focusing on specific people who were influential in Viking Britain before moving toward the end of the Viking era and learning about the Battle of Hastings and the Bayeux Tapestry.

**French**

Location and directions – talking about places in our community and describing our surroundings.

### Maths

Decimals and Percentages:

Decimals up to 3 decimal places; rounding, comparing and ordering; multiplying and dividing by integers, 10,100,1000; converting between fractions, decimals and percentages; equivalences; percentages of an amount; percentage increase/decrease; problem solving.

Y5 Multiplication and Division:

Prime, square and cube numbers; multiplication and division through a range of contexts; problem solving.

Y6 Algebra and Ratio:

Prime, square and cube numbers; algebraic rule and formulae; enumerate possibilities; ratio vocabulary; ratio and fractions; scale factors.

PE

Tag Rugby, Quicksticks Hockey and Multi-skills with an Inspire+ coach.

Computing

Children will dissect algorithms to develop their coding, sequencing and debugging skills . They will move on to use Office accessories for presenting research and work.

RE / SMSC

 Children will be continuing to explore Sikhism through finding out about their Holy Book and the festivals that are observed by Sikhs.

### Trips / visitors

PGL Visit – outdoor adventure and activity.