



Lindal & Marton Primary School – Willow Class

Year 4 - Termly Curriculum Map - Spring

Vikings											
1 st Half						2 nd Half					
Week	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6
Visits	Farming Visit					Ulverston Voices					
Maths	Shape	Position & Direction	Position & Direction	Amounts of Time	Amounts of Temperature	Fractions calculations	Explaining Data	Explaining Data	Amounts of Temp	Position & Direction	Assessment
	Place Value	Addition	Subtraction	Division	Written methods	Fractions calculations	Problem solving	Problem solving	Written methods	Division	Assessment
English	Grammar focus fortnight: Determiners, adverbial phrases, inverted commas and possessive pronouns		Reading comprehension, drama and writing activities based on the book, <i>The Firework Maker's Daughter</i> by Philip Pullman			Poetry – the children will read and perform a range of poems and study narrative poetry		Non-Fiction Writing – The children will read and write instructions, reports and persuasive letters		Traditional Tales – The children will read a range of Anthony Bowne books and compare them with traditional tales.	
Science	Rocks The children will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - observe rocks and explore how and why they might have changed over time - identify and classify rocks - explore similarities and differences between different soils - raise and answer questions about how rocks are formed 										
Computing	Programming Turtle Logo At the end of this unit the children will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - write procedures using algorithms - program their own procedures 					Animation At the end of this unit the children will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - explain what is meant by animation - create a simple stop-motion animation short film clip 					
PE	Gymnastics / Dance Assessment focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - know principles of balance and apply them on floor and apparatus - link rolls with travel and balance using floor and apparatus - create a sequence of six actions combining travel, roll and balance - Perform clear and fluent dances that show sensitivity to idea / stimulus 					Football Skills and Team Games Assessment focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - apply dribbling and passing skills in small sided competitive games - move to stop a ball or object reaching a target in varying situations 					
RE	The Church Children will learn how buildings, objects and symbols play a part in worship and the work and role of church leaders. Activities will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - using IT skills to research the role of church leaders - exploring a variety of Christian places of worship and their features - observing a variety of artefacts and symbols used in Christian worship and considering their meaning - taking part in P4C enquiries 					Lent Some of the key features in the life and teachings of Jesus will be explored. Activities will include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - exploring temptation, self-examination and reflection (Lent) - designing and making a greetings card for a Christian ceremony when learning about rites of passage - considering the reasons why Jesus was executed - taking part in a P4C enquiry discussing whether Jesus deserved to be executed 					
Geography/ History	History: Children will learn about Viking raids and the success of the Viking invasion. They will develop an understanding of the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle to the time of Edward the Confessor. Geography: Locating some of the world's countries using maps to focus on Europe, particularly Scandinavia.										
Design Technology	Children will study Viking farming and typical Viking food. They will taste Viking food and design a nutritional meal using Viking-Style produce.					Children will use their IT skills to research and learn about Viking armour and weaponry. They will learn about the beliefs and weapons of the Viking warriors and about famous leaders and explorers, then make their own Viking shields.					
Art	Portraits The children will use a variety of media (pencil, charcoal & chalk) to produce Viking portraits					Paint techniques and Collages – The children will produce collage of a Viking boat on the water. They will use various techniques (waterpaint, wax resist, salt) to paint paper which will then be torn to produce the background. The boat will be drawn, painted and cut out separately then added to the background for a 3D effect.					
Music	Brass: the children will work with a peripatetic teacher each week learning notation and how to play their instrument. <i>Charanga / Mamma Mia</i> (singing and recorders): as well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with the well-known song <i>Mamma Mia</i> , children will listen to and appraise more ABBA hits.										
British Values	This term we will be focusing on Individual Liberty and promoting freedom of choice and the right to respectfully express views and beliefs. Children will be encouraged to voice their views in lessons, particularly through P4C sessions and they will be making a variety of choices. Some choices will include; attendance at extra-curricular clubs and making food choices during a Viking food tasting session.										