




<p>ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL</p>	<p>CLASS: Lark Year 5</p>	<p>TERM: Autumn 2 - 2022</p>	
<p>ART & DESIGN: Lark class will be continuing with our focus on drawing, now specifically self-portraits. We will explore the work of famous artist, Frida Kahlo. We will create our own self-portraits in her style.</p>	<p>ENGLISH: This half term, the children will study the famous epic - Beowulf (<i>linking to our history learning</i>). The children will produce a variety of writing, both fiction and non-fiction pieces, using Beowulf as a basis. We will draft and write some of our own Christmas poems. In our Guided Reading sessions, we will read 'Who Let the Gods Out' by Maz Evans.</p>		<p>DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY: Our Design and Technology unit is linked to textiles. The children will be designing and making a felt phone case and they will then evaluate the aesthetics and functionality of their product. We will also aim for the children to design and create models linked to their history learning (the Vikings) using a variety of materials.</p>
<p>GEOGRAPHY: This half term we will use maps to locate the world's countries, focusing on Europe. We will develop our understanding of key countries involved in the Viking invasions.</p>	<p>MATHS: These are the areas of maths that we will be focussing on this half term: Number - Fractions (unit A) Number - Multiplication and Division (unit A)</p>		<p>HISTORY: Lark class will learn about the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England, to the time of Edward the Confessor. This will include a study of Viking life, Viking kings and law and justice.</p>
	<p>TOPIC/THEME: Anglo Saxons and Vikings</p> <p>TRIPS/EXPERIENCES: Viking-Themed History Day/Afternoons</p>		
<p>LANGUAGES: French The children will continue to develop their fluency and confidence in speaking and listening aspects of French during 'getting to know you' and 'all about me' units.</p>	<p>SCIENCE: Our unit for the duration of the Autumn term is: 'Properties and Changes of Materials'. - The children will compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases. - The children will gain a developed understanding that some materials will dissolve in a liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution.</p>		<p>MUSIC: This half term the children will practise singing and performing a couple of Viking-themed songs. They will learn how to keep a beat and sing in a round. By singing these songs, they will develop their historical language through comprehending lyrics in the chosen songs. In addition, the children will be practising many Christmas songs in preparation for the Church service.</p>
<p>PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Lark class will be applying their understanding of multi-skills from the Autumn 1 and use these skills in invasion games this half term. They will focus on thinking of tactics and apply this to work on attacking and defending in a variety of invasion games.</p>	<p>COMPUTING: The children will be learning about how to use the internet safely and effectively. The children will be using technology to design, share and present their understanding of our history learning. At home and in school, the children will be using TT Rockstars.</p>	<p>RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: This term, the children will be exploring what Christians believe about God and incarnation. We will also be participating in the whole school Christmas church service.</p>	<p>PSHE: The children will continue to think, share and reflect on social topics with increased maturity. They will be learning about Remembrance Day and its importance. In the latter part of the term, the children will be learning about the topics of alcohol and drugs and the importance of making sensible choices.</p>
<p>HOMEWORK: Daily reading; weekly spelling list; knowledge of multiplication tables and maths work linked to lessons.</p>			