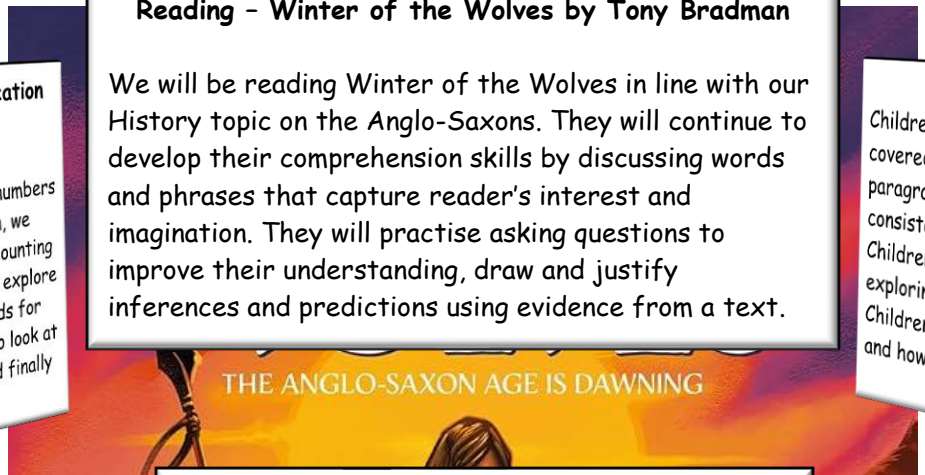
Year 4 Autumn 2

Maths – Addition & Subtraction, Area and Multiplication and Division

Children will continue to learn how to subtract two 4-digit numbers with exchanges and efficient methods of subtraction. Then, we will move onto exploring what is area, working out area by counting squares, making shapes and comparing areas. After, we will explore multiplication and division facts and using different methods for calculating their 3,6,9,7,11 and 12 times tables. We will also look at multiplying by 1 and 0, dividing a number by 1 and itself and finally multiplying three numbers.

Reading – Winter of the Wolves by Tony Bradman

We will be reading Winter of the Wolves in line with our History topic on the Anglo-Saxons. They will continue to develop their comprehension skills by discussing words and phrases that capture reader's interest and imagination. They will practise asking questions to improve their understanding, draw and justify inferences and predictions using evidence from a text.



Writing

Children will continue to practising application of the key skills covered in Autumn 1 (conjunctions, fronted adverbials, paragraphs, different tenses and prepositional phrases) for consistency.
Children will continue to practise handwriting daily and exploring new spelling patterns.
Children will be exposed to more sophisticated punctuation and how to use these correctly in their writing.

PE

Swimming and Netball

Spanish

Parts of the body and recap colours.
Plurals and genders.
Learn the words grande and pequeño to describe size.
Learn a Christmas carol in Spanish.

Music

Drumming

RE – How is my community important to me?

Children will be applying the topic question to explore the importance of community through various faith groups (Buddhism, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism, Christianity and Judaism).

History – Anglo-Saxons and Scots

Children will be developing their understanding of the Anglo-Saxons by learning why the Anglo-Saxons invaded Britain, where they settled. Exploring what life was like during that time period and looking at Anglo-Saxon religious beliefs before their conversion to Christianity.

PSHE – Celebrating Difference

Children will be focusing on understanding and recognising differences; celebrating what is special and unique about themselves and understanding bullying and problem solving in certain social situations.

Science – Animals Including Humans

Children will continue to look at food chains involving humans and animals as the main predator. Children will then look at some of the key human organs, including naming them and knowing their job. We will move onto digestion before looking at the role teeth play in our ability to eat and digest food, including the names of different types of teeth.

Computing – Scratch

Children will compare the features of online vs paper quizzes, exploring how to make them exciting. Then they will create their own online quizzes over the course of the half term by understanding coding using the Scratch programme. They will also have the opportunity to experiment with adding various effects to make their quizzes visually appealing and interactive.

Art – Exploring Tone, Texture and Proportion

Children will create a three-dimensional effect by using contrasting tones to show light and dark. They will learn to combine lines and marks to represent different textures. Children will use lines and marks in different ways to represent dark and light areas and compare the sizes of different objects to draw them in proportion.

Happy, Kind, Inspired, Challenged and Ready for the Future