#### ENGLISH

With SATs ahead, we will be revising all aspects of spelling, grammar and punctuation. In addition, we will consider how to answer three-point questions in reading comprehension.

Children will have the opportunity to write a narrative and recount in a variety of formats linked to 'Norse Myths' by Alex Frith and 'Odd and the Frost Giants' by Neal Gaiman.

# SCIENCE

Children are learning about light, how we see, shadows, reflection and refraction. We will learn how light travels and how this enables us to see objects. Children will have the opportunity to make a functioning periscope, finding out about mirrors and the angles of reflection and incidence. They will work scientifically and collaboratively to investigate refraction, carrying out some fascinating experiments into the effects of bending light.

# RE

Children will be focusing on community - they will identify what it means to themselves and others, as well as exploring communities across religions.

## MUSIC

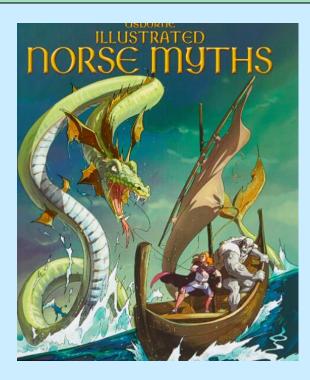
Children will develop an understanding of different musical genres, beats and patterns.

#### HISTORY

Children will develop a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of British, local and world history, establishing clear narratives about the Vikings.

They will construct informed responses that involve thoughtful selection and organisation of relevant historical information, noting connections, contrasts and trends over time.

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#### MATHS

Children will be solving addition and subtraction multi-step problems, deciding which operations and methods to use and explain why they were suitable. We will be multiplying numbers of up to 4 digits by a two-digit number and solving number and practical problems that involve ordering and comparing numbers to 10 000 000, rounding to a required degree of accuracy, using negative numbers and calculating intervals across zero.

# PE

We will be doing Athletics outdoors on a Monday and Dance indoors on a Thursday. The children will be exploring similarities between The Vikings and the present day.

## PSHCE

Our theme this term will be 'Me and My Relationships'.

## COMPUTING

Children will be looking at e-safety and will learn how to respond to bullying online. We will discuss the different ways to respond to bullying and how to turn negative interactions into positive ones. The children will model this positive behaviour to the others in an assembly.

## **DT and ART**

In art, we will be developing art and design skills. Children will look at impressionism, zentangle designs, printing, hat designs and the work of Edward Hooper.