

English

Reading

Fiction: Beowulf

Poetry: Ultimate Rap

Writing

Can I write a newspaper report detailing the factual events that occurred in the battle at Mead Hall and the consequent actions of Beowulf? Can I use all features of a formal newspaper report in my writing?

Can I draft, edit, publish and perform a rap on the subject of my choice with my peers?

Mathematics

Power Maths

Multiplication and division

Measure – area and perimeter

Religious Education

What would Jesus do?

Enrichment

Imagine life as an Anglo-Saxon soldier or member of the Saxon community. Look at ancient artefacts from this period of time and dress up in the clothing, maybe even hold some replica armour. Learn all about the Smashing Saxons and their importance with help from a knowledgeable visitor.

Art and Design

Can I design and make Anglo-Saxon jewellery out of clay, producing intricate patterns and details using the appropriate tools?

Year 5 – Autumn Term 2

SMASHING SAXONS

SMSC/PSED/British Values

Big questions for curious minds:

If God provides enough food, why are people hungry?

What do you consider right or wrong in the way that Guy Fawkes behaved?

How could we help God to bring Peace?

Do you agree with Grace Darling? She said that she only became famous because she was a girl.

Computing

Can I use Scratch software to move and edit blocks as part of an algorithm?

Can I program an algorithm as a sequence of game instructions with both actions and consequences?

Can I add additional effects and features, such as sound and point scoring, to enhance the appeal of the game?

Design Technology

Anglo-Saxons used trebuchets in their battles. Can I understand and use mechanical systems in my design of a trebuchet including pulleys and levers?

Can I design and make an Anglo-Saxon warship using all of their historical features?

Languages – French

Moi et mon Ecole

Revise numbers to 60 whilst also learning about daily routines and school life translated to French. Learn the name of school subjects and give opinions and preferences about these subjects by writing sentences in French.

Science

Can I explain that unsupported objects fall towards the earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object? (Linked to Infinity and beyond topic)

Can I identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction that act between moving surfaces?

Can I recognise that some mechanisms, including levers, pulleys and gears, allow a smaller force to have a greater effect?

History

Can I research Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots by becoming Historian detectives?

Including:

Roman withdrawal from Britain and the fall of the Western Roman Empire.

Scots invasions from Ireland to Northern Britain.

Anglo Saxons invasions, settlements and Kingdoms – place names and village life.

Anglo-Saxon art and culture

Christian Conversion

Physical Education

Can I play competitive games, applying basic principles suitable for attacking and defending? (Dodgeball, hockey)

Can I use running, jumping, throwing and catching in both isolation and in combination?

Geography

Can I compare land use maps of the UK from the past (Saxon times) with that of present day?

Can I explore types of settlements in modern Britain (villages, towns, cities) and compare with the Village settlements during this historical period?