



Carnforth Christ Church C of E Primary School

Curriculum Newsletter



Welcome to the Summer edition of the Curriculum News. We hope that you will find it useful and informative. Please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher if you have any questions regarding the curriculum this half term.

This term in Rowan Class our topic will be
'The Vikings'.

Through this topic, we will focus on Viking History in Summer 1 and settlements and land use in Geography in Summer 2.

We will be also exploring Norse Myths and Legends and linking this to our Vikings knowledge in Summer 1. In Summer 2, we will be looking into playscripts and the features of a playscript. This will help the children for their summer production.

In ICT we will be working collaboratively to create and edit shared digital content, developing teamwork and online communication skills in Summer 1. In Summer 2, we will be carrying out surveys, collecting data, and presenting these findings using digital tools.

In RE we will be learning about why Holy places are important to people and discussing the meaning of praying and why people do it.

In Science we will be learning about animals, teeth and digestion in Summer 1 and in Summer 2, the functions and parts of a plant.

In Art we will be developing our topic further by creating our own Viking drawings. We will be deep diving into different Viking art works and patterns. In DT we will be looking at mechanical systems and the functions of pneumatic toys.

In Music we will be focusing on production songs.

In French the children will be learning about instruments and then will move on to learning how to name their family.

PE this term will be on **Wednesdays** and **Thursdays** for the whole class. Please also ensure your child comes to school dressed in their full PE kit. This includes: a white t-shirt, plain black shorts, pumps/trainers.

Year 3 and 4 will be taught everyday by Mrs Mackintosh and supported by Mrs Webster. On Wednesday's the class will be taught by Mr Stott in the morning.

Children will have brought home their spellings for the half term.

Please could these be learnt for our weekly spelling test each Friday.

Copies of these spellings are available on the class website page.

We ask that your child reads at home to an adult 3 times per week and regularly accesses TTRockstars to support their learning of times tables.

Please could you ensure that reading books are brought to school every day so that we have them for daily readers.

If you have any concerns or would like to discuss any aspect of your child's progress, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Emelia Mackintosh