



# Year 4

## Autumn 2 Newsletter

### Topic



This half term we will be stepping back into the past to a time when England was raided by the **Vicious Vikings!**

We will look at evidence to learn about when and why they came to England.

We will learn about their way of life, the warriors and their weapons.

### English

In English, we will be learning about myths and legends and taking part in drama and debates. We will continue with daily spelling and grammar lessons and our class novel will be *How to Train Your Dragon* by Cressida Cowell.

### Maths

In maths, we will be focusing on addition and subtraction. We will look at using the column method to add and subtract. We will also be having a big push on multiplication tables, so any support at home with practising would be greatly appreciated.

### Physical Education

In PE, we will be developing our skills in dance and gymnastics.



Please remember that children must have both their indoor and outdoor PE kits in school at all times.

### Design Technology

We will be designing and making our own helmets and swords and also a Viking long ship.



We will also be using our cooking skills to make some Viking flatbread.