# Year 5 Autumn Newsletter

### **Topics**

Autumn 1 — Vikings Autumn 2 — Space

# **KEY DATES**

**18th September** Clubs begin

#### 10th October

Open Morning

23rd October—30th October

Half-Term Break

7th Nov—Planetarium Trip

10th Nov—Remembrance Service

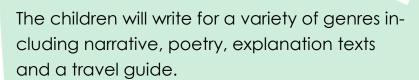
#### 15th December

End of Term at 1:15pm

## **English**

We have several key texts this term:

- Beowulf
- Dragonology
- Wolf Wilder
- The Ultimate Interplanetary Guide



Don't forget to check out our recommended read texts that will support our topic learning.

#### Maths

This term in maths we will be learning about:

Number and place value, addition and subtraction, statistics and multiplication and division.



Our PE days will confinue to be Monday and Wednesday. The children will need to have trainers in their locker to change into.



### **Key Vocabulary**

Knowing what the following words mean and say will really help with our topics this term.

Vikings	Science

**longboats** fossil

Danes geological

classification saga

mammal runes

norse galaxy

Anglo-Saxon interplanetary

archer

#### **Attendance**

Our year group's current

attendance is 97.7%

Attendance continues to be important. Please make sure that your child is through the gates by 9:00am.

#### **PSHE**

Our PSHE units of work this term focus on Physical Health and Wellbeing in the media and stereotypes, discrimination and prejudice. These will take place throughout the term. Please see our website pages for more information on these topics and what will be taught.

## **Homework and Reading**

Homework will be set each week on a Friday to be handed in on the following Wednesday. Reading diaries are part of our homework, and will be collected on a Friday to check children have been reading 4 times per week.

# Library Days

In Year 5, our library days will be Tuesday afternoons and Friday mornings. The children should always ensure they have a reading book in school (from the library or from home) to read during independent reading times.



