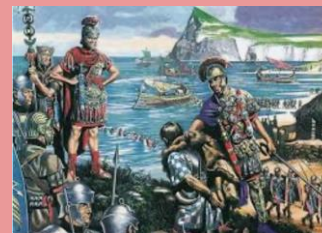


Fox Class - *How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?*

Academic:

This half term we are focusing on a History unit: "How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?" The children will be able to explain how the Britons felt when the Romans left Britain and suggest reasons for the Anglo-Saxon invasions of Britain. The class will name the key features of Anglo-Saxon settlements and identify changes and continuities in settlements from prehistoric Britain. They will describe how Anglo-Saxons beliefs changed and explain how missionaries spread Christianity. They will explain the threat the Vikings posed to the Anglo-Saxons and identify the qualities needed to be a monarch in 1066.



In Maths the children will be starting with fractions then moving on to mass and capacity. In English the first unit will be a first person narrative, then a formal letter to complain. In Design and Technology this half term the children will be learning about structures and will be constructing a castle. This will consist of drawing and labelling a simple castle and its common features. They will recognise the multiple 3D shapes and many other facts and features.

Character:

This half term our focus virtues are honesty, confidence and cooperation. These will be taught in classes, through assemblies and through PSHE sessions. We also look for any other virtue that we see in action and are looking forward to celebrating these in our celebration assemblies throughout the half term.



Community:

This half term we will be continuing to welcome parents and carers into school for our successful reading cafes and we will also be welcoming Reverend Paul in for more assemblies. Our Facebook page is a wonderful platform that we can share and celebrate the different learning opportunities with you. We will continue with our Education Nature Park work, focusing on sustainability and wildlife in our local community.



Digital and Innovation:

This half term in our Computing lessons we will be continuing to look at E-safety and embedding the knowledge on remaining safe when online. We will also be looking at websites, looking at the tabs on google sites, creating a clear plan for a web page and beginning to create it. The class will create a professional looking web page with useful information and a clear style, which is easy for the user to read and find information.

