

In Science we will learn to:

- Plan and investigate how different materials will affect how something travels.
- We will also look in detail how to undertake a fair test, using vocabulary such as 'variable'.
- Explore magnets and understand when magnets attract/repel.

What will we be learning?



Year 4 Elm
Autumn 2



In English we will learn:

- New skills to help us write a report about Italy and the eruption in Pompeii.
- We will look at more detail about free verse Poetry.
- We will continue to build on our fluency and expression by reading aloud to each other during whole class reading.



Our class novel is The Viking boy by Tony Bradman. Our picture book for this half term is Barnabus Project by Fanboys.

In history we will explore:

- The Vikings.
- We will look in detail the Vikings and how they had a significant impact on today's society. - We will answer the unit question of 'How did the Vikings struggle with the Anglo-Saxons?'
- We will also be having a visit in school to support our learning on this topic.

In PSHE we will learn:

- The reasons for rules and laws in wider society
- We will be focusing on our mental health and how to support this.

Please feel free to contact me, if you have any questions.



In maths we will learn to:

- Add and subtract using formal written methods.
- We will look at area exploring what 'area' means and how to compare different areas of shapes.
- We will focus further this term on our multiplication and division facts, including how to multiply a number by 1 and itself.

Please don't forget to use TTR at home!



In Art we will learn to:

- Develop their drawing skills.
- Plan, refine and alter drawings.
- Draw for a sustained period, using different media to achieve different lines and textures.

Don't forget!

Friday 17th November, we will hold our first Big Roseberry Sleepover!



More details to follow.

In PE we will learn to:

- Develop throwing and catching skills.
- Develop attacking and defending skills and use these in team games.

Our PE day is **Thursday**

In RE we will learn:

- How and why advent is important to Christians.
- We will explore the Christmas story and its relation to the Christian religion.

In computing we will learn to:

- use a range of techniques to create a stop-frame animation using tablets.
- using the skills learnt, children will create a story-based animation to share to the class.