

Choice of Home Activities Summer Term Year 5 Topic: Invaders

Complete at least two homework tasks from the grid below; one for each half term.

	What do I know and	Can I apply and show	What can I question,	Can I evaluate and make	What can I
	understand?	what I know?	compare and analyse?	judgements?	create?
I enjoy reading, writing and speaking.	Write a secret message for your teacher using Viking runes.	Create an information sheet about the life cycle of a butterfly.	Compare one aspect of Viking life with modern day life.	Research exotic flowers. Which one would you most like to grow in your garden? Why?	Create a diary entry for a Viking warrior.
I enjoy thinking logically, working with numbers and being scientific.	Find out what the Vikings used for money. Write down 5 facts.	Produce a diagram of the inside of a flower. Label the different parts of the flower and what they are used for.	Compare the size of the plants in the different layers of the rainforest.	Locate Viking settlements on a map. Which do you think would be the best to visit? Why?	Using scientific terms, create a key to sort 5 different living organisms.
I enjoy drawing and painting.	Use water colours or coloured pencils to copy a drawing/painting of flowers by an artist.	Science: Use water colours or coloured pencils to draw/paint different flowers in your garden.	Science: Design and make an undiscovered plant using a variety of materials. Label its features.	Play a Viking board game (Hnefatafl - http://www.homespunweb.co.uk/vikings/). What is good about the game? Think you can do better? Design a Viking board game.	Create your own Norse God themed top trump cards.
I enjoy being active and 'doing'.	Make a Viking helmet, shield or weapon.	Make a symmetrical 3D model long ship.	Bake and decorate some Viking food. Write down the recipe and some facts about the food of the period.	Where would be the best place in the UK to take your class to learn about the Vikings? Why?	Write and act out a short Viking play.
I enjoy making and listening to music	Using an instrument of your choice, devise your own tune to represent the Vikings in battle. You may either record your tune or play it to your class.	Using the tune of a well- known song of your choice, make up your own song about the Vikings to teach the class	Find out about a Viking myth and present your information creatively.	Make up your own Viking sketch, like the ones on Horrible Histories. Act it out at home, film it or take photographs. How would you improve it further?	Research Viking Gods. Retell one of their stories using drama or music. Be prepared to show your teachers
I enjoy working with others.	With a friend, write a poem to represent an aspect of your choice about Viking life.	Have a debate with a friend about deforestation?	Compare Viking runes to modern day writing.	With a family member or friend, argue the importance of learning about the past.	Make your own Viking Long Ship. Race your ship with a friend's ship. Which ship won? Record your results.

Ongoing Homework Tasks include: Daily Reading, Mathletics and Times Table Rock Stars