

St. Thomas More Catholic Primary School
Spring Term Curriculum Newsletter: Year 5



Homework

Tuesday- Reading records checked and books changed

Thursday- CGP books checked and new pages given out in class

Friday- Reading records checked and books changed

- It is expected that all children read at least 5 times a week
- Times tables should be practiced weekly, assessments are continuously carried out for these
- CGP books should be completed weekly, including marking. This links to our learning in class and is important for consolidation.

A message from Miss Barker

This term we are focusing on 'A step back in time' and taking you on a journey to discover the Anglo-Saxons! We will be learning all about the Anglo-Saxons through our English writing, History and other subjects across the curriculum.

Religious Education

COMMUNITY

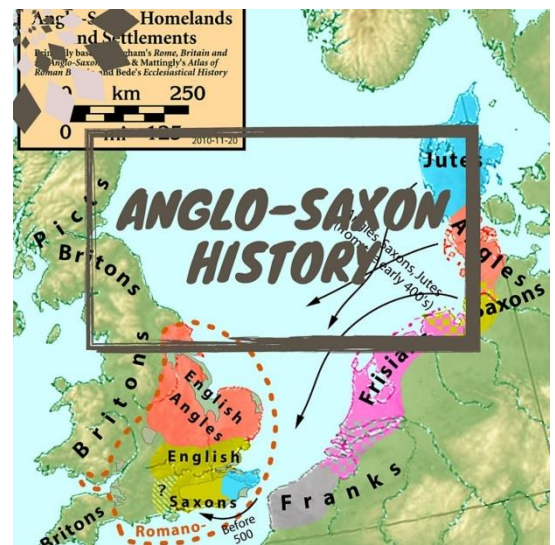
Continuing Jesus' mission in diocese (ecumenism)

RELATING

The Eucharist; the living memorial of Jesus' Self-Discipline

GIVING

Lent, a time of giving in order to celebrate the sacrifice of Jesus



English

The children will learn about a variety of genres including:

- Myths and legends
- Diary entry
- Biography
- Epic poems

Mathematics

The children will focus on:

- Multiplication and Division
- Fractions

Creative Curriculum

History

In keeping with the theme of Stepping back in Time, we will be exploring the Anglo-Saxons – looking at differences in diet, clothing and accommodation as well as the struggles with the Vikings.

Science

We will be looking at Forces this term in science. We will be identifying the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, and doing experiments involving mechanism with levers, pulleys and gears.



Please feel free to share the extra things you've been doing at home with us on dojo!
If you want to continue your own research and learn more about the Anglo-Saxons then please do!