

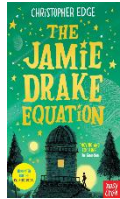
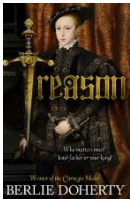
Curriculum Information
How did political, religious and cultural changes affect life post 1066?
Term 1 and 2 2022 - 2023
Year 5 Foxes and Ospreys

English

We will be reading:

Treason by Berlie Doherty.

The Jamie Drake Equation by Christopher Edge



In our writing, we will be learning to:

Write an information text, a missing chapter, a persuasive speech, a fantasy setting and a discussion text.

Spelling

We will be practising our statutory words for Year 4 & 5, homophones, apostrophes for contraction (they're), silent letters (thumb), the suffixes – ough, -able, -ible for word endings (eg: although, vegetable, possible)

Maths

We will be focusing on place value and the four operations: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

DT

We will be experimenting with pulley and lever mechanisms to create a trap door system, inspired by the dungeons of the of the Tudor Monarchy.



We kick off our topic with the Black Death – the bubonic plague outbreak of 1348. We will explore the causes, symptoms and impact of the plague on European civilisation. We will examine the duties of medieval knights. We will look how religion influenced the actions of The Flagellants at this time. Next, we will look at medieval Europe's feudal system. We will finish this half term with a re-enactment of the peasant's revolt! In the second half of the autumn term, we will be doing a deep dive into the Tudors, including Henry VIII and the impact on England. Our topic concludes with the invasion of the Spanish Armada and the reasons behind this.

Science – Physics

We will be studying forces of gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction. We will begin to recognise that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. We will study our solar system.

Geography

We will be looking at the geography of Europe through the lens of the spread of the Black Death. We will create a world map to show the spread. Locating map features using a range of methods, human geography and local settlement types.

PHSE

We will be learning about who we are and our relationships this term both in person and online. We will understand what hate crime and bullying are and think about how we can protect ourselves and others from them.

PE

In PE this term, we are learning netball skills. We will be practising ball control, movement and learning to apply them in a match environment. We will also develop our sportsmanship skills, including accepting a peer as a leader and taking pride in winning and being respectful of those who have not.

Computing

We will develop our understanding of computer systems and how information is transferred between systems and devices. We will consider small-scale systems as well as large-scale systems. We will explain the input, output, and process aspects of a variety of different real-world systems.

Music –

In music this term, we are looking at reggae music and will be learning about Bob Marley, time