

The Vikings

Year 5 Topic Work

Choose a variety of options from the areas below, or make up your own! Some tasks will take longer than others, and you can amend and join the tasks as you chose. Remember to show me what you have created by submitting this task with photos/videos/drawings/ Docs/Slides etc at the end of this half term.

History	Geography	Art/DT
<p>Write a report about the Viking invasion of Britain- when was it and why was it important?</p> <p>What gods did the Vikings worship? Find out about their stories, festivals and temples.</p> <p>How was life for the Vikings similar and different to ours?</p> <p>What were the main events of the Viking period in Britain? Make a timeline and label it with the date and event.</p> <p>Why did the Vikings come to Britain? Research this question and make a poster or presentation about what you find out.</p>	<p>Look at how we can tell which places in Britain were Viking by their place names, and see which ones you can find on a map.</p> <p>Draw a map of Britain showing the main Viking towns and cities.</p> <p>Look at the countries where the Vikings came from. What route might they have taken to get to Britain?</p> <p>Compare the landscape in the countries that the Vikings came from with Britain.</p>	<p>Find out about Viking art. You could look at the carvings on ships, their shields or jewellery. Then have a go at making your own version! You could draw, print or make a model using papier mache.</p> <p>What food was popular in Viking times? Design a menu with popular foods. You might even be able to make some!</p> <p>Draw or paint your favourite Viking god or goddess.</p> <p>The Vikings were expert weavers. Try weaving yarn if you have it, or experiment with weaving strips of paper instead.</p>
<p>Expressive arts</p> <p>The Vikings loved telling stories. Can you record yourself telling a Viking myth? Or you could write your own version of one of the myths!</p> <p>The Vikings loAncient Greeks also loved poetry. Why not try writing a poem about a myth, or your favourite aspect of Ancient Greek culture?</p> <p>Vikings write using runes. See if you can too!</p>		<p>PE and Sport</p> <p>The Vikings would have rowed their boats when needed, as well as relying on sails. You could either use a rowing machine (if any of you have one!) or make something to replicate it.</p> <p>The Vikings were really strong. You could set up a strength circuit to try and build your muscles! Try burpees, planks, tricep dips etc, They also really liked tug or war- see who is the tug of war champion in your household!</p>
<p>Music and sound</p>		<p>Warfare and Armour</p> <p>The Vikings are famous for being fierce warriors. You could research their weaponry and battle tactics, and make a poster or a Slides file to show me what you've found out.</p> <p>Did Viking helmets have horns? Do some research and let me know what you think!</p>