





Upcoming Events/Topics

W.c. 2nd December - 'Positive Potions' (Harry Potter themed)

Friday 6th December—Decorations afternoon (Parents welcome @ 2pm)

Friday 13th December - Year 5 and 6 Christingle Service

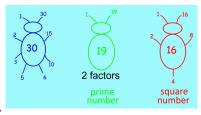
W.c. 16th December - What message did the angels bring? (Religion and Worldviews)

W.c. 7th January - A Journey Through France

Maths (link to knowledge organiser)

The children have been creating 'factor bugs' to support their understanding of factors and multi-

ples.



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| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 1 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 9 | 20 |

They have been identifying **prime numbers** and working on their recall of primes to 20.

They have been using place value charts to explore multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.

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Homework Expectations (Friday to Recommended

Read

Reading - at least four times a week **Spelling focused activity** (paper based)

Friday)

Times tables focused activity (paper based)

TTRockstars/Spelling Shed - **optional** extra

We really appreciate your continued

How did England become England?

So far, the children have looked at why the Anglo Saxons left their homelands. They have explored what life would have been like during that period and how we know about it.

Enter the Vikings and their beliefs, and the ongoing conflict with the Anglo Saxons...

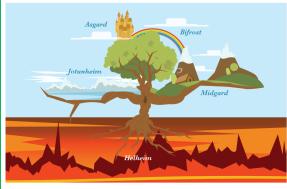
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At the end of the topic, they will be writing 'the story' of how England came to be unified - from the time the Romans left to the 'first' King of England.

English

The children have started to plan their own Viking sagas after reading a text about the mischief-maker, Loki.

The Viking universe



We will be collating them into mini books for our reading corners.

Here are some examples to watch.