



IT'S THE FINAL COUNTDOWN!

Welcome to our final term in Year Six. What a journey we have already had! Our class team have been incredibly proud of the work you have produced over the past two terms and the efforts you are making in our drive towards SATs. Yes, this is the term where we demonstrate what we've learnt over our years at Trinity. However, once SATs are over, we will be quickly submerged into new curriculum projects (let's see if we can get outside more!), Winmarleigh, End Of Year filming as well as many other hair-brained ideas that Miss Beck and Mr Maynard have concocted for you. This is your term to make the most out of the time you have left and it is our mission to make this term as memorable as possible for you.

Our Class Novel:

Crater Lake By Jennifer Killick

Who is the mysterious bloodstained man who stops their coach? Why is no one around when Lance and the rest of

Year Six arrive at the brand new Crater Lake activity centre?



Topic: Anglo-Saxons and Vikings

Warlords. Norse Gods. Alfred The Great. This term, we will be delving into a rich and exciting history topic covering the arrival of the Anglo-Saxons and the invasion of the raiding Vikings. A simulated archaeological dig and Anglo-saxon engraving sessions are on the horizon!



English



This term, we are really trying to stretch our creativity in our creative writing. To begin with, we are going to be delving into suspense writing and learning how to manipulate our reader with well-placed breadcrumbs to create an uneasy atmosphere.

Once we have, hopefully, read some of these around the Winmarleigh campfire, we will be looking to write Winmarleigh Survival Guides and newspaper articles about our pesky crow friend!



Throughout the summer term, we will be consolidating our knowledge through real-world application. We will be touching upon building and architecture, developing holiday budgets and designing active Maths sessions to put our well-earned knowledge to the test.

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A note to parents

As you can imagine, we have a full term ahead of us. Winmarleigh is fast approaching and we appreciate there may be further questions from parents. There will be a Winmarleigh Parents Evening held at school on Monday 19th May at 6:00pm. This will provide the opportunity for parents to ask questions about the upcoming residential.

Thank you for your continued support at home and your efforts to ensure your children are prepared for school. I would be very grateful if you could continue to develop the following at home:

Homework: Please ensure that children are completing their homework in time for Friday morning hand-in. We offer support Mon-Thu during our morning challenge slot if children would like some support.

Our P.E continues to be Thursday afternoon and children should come dressed in their kits on this day.

Have a lovely summer!

Miss Beck.

Design Technology: In 1939, the Sutton Hoo Helmet was discovered. One of only four complete Anglo-Saxon helmets that have been excavated so far. We will be using this incredible marvel as inspiration for designing and producing class helmets with Anglo-Saxon runes and engravings, as well as tinfoil sword hilts!

Art: In Art, we will be attempting to bring good fortune unto ourselves. Following in the Vikings' footsteps, we will design amulets using clay modelling techniques.

R.E: To round off our R.E learning in Year Six, we will be looking at God and what ideas and perceptions we might be able to share. In addition, we will be looking at different world faiths and how they compare to Christianity in terms of their differences and similarities.

Science: In Science, we are going to look at the wondrous nature of light! From how it travels, how we can view the world, shadows (leading into creating shadow puppets) and the colour spectrum.

P.E: With Summer and bright blue skies fast approaching, the batting games are on the cards! Cricket, rounders and tennis are up for bats followed by Athletics.

Computing: As the End of Year Assembly approaches, we will be refreshing our videoing and editing skills in preparation for our final edit, as well as creating our own webpages to bring our classwork to the wider web.

French: Tête, épaules, genoux, pieds! Or, more commonly known as: head, shoulders, knees and toes! This term, we will be discussing bodies in French and learning anatomy. After this, we will be designing Norse monsters and labelling their features using French adjectives.

PSRHE: Growing up. We all have to go through it! But how can we make sure we are looking after our mental health? How do we transition to secondary school? These are just a few of the topics we will be discussing during our PSRHE lessons this term.