



Oak Class

Summer 1 Topic Web 2023



Theme this half term

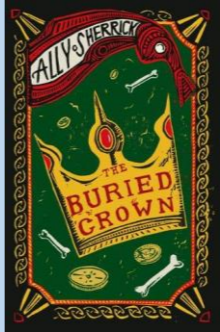
Saxons and Scots!

(The 4th week of this half term is also SATs for Yr 6)

Core Read Aloud Texts

Guided Reading: We are using a variety of texts this half term.

Class reader: The Buried Crown by Ally Sherrick



Days to remember

Monday	PE - outdoor
Tuesday	Outdoor Explorers
Wednesday	PE – yr5 swimming Yr 6 – indoor
Thursday	
Friday	Homework

English

This half term we will begin by writing recounts of the discovery of Sutton Hoo in Suffolk. We will be continuing to develop our use of sentence structures to develop cohesion. Then, we will move onto classical poetry. In this unit we will learn a classical poem by heart as well as evaluating the different techniques and skills that have been used to create it.

Maths

Both year groups will start the half term by looking at shape before moving onto position and direction. Then the year 5s will move onto extending their learning about decimals. Year 6s, after their SATs, will apply their mathematical skills to a problem solving unit about practical maths in daily lives.

Science

Our science unit this half term will be space! We will learn all about the different planets in our solar system.

RE

This half term our RE focus question is:
Creation and science: conflicting or complementary?
We will learn about the Christian belief of creation alongside the scientific one. The children will discuss the similarities and differences between both opinions.

PE

PE will be on Monday and Wednesday each week so please send your children to school in PE kit on these days. Monday is outdoor PE focusing on rounders. Wednesday's PE will be swimming at the high school for Year 5. The Year 6s will have indoor PE focusing on dance.

Outdoor Explorers or Computing and Music

This half term we will have forest school. Despite the warming weather please ensure your child has the appropriate forest school kit for outdoor activities that may involve water:
Wellington boots, waterproof jacket and waterproof trousers.

Geography or History

This half term we will be focusing on History. The class will be learning all about the Anglo-Saxons and Scots in Britain. We will use historical sources to learn about Saxon/Scot Britain as well as how the Saxons have influenced our modern lives.

Art & Design or Design & Technology

This half term we will focus on DT. Linking our learning to our History unit, we will create Saxon Structures. The children will learn how to successfully create a 3D structure ensuring that it is strong and durable.