



# Elderbank Primary School Home / School Info.



## Health and Wellbeing

Our P.E. days are Thursday and Friday. We will focus on gymnastics, rugby and social dancing. As part of our Health and Wellbeing topic we will use Emotion Works to re-visit the orange emotion words cog. We will also explore the green emotion behaviour cog and red body sensations cog. As part of SHANARRI we will focus on healthy bodies and nutritional needs.

## Expressive Arts

Music - We will listen to and play music from different cultures related to our Viking topic. We will also learn how to sign a variety of Christmas songs using B.S.L.



Art - We will be doing a variety of art activities based around our topic of the Vikings. We will focus on using the visual elements of line, shape, form, colour, tone, pattern and texture.



Drama - In drama we will take on different roles using movement, expression and voice linked to our Viking topic.

## Numeracy:

The Triangles group will explore multiplication and division of the 3, 4 and 10 times table. We will also be working on fractions and identifying equivalent fractions.

The Square group will understand the concept of multiplication and repeated addition. We will recite the two times table with accuracy and link division facts. We will also explore 2D and 3D shapes.

The Circle group will focus on addition and subtraction number bonds to 20. We will also work on fractions through finding halves and quarters. Time will be studied by sequencing events in the day and identifying minutes in an hour.

RME: We will be exploring the Hindu festival of Diwali. We will also explore religious stories about Christmas and how Christmas is celebrated throughout the world.

Science: The children will participate in a variety of S.T.E.M challenges. We will focus on choosing appropriate materials to solve design challenges.

## Literacy

Reading - This term we will explore SHORS reading comprehension strategies. We will also further develop our reading comprehension skills through our novels and Bug Club books.



Writing - This term we will be focussing on writing a description and an information report using our PM writing resource.

Talking and Listening - This term we will be focussing on active listening and using strategies to engage an audience in a presentation.

## Topic

We will be studying the Vikings next term. Our aim will be to learn about where they came from and their place in history. We will also learn about their major practices and traditions.



## Homework

Homework will be issued on a Monday through SeeSaw. Homework activities will be discussed in class. Outdoor learning will take place every Tuesday. Please make sure your child has an appropriate jacket and footwear.

How to Help Your Child- Encourage your child to:

- read a variety of texts
- identify where we use numbers in real life contexts
- discuss their learning