

## Hawthorn Class - Enriching Learning

Summer Term 2025-26

Anglo-Saxons and Vikings

### Maths Activities

- Have a go at writing some word problems themed around the Anglo-Saxons. For example, on Wednesday, the Vikings sailed 6km 300m and on Thursday they sailed 2km 550m. How far did they travel altogether?
- Compare coins from the Anglo-Saxon era with coins from today. Are there any differences or similarities? Here is a link to help you [Anglo-Saxon Coins - Tha Engliscan Gesithas \(tha-engliscan-gesithas.org.uk\)](http://Anglo-Saxon Coins - Tha Engliscan Gesithas (tha-engliscan-gesithas.org.uk))
- Using an Anglo-Saxon recipe, measure out the correct amount of ingredients to make that dish. What unit of measurement did you use?

### English Activities:

- Write an acrostic poem using the words 'Anglo-Saxons' or 'Vikings'. Can you link each letter to a fact about the Anglo-Saxons?
- Research and write 10 facts about the Anglo-Saxons. How could you present them so they are interesting?
- Learn the Anglo-Saxon Alphabet (runes). Have a go at writing some sentences or secret messages in rune for your friend to work out!
- Write a description of an Anglo-Saxon Village.
- Write a description of a Viking – draw and a label a picture to illustrate your piece of writing.
- Write a newspaper article about a key event that happened during the Anglo-Saxon era.

### Topic Activities:

- Research and explain the difference between Anglo-Saxons and Vikings.
- Research and have a go at cooking using an Anglo-Saxon recipe.
- Make an Anglo-Saxon quiz.
- Design a Viking shield, spear or sword. Can you label all of its features?
- Write a song about the Anglo-Saxons or Vikings.
- Make a Viking artefact (jewellery, sword, spear or shield) using everyday materials found at home.
- Compare your diet to that of a Viking. What did Vikings eat?
- Design and create a model of an Anglo-Saxon house. Can you label all the features on your design? What were their houses made out of?
- Plot the key events in the Anglo-Saxon era onto a timeline.

The above is a suggested list of ideas. If you would like to carry out your own project, we would be excited to see it.

Homework should be handed in every Monday, along with reading diaries.