English

This half term Year 4 will be looking at adverts and writing persuasively. This will link closely to our topic, as we will be creating adverts for the Anglo-Saxon homes we create in our D&T lessons.

Year 4 will also be looking at Kenning Poems. Using our imagination to create new vocabulary.

We will finish the half term by writing a newspaper article about the Battle of Hastings.

Maths

Year 4 will begin this half term by finishing looking at Time. We will be looking at 24 hour time and moving on to problem solving!

Later in the term, we will be looking at our number skills. Focusing on long division and the different methods we can use to do this.

Science

This half term we will be finishing off our Electricity topic. We will look at conductors and insulators of electricity as well as switches. We will be investigating how these different things effect an electrical circuit.

We will then be moving onto the topic of sound. We will investigate where sound comes from and how different animals communicate using different sounds.

Art and D&T.

Our D&T lessons this half term, will focus on finishing our Anglo Saxon Dwellings and Viking Long Houses. We will be completing these to act as our stimulus for writing.

We will then move onto creating our own medieval drawbridge. Planning, creating, testing and evaluating our own mechanisms to see if they would hold up in 1066.

This half term, Year 4 are going to be looking at the Bayeux Tapestry. We will be recreating a section of the Tapestry using our sketching and needlework skills. Learning Journey -Traders and Raiders/1066 Maltby Lilly Hall Academy - Year 4 Summer 1 2018

History and Geography

Year 4 will be finishing off looking at the Viking period, focusing on different weaponry tactics and the last Anglo Saxon Kings.

We will then move on to look at 1066 and the Battle of Hastings. We will be learning all about the Normans and looking closely at their lives. We will also be looking at the different castles the Normans built, and if any remain in Britain today.

Homework

Remember to complete a minimum of 3 of the tasks from the homework menu. You can fetch these in at any point over the next half-term and you can do more if you wish to.

You still need to complete your weekly spellings, Time Tables Rockstar and 3 reads a week.