



Class 4- Year 5/6 Curriculum Map- Cycle A

		Autumn 1- Anglo- Saxons
Reading	Word reading	NC appendix 1
	Comprehension	A range of narrative, non- narrative and poetry texts. Class novel- Beowulf.
Writing	Transcription	NC appendix 1
	Composition	Creative writing linked to topic: Kennings, myths, legends, Beowulf novel, Hengist and Hors Writing based on Beowulf eg. character descriptions, descriptions of a setting, narratives, Seamus Heaney's new translation of Beowulf.
	VGP	NC appendix 2
Speaking and Listening		Speaking parts for Harvest assembly. Class discussions on current news.
Maths		Number and place value. Addition and subtraction. Multiplication and Division. Developing arithmetic and reasoning skills within these units of work.
Science		Light Also link light unit of work to their topic. Anglo- Saxon life without electricity; building houses towards light and linking the elements to religion.
Computing		Handling information: Spreadsheet to show the breakdown of the cost for Ford Castle. Digital video: TV documentary style video about the Anglo Saxons using Imovie. Digital literacy- Game on and Talking safely online
History		Britain's settlement by Anglo- Saxons and Scots: Roman withdrawal from Britain Scots invasions from Ireland to north Britain Anglo- Saxon invasions, settlements and kingdoms Anglo-Saxon art and culture
Geography		Where Anglo-Saxons came from and where they settled Seven kingdoms of Anglo-Saxon Britain Locate counties and cities in U.K Key features such as hills, coasts, mountains and rivers.
D.T.		Design, make and evaluate a model Anglo-Saxon village. Gathering and cooking fruit and vegetables from the allotment for Harvest time.
Art & Design		Printing- study the Anglo- Saxon runes and make their own print. Sketching- Celtic patterns.
Music		Composing- using percussion instruments to compose music for an Anglo-Saxon invasion. Singing- songs for Harvest assembly.
MFL		Conversations and writing short sentences about myself eg. likes, dislikes, hobbies, interests.



P.E	Invasion games- tag rugby. Gymnastics.
R.E	Christianity with a focus on the Anglo-Saxon era. Christian conversion – Canterbury, Iona and Lindisfarne.