



St Nicholas Priory CE VA Primary School

Year 5 teachers: **Mrs. Maas and Ms Shephard**

Curriculum Information: Year 5

Autumn Term 2017

Art skills:

The children will be creating lots of exciting products during this project. They will be basing their drawings on Anglo-Saxon art, focusing on the use of different patterns used in jewellery and decorations.

Design and Technological skills:

During this project, the children will be making Christmas presents for the residents of the Fishermen's Hospital. They will be investigating the design of a variety of materials through research, making them fit for purpose and finally evaluating them against the original design idea.

Music skills:

The children will be learning to play and perform, using their voices and playing musical instruments.

Humanities skills:

We will be looking at the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England up until the time of Edward the Confessor, also how Britain was settled by the Anglo-Saxons and Scots.

Maths skills:

In maths this project will allow the children to test a variety of skills, through the design of the Christmas presents that they will be making, using measuring and estimating.

English skills:

Year 5 will be using their literacy skills to investigate stories written in the form of poetry. They will be finding out about the life of Beowulf, a famous Viking warrior! They will also be writing about a character travelling through a portal and the exciting things that they find along the way. Finally, they will be creating an explanation text, explaining how they created their amazing Christmas presents!

Our REAL project for the Autumn Term is:

Community

Our essential question is:

'What does it mean to be 'old'?'

Modern Foreign Languages:

We will be starting to learn to speak French, focusing on greetings and personal information, also learning about schools.

Social, Moral, Spiritual & Religious Understanding:

PHSE: Year 5 will be talking about what bullying means during the Autumn Term and will be starting PATHS after October half term.

RE: We will be looking at how Christians bring hope at Christmas, also answering the question of whether religion brings peace or conflict.

Understanding physical development, health & well-being:

Year 5 will be using running, jumping, throwing and catching to play competitive games. They will also be developing flexibility and strength through a range of activities.