



All Change



- **As Writers we will** look at a range of different text types from producing invitations to Viking feasts, job advertisements and wanted posters, through to letters, recounts and explanation texts on how to kill a monster! We will produce newspaper reports from key moments in Nelson Mandela's life and debate different sides of the argument.
- **As Readers we will** read stories, poems, maps and fact files which will explore what it was like during Viking and Anglo Saxon times. We will also focus on the biography of Martin Luther King and the changes he campaigned for.
- **As Mathematicians we will** look at the symmetry, translation and reflection involved in Nordic designs, focusing on describing the shape once it has moved. We will look at historical, numerical data in tables and graphs, interpreting accordingly.
- **As Scientists we will** be looking at the changes which occur when we mix and combine materials (dissolving and evaporating), considering how we can separate them once mixed. We will be grouping materials according to their properties and looking at the changes and stages involved in both human and animal life cycles.
- **As Historians we will** investigate and discover what life was really like during the Viking period, focusing on invasion, raids and settlement.
- **As Geographers we will** locate key Viking countries and look at how their settlement and battles affected land use and place names.
- **As Designers we will** create our own Nordic patterns and design and build a Viking long ship.
- **As Musicians we will** listen to a range of songs which have influenced modern day change such as 'Imagine' by John Lennon and the Band Aid song. We will then attempt to compose our own songs for change.

What can you do at home to help?

Look for everyday examples of dissolving and evaporating (e.g. making a cup of coffee or the washing drying outside on the washing line) and talk about what is happening.
Visit the library and see if you can find any books about the Vikings. The Horrible Histories book 'The Vicious Vikings' is always fun to read.

Visits:

- Jorvik Viking Centre.
- Dock Museum Barrow
- Manchester Museum of Science and Industry

Websites: BBC Bitesize – KS2 History – Vikings

www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/vikings

BBC Bitesize Science – Changing States

Values

We will be exploring and developing the values of compassion, peace, service, thankfulness, hope, justice and trust.

Global Learning

We will look at the issues of peace and conflict, power and governance. We will also focus on valuing diversity and instilling the belief that people can bring about change.

Enterprise

We will look at the changes that Comic Relief can make to world poverty issues and carry out a range of activities/games to raise money for the cause.

Learning Skills

We will improve our self-awareness and reflection skills. We will also further develop our ability to work with others and improve our own performance.

Words we will use

evaporation dissolving reversible solution mixture Scandinavian Anglo-Saxon raid settlement life cycle properties