## **English**

We are studying the poem Beowulf and beginning the fiction text viking Boy We will be looking at character descriptions, recounting in the first person and persuasion.

Please help your child learn their weekly spellings and listen to them read each night.

Remember the children can complete accelerated reading quizzes at home by going through the school website.

## <u>Maths</u>

## **Fractions**

We will be continue to develop our understanding of fractions by comparing, adding and subtracting and multiplying. We will also find fractions of amounts

# Multiplication and Division

We will be developing our understanding by looking at written methods and solving problems The adults in year 5 are: Miss Warrington (5CW) Mrs Neely (5JN)

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We are reading:

### Additional Information

Remember school starts at 8.40. Children should be ready and lined up in the bottom playground for 8.35.

PE- Children should come to school in their correct PE kit on their PE days. PE kit is a white t-shirt with a crew neck (not the polo shirt), black shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms, a plain black hoodie or jumper and black trainers.

The children should also have a black pair of pumps in school for indoor PE

PE days: 5CW - Mon and Thurs 5JN - Tues and Thurs

#### Science

In science, we will explore Forces. We will be looking at levers, pulleys and gears.

## **History**

The children will continue to develop a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of British, local and world history within our new topic about Anglo saxons.

## Design Technology

The children will be exploring, designing and making a mechanical motorised buggy. They will then evaluate their finished product.

# <u>RE</u>

We will look at why some places and journeys are important for different faiths.

## **PSHEE**

Our topic this half term is Getting along and falling out. We will look at prejudice and how we can respect each other.