Holly Class Autumn 1 Homework

Anglo-Saxons or Vikings – Who do you prefer?

Our topic this half term is why the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings settled here and what their way of life was like

The homework suggestions are just that – suggestions. Your child may discover something during research that sparks their interest and they might want to create something I haven't thought of.

Ideas:

- Design and make an Anglo-Saxon or Viking helmet and shield
- Make a model or diorama of a village or house
- Write a short story, riddle or kenning in runes
- Investigate a recipe for Anglo-Saxon or Viking food. (If you make it, you don't have to bring it in, but you could photograph it)
- Why not make an Anglo-Saxon recipe AND a Viking version, then compare them – which was easier? Tastier?
- Dress like an Anglo-Saxon (or Viking) and label a photograph or you
- Write a saga with you as the hero
- Design an illuminated letter like an Anglo-Saxon monk would have decorated an important page

There is no end to the possibilities. The homework should be something your child is interested in.

They might like to present their homework to the class. This should include:

- what the homework is and why they chose it
- how they researched or made it
- something they learned from it
- something interesting to tell the audience









