

## English

- Children will be focusing on improving their descriptive writing using similes, adjectives and expanded noun phrases.
- Children will use their descriptive language skills to write character descriptions.
- Children will explore I Was There – 1066 and discuss the wider world of the Norman Invasion.



## Maths

- Our main focus for this half term is measure, such as time and money and using these skills in problem solving.
- We will be focussing on our times tables using TT Rockstars and other computer based programmes.
- We will also look at geometry, statistics and co-ordinates.

## PE

This half term the children will be learning how to play rounders.

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR PE KIT ON MONDAY**

## 1066 Summer 1 Year 4

## MFL

- Children will learn how to talk about clothing in Spanish.

## Science

- Children will learn about electricity and how to be safe around it.
- Children will be constructing their own circuits to understand how electricity flows.

## Computing

- Children will learn how to edit photographs. This will involve rotating, cropping and applying filters.

## RE

- Ramadan and the importance of Festivals in religion.

## PSHE

- Living In The Wider World—the children will focus on managing money and budgeting.
- There will also be a focus on sustainability and how to use natural resources wisely so that there are resources for future generations.

## History

- The children will be learning about the Norman Invasion of Britain and how monarchy has changed.

## How you can help...

**Check out the ideas on the reverse of this letter!**

## HOMEWORK

This includes:

- Reading daily and completing Accelerated Reading quizzes in school
- Practice Times Tables (Times Tables Rockstars)
- Practice spellings regularly
- Project work:

Create an art piece about the Battle of Hastings—Perhaps you could recreate the Bayeux Tapestry!

Research and present facts about the period of 1066 using PowerPoint or word.

Make a model about the Battle of Hastings, using whatever materials you like!

Write a story about the life of a soldier during the battle.

## YEAR GROUP SPELLING LIST

These are the words from the year 3 and 4 Spelling List. Please take some time to practise these at home:

*particular*      *calendar*

*popular*      *position*

*possess*      *possession*

*purpose*      *potatoes*