



## Learning Project WEEK 4 – Life of an Anglo-Saxon

**Age Range: Year 4**

Weekly RE Tasks (Aim to do one per day)	Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Look at the reaction of the crowd on Palm Sunday and Good Friday. What are the major differences? Why do you think some people turned against Jesus?</li> <li>Write 'for' and 'against' statements for Pilate sentencing Jesus to death. Do you think he was right to do so?</li> <li>Imagine you are one of the soldiers who watched the crucifixion of Jesus. Write an account of the story from your perspective and include some reactions of the crowd, Mary (Mother of Jesus) and Jesus' Disciples.</li> <li>Create a list of reasons as to why Jesus had to die on the cross. What does that tell you about what God thinks about His people?</li> <li>Prepare a prayer service with your family.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read a chapter your home reading book or a book that you have borrowed from the library.</li> <li>Find a story on <a href="#">Newsround</a> and discuss what is happening in the world.</li> <li>Access the free <a href="#">book</a> resource to read a book of your choice and review the text, justifying your response with evidence from the text.</li> <li>Explore new vocabulary you find when reading. What are the origins of this word? Can it be modified? Can you find any synonyms or antonyms for your new word?</li> <li>Choose two of the <a href="#">60-second reads</a> and answer the comprehension questions.</li> </ul>
Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)	Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Log-on to <a href="#">Times Table Rockstars</a>. You can also access <a href="#">Numbots</a> with the same login.</li> <li>Practise your <a href="#">times table facts</a> by playing 'Hit the Button'.</li> <li>Complete this week's <a href="#">White Rose Maths</a> lessons.</li> <li>Find a recipe for making pancakes. Split the pancakes into different pieces. How many wholes have you got? How many individual fractions of that whole have you got?</li> <li>Develop your understanding of the Year 4 curriculum by completing the <a href="#">mini-maths</a> tasks.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write a diary entry about your daily home learning activities to be used in history one day to show what happened during this period.</li> <li>Watch the first part of the story (poem) of <a href="#">Beowulf</a>. Write a character description of Grendel.</li> <li>Create your own creature like Grendel and write your own story involving an Anglo-Saxon hero and your creature as the villain.</li> <li>Write down all the different types of punctuation you know and how/when they are used.</li> <li>Practise your weekly <a href="#">spellings</a> and choose an activity to complete.</li> </ul>

## Learning Project - to be done throughout the week

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to gain a better understanding of the life of an Anglo-Saxon.

- **Music**

Listen to the sound of the [Anglo-Saxon harp](#). Can you describe the music? What are the dynamics (loud or quiet)? Can you clap the patterns of notes?

- **Art**

Search some Google Images of Anglo-Saxon brooches and draw/paint your own.

- **Design Technology**

Create your own model of an Anglo-Saxon house.

- **Science**

Research about the different scientific discoveries made by the Anglo-Saxon, such as different remedies for illnesses.

- **History**

Have a look at the homes of Anglo-Saxons and play the labelling [game](#).

- **Geography**

Find out about the seven Anglo-Saxon kingdoms, what were they called? Label or draw your own map to show the kingdoms.

- **PHSE**

Talk about basic ways of keeping safe. This could include road safety, water safety, internet safety and being safe around the home. Make a list of 3 ways to keep safe for each category.

## Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

Year 4 [Classroom secrets learning](#) pack - Home learning pack with activities and practical ideas.

Year 4 [Twinkl home learning](#) pack – Maths, English and Science activity packs.

One [worksheet](#) per day – A Year 4 worksheet that covers Maths and English skills: grammar and punctuation, spelling, arithmetic and reasoning.

Daily lessons are now being provided by [BBC Bitesize](#).

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