## Invasion! Phoenix Class Autumn Terms 1 and 2 2023



In the Invasion project, your child will explore the effects of the Roman withdrawal and the chronology and geography of subsequent invasions. They will study the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings in detail, examining their reasons for invading, their settlements and their everyday life. Your child will also look at monasteries and the Anglo-Saxon legacy. They will consider how we know about life in this period and investigate the Sutton Hoo ship burial. They will learn about Athelstan, an Anglo-Saxon king, and what happened

after his death, before ending the project by learning about the Norman invasion of 1066.

History	Roman withdrawal from Britain; Chronology of invasion; Anglo-Saxon			
	invasion; Anglo-Saxon kingdoms, beliefs and customs; Religion; Everyday			
	life in Anglo-Saxon Britain; Viking invasion; Everyday life in Viking			
	Britain; Significant people - King Athelstan; Norman invasion; Legacy			
English	Anglo-Saxon poetry; Playscripts; Norse myths; Non-chronological reports			
Maths	Place value; addition and subtraction; multiplication and division;			
	geometry; measures incl time; data handling; fractions, decimals and			
	percentages			
Geography	Geographical sources; Interconnected world			
Art/DT	Warp and Weft, Fresh food,			
Science	The digestive system; Sound			
PE	Football and hockey			
PSHCE	Being me in my world			
Computing	Branching databases, data logging			
MFL	French; greetings, colours, parts of the body			
Music	Rhythm and pulse, pitch			
R.E	What do Christians learn from the creation story? What is it like to follow			
	God?			

## Supporting your child at home:

- Help your child practice their times tables regularly.
- Support them to complete set homework on time.
- Use the reading prompts sent home with this letter to encourage comprehension skills.