

13 October 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Educational Activity for Year 4

I am writing to let you know about a planned activity for Year 4. In order to support the current learning challenge "Would you rather be a vicious Viking or a naughty Norman, we have arranged 2 virtual workshops with the Jorvik Viking Centre. We will be working with experts in their field, historians and archaeologists, who will explore this amazing period of British history.

Vikings – Settlers and Traders - Thursday 22 October at 10.00 am

During this workshop we will be meeting a friendly settler from the 10th Century city of Jorvik. We will be discovering more about how Vikings made their living, kept a home and made the items they used to trade with distant lands. Children will have the chance to ask questions and deepen their understanding of how the Vikings lived, compared to other civilisations.

Vikings – A virtual DIG! - Thursday 5 November 2020 at 10.00 am

Year 4 will take part in a virtual archaeological dig and with the help of the experts they will discover why the Vikings came to Britain and who they really were. We will analyse and discuss the fascinating archaeological finds of the 10th Century.

We are asking if you can contribute £3.50 to cover the total cost of both workshops. Please pay via ParentPay no later than Thursday 5 November 2020.

Kind regards

Mrs Howard/Miss McClarnon/Miss Hartley