

## Weekly Learning Reflections



**Week Beginning:** 27 January 2025

Another fantastic week completed in Victory class culminating in our visit to The Sustainability Centre for their Anglo-Saxon experience. The children have been fantastic learners all week, especially impressing me in French and Science and have all shown great attributes this week.

This week, we were delivered a letter from Ollivander asking us to design a new wand for him and write a letter detailing its qualities. Our English took on the focus of exploring persuasive letters whilst in Maths we explored expanded column method to accurately multiply larger numbers.

Our main focus has to be today's events though. The journey started with the children in high spirits, eagerly looking forward to wait awaited them. Upon arrival, we were greeted by an Anglo-Saxon who proceeded to show us various artefacts and items from the Anglo-Saxon period. The children shared their knowledge from their learning in school and were very impressed at the array of weapons on offer.

Following this, the children spent the afternoon practising skills they would have needed in Anglo-Saxon times. One group began with exploring pottery, becoming archaeologists to work out which pieces went together and how many items they made. They then had a go at creating their own design for an Anglo-Saxon pot.

Meanwhile, the other group were focusing on protecting their land and animals. They explored fences created from willow before working as a group to make their own examples. The care and precision taken was great to see and all the children worked extremely well together.

It was an excellent day and I hope all of the children enjoyed it thoroughly and learnt something new from the experience.

★ ★ ★ **STARS OF THE WEEK** ★ ★ ★

**Pupil Star of the Week - ★ Eliza ★**

Eliza was the children's choice for Class Star this week. Eliza has been a good friend to others this week, helping them when they are struggling and has co-operated well with anyone in the class. She sets a good example which the rest of the class follow and they are right to recognise this as their chosen star. Well done Eliza, an excellent week from you!

**Teacher Star of the Week - ★ Chase ★**

My Star of the Week this week is Chase! This week Chase has challenged himself to be the best he can and has worked hard to improve in each lesson. Showing an eagerness to ask and answer questions, Chase has taken pride in his learning and has had a great week. Well done Chase, you've had a fantastic week!



I hope you all have a lovely weekend,  
Mr Castell