Thornton Watlass - Juniors - Creative Homework
Autumn 1, 2026-2027

Each activity is worth points. Choose which ones to complete and try to earn at least 15 points before half-term.

 Draw a map of the seven largest kingdoms of Britain during the Anglo-Saxon times. Make sure you label it. 3 points	Use information books and online sources to find out key events during the Anglo-Saxon period and the Viking Age in Britain. Record the key events in a table in chronological order. 3 points	Many places in England have Anglo-Saxon names, can you find out some and what they mean? 3 points
Use information books and online sources to help you answer the following enquiry questions. Who were the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings? Why did they come to Britain? What was the Anglo-Saxon period in Britain? What was the Viking Age in Britain? 4 points	Find out about Sutton Hoo. Can you tell me what was found there and why it is important?  4 points	Watch animated versions of various Viking myths and legends on the KS2 Viking Sagas webpage on the BBC Teach website. Can you write a short paragraph explaining which is your favourite and why? 4 points
Use a range of sources to find out about the Anglo-Saxon and Viking way of life. Record your findings under headings of your choice on two mind maps – one for the Anglo-Saxons and one for the Vikings. Example headings could include food, homes, art, beliefs, law and warfare. 5 points	 Research Alfred the Great. You could write a character profile, fact file, poem or digital presentation. 5 Points	Research and choose two artefacts that interest you. Record your observations and findings in a table. Include a drawing or printed copy of each artefact, whether it is Anglo-Saxon or Viking, a description of the artefact, and interesting information about the artefact, such as materials or uses. 5 points

Any research/ fact files could be completed as PowerPoints or Word documents. You can email these to admin@stw.n-yorks.sch.uk