

The Romans Are Coming!

Year 3 Spring 1 2018 Newsletter

English

Year 3 will be learning about the story of Romulus and Remus, writing information leaflets about Celtic roundhouses and the Roman Army and designing a poster to advertise Iron Age jobs. We will also be writing play scripts about Boudica's rebellion and re-creating her rallying cry.

Understanding of the World

In Geography we will be locating countries in Europe in relation to the Roman Empire.

In History Year 3 will be learning about life in Britain before the Romans and how the arrival of the Roman Army affected tribal life.

We will also be looking at Roman engineering and carrying out scientific tests.

Expressive Art & Design

We will be designing Roman shields and mosaics. We will also be building chariots and having a go at racing them.

Year 3 will be creating a clay Roman bust and drawing portraits of Boudica.

In Music we will be learning and performing the song "Just Like a Roman".



Don't Forget...

Homework will be set on a Friday to be returned by the following Thursday.

Please help your child with their learning by listening to them read. If your child reads 3 times a week they will win a golden ticket and reading every night will win them 2.

Please also encourage them to practise their spellings and times tables.

Maths

This term we will be focusing on multiplication and division skills, solving problems involving money and missing problems.

We will also be learning how to use Roman Numerals.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development and R.E.

Year 3 will be thinking about their aspirations and setting personal goals for the new year.

In RE we will be finding about significant figures in the Hindu religion.

Physical Development

We will be creating dance sequences relating to the Roman Army and Roman customs and past-times.

We will also be evaluating our own performances and describing how we would improve them.

Please remember your child's P.E. kit.