

Dear Year 4, Parents & Carers,

Here is our enquiry question for this half term. Please use these ideas to help your research or bring things into class to support your learning.

Have Fun!

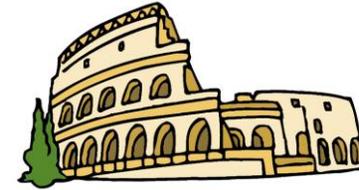
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GREENFIELDS
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



Lower Key Stage 2 ~ Summer I
CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

**Why were the Romans so powerful
and what did we learn from them?**



As READERS we will:

- Read 'Escape from Pompeii' by Christina Balit
- Ask questions to improve our understanding of the text
- Infer characters thoughts and feelings
- Make predictions
- Read information texts about the Romans

As COMPUTER TECHNICIANS we will:

- Produce a Wiki Page about Mount Vesuvius

As MATHEMATICIANS we will:

- Learn to read and write Roman Numerals to 100
- Order dates on a timeline using centuries
- Measure distances in Athletics and convert these

As HISTORIANS we will:

- Plot the Romans on a timeline in relation to other historical periods
- Compare the lives of wealthy and poor people in Roman Britain
- Examine artefacts from Roman times to help us find out how people lived
- Research and compare the Celtic and Roman versions of the invasion

As AUTHORS we will:

- Write a story based on 'Escape from Pompeii'
- Write a setting description
- Write a balanced argument based on Roman events
- Write a recount of our Roman Army Training Day

As MUSICIANS we will:

- Identify the character of a different pieces of Music
- Learn the 'Boudicca' song from Horrible Histories

As SCIENTISTS we will:

- Learn about how sounds are made
- Explain the difference between high and low sounds, and loud and soft sounds

As GEOGRAPHERS we will:

- Explain why the Romans chose to settle in particular areas in Italy and Britain

As ARTISTS and DESIGNERS we will:

- Use clay to make Roman jewellery and artefacts
- Produce portraits of influential Roman people
- Learn how to be both hygienic and safe and relate this to the Roman Baths
- Design, make and evaluate a Roman artefact

A QUICK REMINDER!

PE kit (Cricket and Athletics)

Please remember full PE kits need to be in school every day, as PE days can sometimes change. Children should have both indoor and outdoor kit.

Water Bottles

Children should bring water bottles every day.

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