

Dear Year 3 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.

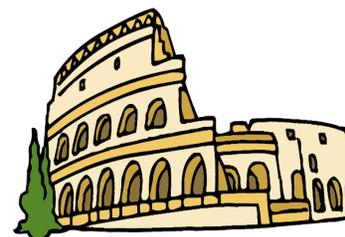
Have fun!
Miss Taylor and Miss Cheel.

Greenfields
Community Primary School,
Nursery & Pre-School



Lower Key Stage 2 ~ Autumn 2
CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

What if the Romans had never invaded Britain?



As READERS we will:

- Read "The Thieves of Ostia" by Caroline Lawrence
- Ask questions to improve our understanding of the text
- Infer characters thoughts and feelings
- Make predictions
- Read information texts about the Romans

As MATHEMATICIANS we will:

- Learn to read and write Roman Numerals to 100
- Order dates on a timeline using centuries
- Look at the timeline of invasion and how long it took
- Look at Roman board games and how they were linked to maths

As HISTORIANS we will:

- Plot the Romans on a timeline in relation to other historical periods
- Examine artefacts from Roman times to help us find out how people lived
- Research and compare the Celtic and Roman versions of the invasion
- Write the story of Boudicca and see how she lived.
- Visit Segedunum to find out about life in the Roman fort.

As AUTHORS we will:

- Write a story based on 'The Thieves of Ostia'
- Write a setting description
- Write the story of Boudicca and see how she lived.
- Write a recount of our trip
- Write diary entries as if we were soldiers.

As MUSICIANS we will:

- Identify the character of a different pieces of Music
- Learn the meaning of pitch, tempo and dynamics.

As SCIENTISTS we will:

- Learn about how light travels
- Explain reflection
- Look at how shadows are formed
- Explore shadow lengths through investigation

As GEOGRAPHERS we will:

- Explain why the Romans chose to settle in particular in Britain

As ARTISTS and DESIGNERS we will:

- Design our own Roman shield and use it to make a mock invasion.
- Produce portraits similar to those produced in Roman times.
- Look at the meaning and purpose of Roman mosaics and create our own.

A QUICK REMINDER!

PE kit (Cricket and Athletics)

Please remember full PE kit needs 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 a water bottle every day