

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



Year 4~ Autumn II  
CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

## What if the Romans had never invaded Britain?



### As READERS we will:

- Read a story that is set in Pompeii during the period of The Roman Empire.
- Read non-fiction texts to find information about the Romans.

### As AUTHORS we will:

- In role, write diary entries and letters.
- Use appropriate historical terms in our writing.
- Describe settings.
- Create newspaper reports.

### As COMPUTER TECHNICIANS we will:

- Create games with Kodu, programming characters and designing 3D worlds to make exciting collecting and racing games.

### As HISTORIANS we will:

- Plot recent history on a timeline using centuries.
- Find out how the lives of wealthy people in the past were very different from poor people.
- Explain how items from the past help us to build up a picture of the people lived in the past.
- Explain how the Romans have helped shape our lives today.
- Research two versions of the same event in history and give reasons why they are different.

### As ARTISTS we will:

- Use marks and lines to show different tones and textures within historical artefacts.
- Show facial expressions and body language in drawings and paintings of Romans.

### As MUSICIANS we will:

- Sing songs with accurate pitch
- Perform a simple part rhythmically.

### As SCIENTISTS we will:

- We will be attending Forest School
- Participating in the POLLI:NATION project.
- Designing bug hotels.
- Planning the planting of plants that will attract pollinating insects.

### As CITIZENS we will:

- Participating in discussions and activities about 'Getting on and Falling out.'
- Finding information and advice about Anti-Bullying.