

Learning Experience – Emperors and Empires

In our lesson on ancient Rome, we cover its founding in 753 BC, evolution into an empire, and everyday life, including social hierarchy and the Roman army. We explore significant events like the Roman invasion of Britain and the rebellion led by Boudicca, as well as the process of Romanization in Britain. We also discuss the lasting legacy of Rome, seen in its architecture, language, and legal systems, despite the eventual Roman withdrawal from Britain in the 5th century AD.

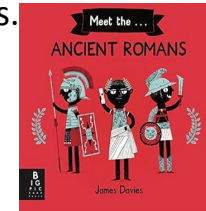
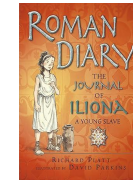


English – Meet The Ancient Romans

In our English lessons we are learning about The Romans through a fictional and historical explanation text .

Roman Diary, the journal of Iliona is a fictional diary about a Greek girl who arrives in Rome as a slave. The children will write diary entry to reflect the thoughts and feelings of a young slave.

Meet The Ancient Romans. The children will become experts in their field: Life in the army, Roman family life, homes in ancient Rome, food and farming, impressive inventions. We will have a debate about whether we would want to live in Roman times. We will be writing non-chronological reports about the Romans.



French

This term we will be learning about ice cream flavours and how to ask for them. By the end of the unit pupils will have the knowledge and skills to take part in a role-play activity where they will order a cone or pot of ice-cream in the flavour(s) of their choice, specifying how many scoops of each they would like.



Mathematics

Time: In this unit, children will begin with an introduction to Roman numerals, and afterwards will recap their understanding of time from Year 2. They will develop a deeper understanding of the length of a year, a month, a day, an hour, a minute and a second, and will use this to solve problems involving reading and measuring time.

Angles: What is a right angle? Understand and draw parallel lines. Learning about properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

Statistics: Present information using pictograms, bar charts and tables. Answer questions based on information that is presented in different ways.



Physical Education

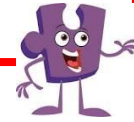
Our units this term are OAA (Outdoor Adventure Activities) and Striking and Fielding.

In OAA, children will have the opportunity to solve problems either as individuals or as teams in different challenges and explore skills such as inclusion and trust.

In striking and Fielding, children will learn how to field and bowl and learn the basic rules of rounders and how to score runs, as well as develop an idea of tactics.

PSHE – Changing Me

The changes that happen from birth (animals and humans) • How babies grow and what they need • How boys' and girls' bodies change on the outside and inside as we grow • Why change is necessary as we grow older • Family stereotypes • The things I am looking forward to.



Music

In this unit children will explore performing songs for different audiences and in different styles. They will practise songs and instrumental skills to build performances that can be recorded and shared.

Computing

Learners start by moving a sprite and for directions and then navigate to maze with a suitably sized sprite they explore pen blocks to draw lines and adjust their size and colour. The unit ends with learners designing and coding a custom maze tracing program.

Religious Education

This term in RE we are looking at religious and non-religious worldviews. Our key question is: does it matter if a story is true or not?

We will be focussing on deeper truths, perception and evidence and exploring proverbs and sayings including non religious ones.

Science - Light and Shadow

In this project, children will learn about light and dark. They investigate the phenomena of reflections and shadows, looking for patterns in collected data. The risks associated with the Sun are also explored.

Art - Mosaic Masters

This project teaches children about the history of mosaics, before focusing on the colours, patterns and themes found in Roman mosaic. The children learn techniques to help them design and make a mosaic border tile.

DT - Greenhouse

Children will learn about greenhouses and design an effective one for DT this term.

Recommended Reading for Term 3

Please note that it is not expected you purchase these books. Listen to the books being read on YouTube, loan from your local library or read any books that are similar or linked to what we're learning.

