

Art

We are looking at 'Recycled Artwork' this half term and using only recycled materials, we will be making a beautiful piece of art with a powerful message behind it.



Computing



As well as regularly using the ipads, we will be using laptops to access the coding program Scratch to make loops and even design our own game!

R.E

We will be looking at Christianity and finding out why Jesus is inspiring to some people.

Science

The children will be learning about electricity. We will look at how to keep ourselves safe when using electricity, how to make a simple circuit, identify when a circuit is not complete and determine whether materials are conductors or insulators.



History

We will be finding out all about the Roman civilisation and all about the Roman Empire, the Roman army and their way of life.



PSHE and Wellbeing

Our topic in PSHE will be Hopes and Dreams where we will look at positive thinking and how to cope with disappointment. We will focus on wellbeing and look at different strategies that will help us deal with difficult feelings.



Romans on the Rampage

Year 4 Spring 1



English

We will be enjoying Escape from Pompeii written by Christina Balit and writing a narrative in first person based on this inspiring text. We will also read 'The Girl Who Stole an Elephant' written by Nizrana Farook during our reading lessons.

The children will be given spellings each week to practice at school and at home. We will also send the children home with a reading book each week.

Maths

We are learning how to multiply and divide in a variety of ways; including tens, hundreds, 2-digit and 3-digit numbers. We will look at different methods of multiplication and division so we can decide which method suits us individually. We will also be looking at area and perimeter of shape.

We will be revisiting our multiplication facts by using Times Tables Rock Stars, which you can log in to at home as well.



P.E - Our P.E sessions will be on Thursdays. Please ensure your child comes to school dressed in plain dark coloured joggers/ leggings, a plain white t-shirt/ polo-shirt, school jumper/ cardigan and trainers. This half term the children will be taking part in Athletics.

