

Maths

This term we will finish our unit on capacity and volume. During our fractions, unit we will be learn how to add and subtract fractions.

Towards the end of term 5 we will be looking at time.

In term 6 we will focus on shape and statistics. Throughout the term we will also be consolidating our knowledge of the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division)

Year 3 Topic Plan Summer 2024 Emperors and Empires

PSHE

In term 5 we will be focusing on 'Being my Best'. In term 6 we will be looking at growing and changing.

English

Reading: Our key text in reading skills this term Julius Zebra, Rumble with the Romans by Gary Northfield. We will focus on developing the children's key reading skills. These include **Vocabulary, Inference, Prediction, Explanation, Retrieve, Sequence/ summarise.**

Writing: Our vehicle text in writing is 'The Romans, Gods, Emperors and Dormice' by Marica Williams.

Key genres:

- Narratives; speech, myths
- Fact file: Life in the Roman Times
- Poetry: rhyming couplets
- Biography: Roman emperor
- Persuasive letter



Topic

Our topic lessons this term will focus on History. We will be exploring the founding and growth of the Roman Empire. We will also explore the impact on that the Roman Empire had on life in Britain. The topic will finish by comparing human features in Italy and England.

Music

This term we will learn how to play the recorder.

Computing

We will begin our term by revisiting how to stay safe online.

Our key topics will be learning how to create a PowerPoint and exploring simulations and graphing.

Art and Design technology

In term 5 our topic will be called 'Beautiful Botanicals'. We will be exploring botanical art and artist and explore printmaking.

In Term 6 we will explore the design of green houses and make our own mini greenhouse .

RE

Our key question for term 5 is 'Why are festivals important to religious communities?'

In term 6 we will be exploring the question; 'What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?'

Science

Our topic this term is **plant nutrition and reproduction.** This project teaches children what a plant needs to stay alive. They will also learn about the function of each part of a flowering plant. The children will then explore how pollination occurs.

In term 6 our main topic with be Light and shadows. Alongside our topic we will develop the children's working scientifically skills. These include identifying and classifying, observing changes overtime, comparative test, pattern seeking, research.

PE

During term 5 and 6 the children will be developing their swimming skills. Alongside this in term 5 we will be developing our cricket skills and in term 6 we will be developing our athletics skills.

French

This term we will recap our learning from the previous term 'All about me'. We will then focus on learning body parts.