

Year 4 Autumn 1

English

This term children will be studying the text, Charlotte's Web. They will use this text as a stimulus for writing in their writing sessions. They will create a diary in role of one of the main characters, as well as write a non-chronological report based on what has happened. We will be focusing on our joined up handwriting and using our spelling resources.

Science

During the first half term, children will be learning all about the journey of food and what happens to it when it enters our body, starting with the very first bite!

French

In the first part of the term, children will be learning a variety of French greetings and build on their knowledge of numbers.

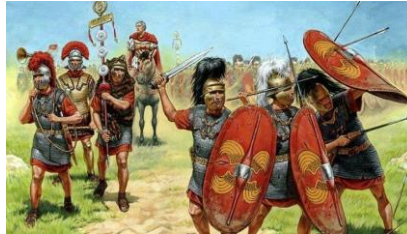
History

Throughout the Autumn term, we will be studying The Romans and their invasion of Britain. We will learn about who they were and why they decided to invade our shore, as well as what Britain did to combat their threat.

PSHE

In Year 4, PSHE will be based around the wider world. Children will develop more of an understanding of the world around them, including rules and laws, rights and money.

This half term our driving question is:
How did the Romans invade Britain and how successful were they?



Physical Education

This term in PE, we will be developing our fitness levels and building on our knowledge and skills in striking and fielding games

Art and Design technology

At the beginning of the school year, children will be studying the work of Picasso and his work on Cubism. From there, children will then create self-portraits in his famous style. We will develop our use of shading techniques, moving on to painting using a variety of strokes and techniques.

Mathematics Mastery

This half term, the children are going to consolidate and build on their knowledge of the 4 operations and develop fluency across a range of strategies. Children will be consolidating their knowledge of place value, ensuring that we can read and write numbers up to one hundred thousand. We will apply our knowledge to word problems and reasoning tasks.

Computing

This half term, children are going to be using Scratch software and develop their own online programmes. They will use the skills they acquire and design their own toys.

Additional Experiences

We have planned to have a Roman day this half term, where children can come into school in Roman style clothing and have a memorable day as a Roman.