

English

We will be using the text 'Boudica's Army: I was there' by Hilary McKay as our inspiration to create a biography of Boudica.

We will also be looking at Roman myths and creating our own.

History

We will be looking at:

- How the Roman Empire expanded and why they chose to invade Britain
- The Celts vs the Romans. What happened between these two very different civilisations?
- Roads, walls and inventions!
- What role Dorset played for the Romans in Britain.

Geography

We will be focussing on Italy and the region around Rome.

French

We will be learning vocabulary to introduce our family.

P.E.

Orienteering, Dodgeball and Dance.

Maths - This half term we will be working on length and perimeter:

- measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml)
- measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes

We will also start looking at fractions:

- count up and down in tenths
- recognise, find and write fractions of a discrete set of objects: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators

WHAT LEGACY DID THE ROMANS LEAVE BEHIND?

This half terms topic is the Romans! We will be looking at how their empire expanded and what made them a successful civilisation. We will explore their inventions and how they have helped to shape Britain in ways we still recognise today.

The Romans



Computing

We will be following the Purple Mash scheme on coding, looking at algorithms, events and actions and commands.

R.E.

Christianity (Salvation) - Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?

Art

We will be looking at the impressive mosaics that the Romans created and the colours that they used and how this inspired later artists such as Gaudi.

Design and Technology

We will be creating our own Roman Shields!