

## ENGLISH

We will be creating our own marching chants before learning about and inventing our own Roman myths. After this we will focus on persuasive speeches and letter writing linked to Queen Boudicca of the Iceni tribe of Celts.

## PE

This half term it is still 3S's turn to go swimming every Tuesday morning with Miss Grundy.

3T will be doing PE with Mr Collins on Tuesday and this term the focus will be on Outdoor Games. Both classes will be doing PE as normal on Thursday afternoons and our focus this half term will be on Orienteering.

## MATHS

This half term we will continue practising measuring and shall be learning to tell the time.

We will also be focusing on knowledge and understanding of fractions, linking them to multiplication and different problem-solving investigations.

## HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY/SCIENCE/ICT

In History, we will be studying what life was like in Roman occupied Britain 2000 years ago. We will specifically be focussing on what the Romans brought to Britain and how this changed the world we know today.

In Geography, we shall learn a little about the Roman conquest of Europe however we shall mainly focus on the Geography of Britain.

In Science, we will be learning about human bodies including the role of our skeleton for movement and how to keep our bodies healthy.

Our ICT focus is 'we are presenters'- focussing on videoing performances.

# I am Warrior

(life in Roman Britain)

## TRIPS/EVENTS

Easter Service– 4th April

Year 3 and 4 production– 10th and 11th April

School closes for Easter– 12th April

## RE

We will be learning about the Easter story and why Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'.

## ART/DESIGN/MUSIC

Year 3 will be learning to play the recorder with Mrs Thompson

Both classes will be creating Roman mosaics, making their own pottery, designing buildings and bridges based upon Roman architecture and cooking Roman food.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to Year 3! I am delighted to have your child in my class this year. I am looking forward to a very successful year and know you are too. I want to take this opportunity to introduce myself and express my excitement about working with your child this year. I am excited about teaching year 3 because this is the time when children are filled with curiosity and wonder regarding how the world works. I believe students grow and develop by encouraging their natural curiosity about the world.

During the first two weeks of school we will be spending the majority of our time getting to know one another and becoming comfortable with various classroom routines. One of our main goals is to help students become independent workers and thinkers.

I have high academic expectations for your child and I will do all that I can to help your child achieve those expectations. Because you are an integral part of your child's education, I feel home school communication is of vital importance. I hope to talk with the parents and/or guardians of each of my students in the coming weeks. Please don't hesitate to contact me. If you have any questions or concerns, I can be reached through the main office at school, via the school email. If you would like to talk in person, I am always available to schedule appointments after school.

Each half term I will be sending a newsletter telling you of some of the activities we will be doing in the upcoming weeks. Do ask your children about the things they will be learning and engaging in. I will also highlight some of our future visits, events and services in these newsletters.

Sincerely,  
Mr Collins

Year 3 Class Teacher