

Science

In science, the children will learn about different types of forces and find out about magnets and their properties.

Key Vocabulary

Force, push, pull, twist, magnetic force, magnet, attract, repel, metal, iron, steel, poles, north pole, south pole

PE

This term the children in Y3/4 will be developing their dance skills. They will know how to perform rhythmic movements and practise these so they can perform them as part of a sequence. In addition to this, children will be working on indoor athletics techniques.

RE

This term, the children will explore the topic of believing in relation to Islam and Christianity.

Art

The children will learn about and develop the painting techniques of Quentin Blake

Physical, Social, Emotional Health and Well Being

Our topic is called 'Celebrating Difference.'

This includes lessons on Similarity & Difference, Bullying, Stereotyping, Racism, Discrimination and Celebrating Differences and Individuality.

What we are learning:

The topic is called, 'Remember, Remember' and is based around the history of the Roman Empire. The children will enquire in to the question 'What did the Romans ever do for us?'

The children will develop their knowledge and understanding of chronology, use evidence to build up a picture of past events and identify reasons for and results of people's actions.

Key Vocabulary

Invade, settlement, army, Romans, shield, conquer, conquest, Celts, Empire, Gladiator, rebels, Julius Caesar

Key Skills - English

In English, your child will be reading the text *Discover...The Roman Empire*. During this time, the children will be developing a range of reading and writing skills. They will have the opportunity to write a first-person diary and a newspaper report.

Your child will develop their comprehension skills and be able to discuss and answer a range of questions in relation to their text.

Home Learning Opportunities:

Home reading is essential to developing your child's reading. Please encourage your child to take part in the 10 minutes a day reading challenge.

In addition, if you could practise any tables and division facts with your child this will really help them as these facts form an important part of the maths curriculum. If you need a reminder of how to access TT Rockstars then please speak to your child's teacher.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Music

In Music, the children will listen to and appraise a range of genres of music as well as continue to learn to play the Ukulele with our specialist music teacher, Miss Reed.

Our weekly singing assembly provides a great opportunity for group singing.

French

Your child will listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding.

They will begin to learn how to speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures.

Remember, Remember

Lower Key Stage 2

