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Classroom News

Avondale
Primary School

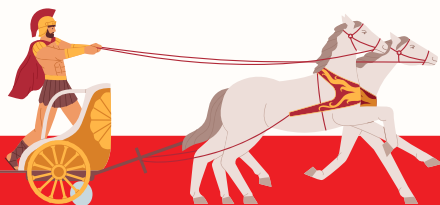


Summer 1

We hope that you have had a lovely half term. We cannot believe that we are in the final term! The time seems to have flown by and we have loved working with you all. This term our theme is "Get Your Armour On!" which will see us learning about the Roman era.

Dates for your Diary

- Friday 25th April – PTFA Chocolate Fine Day – non-uniform
- Friday 25th April – Spring Term Report Cards sent home
- Friday 25th April – PTFA Easter Chocolate Bingo – Doors open at 6.30pm
- Friday 2nd May – Whole School VE 80th Anniversary Celebration
- Monday 5th May – School Closed for Bank Holiday
- Monday 19th May – KS1/KS 2 Parental Drop-In Session 3:30pm–4:30pm
- Friday 23rd May – School closes for half term 3:15pm



Friendly Reminders

- PE days are Mondays and Thursdays.
- Please ensure earrings are taken out or securely covered.
- Homework and spellings will be put on the blog on a Friday.
- Homework needs to be completed by the following Thursday.
- The children will be tested on their spellings on a Friday. Please continue to learn spellings at home and be regularly using spelling shed.
- A gentle reminder that your child's class water bottle should only contain water and that trainers should only be worn for PE.
- Please continue to work on your times tables at home.
- Our class novel this term is 'Romans on the Rampage' by Jeremy Strong.

What we are studying

Maths

During Maths, we will continue to look at measures. This will include mass (kg/g) & volume/capacity (l/ml). We will then look to further develop our fraction knowledge by understanding fractions of amounts and how to add and subtract fractions.

A lot of the skills we will learn this term can relate to real life experience, so if you are baking or shopping please talk to your children about money and measuring so they can see and understand how their learning relates to real life experiences.

English

Through our English lessons, we will be learning all about the features of myths and will create our own Roman themed myth.

Within grammar we will continue to look at homophones, coordinating and subordinating conjunctions, speech and fronted adverbials.

We will also explore poems with a Roman theme.

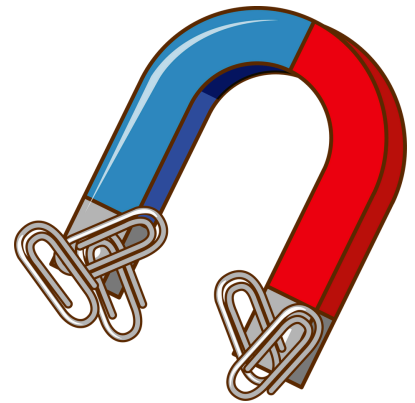
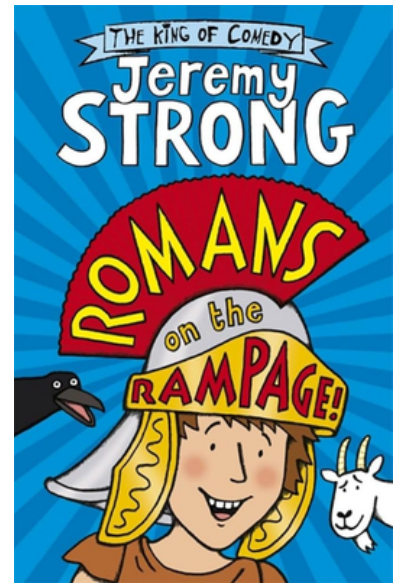
History

Our main focus this term will be History. We will be learning about the Romans and their settlement in Britain, and the impact it had on British life.

Science

During our Science lessons, we will introduce the children to force and magnets.

We will predict, compare and observe different situations using magnets.



Other areas

In Computing, we will use coding to do a variety of task including drawing shapes, making objects move and make things happen in a sequence.

In Art, we will be learning about the artist Quentin Blake. We will looking and learning how to sketch in the style of Blake and planning and creating our own Roman mosaics.

In PE, we will be focusing on playing cricket and golf. 3L will have P.E with Blackburn Rovers on a Monday.

In PSHE, we will be looking at relationships and in R.E we will be learning about the different rules different religions around the world follow.