

History We will learn about Boudicca and how she tried to overpower the Romans. We will learn about the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain bringing roads, under floor heating, Hadrian's wall, the power of its army and different foods it brought. We will have a Roman day in school. Date to be selected.

Geography We will continue to learn compass points as well as longitude, latitude and the different hemispheres.

Science – Electricity Know what needs electricity and be able to spot some safety requirements. Know how to make a basic circuit and what materials conducts and what insulates, while being able to identify why a circuit might not light. Knowing how a switch works in a circuit.

Forces and magnets To compare how things move on different surfaces and notice that some forces need contact between 2 objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance. To observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract some materials and not others. Know the poles of a magnet.

Rocks compare and group together different kinds of rocks on the basis of their appearance and simple physical properties. Then describe how fossils are formed when things that have lived are trapped within rock. Also recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.

Computing Creating media – Desktop publishing. We will be using search technologies effectively to appreciate how results are selected and ranked. To learn how some simple algorithms work.

Art/DT We will be designing an item of clothing that would have been worn by a Roman child, and producing a fabric sample. Using a range of techniques to produce a replica Roman coin.



RE We will learn about the Christian Pentecost and when Jesus left what was the impact. We will learn about the Holy Spirit using Christian Bible passages and relate this to modern day beliefs.

RSHE Year 4 Will learn about our bodies and how they change as we develop from an egg into an old person.

Year 3 will learn how to keep the body clean and that we are all unique.

Modern Foreign Language: We will learn about the weather and about time.

Maths

Year 4- We will continue to build on our times table focus learning the answers off by heart ready for the Year 4 multiplication checker in June. We are learning to add in decimals, money and position of direction. We are also learning about fractions.

Year 3 We will build on our mental maths skills including times tables. We will continue to learn about mass and how to weigh using different scales and measurements. We will learn about money and statistics- how to make and read pictograms and bar graphs.

English We will continue to work on joining our handwriting. We will be learning how to write a diary, based on 'The Journal of Ilona – young slave' by Richard Platt.

Reading We will study and read a range of texts

SPAG Year 3 to use inverted commas I speech

Year 4 To use noun phrases, identifying and writing them.

PE We will learn a country and Maypole dance to perform at this year's Maypole celebration in May. We will improve our athletic skill of running, jumping and throwing for Sports day. We will improve our through and catching skills to play rounders. We will make up our own gymnastic routines thinking about balance and working in pairs or 3's.

Music Our music focus for this term is to create music inspired by one of the first ever motion pictures showing the movement of a horse, composing to a moving image, graphic score, orchestration, ostinatos, dynamics.



Oak Home Learning Menu Terms 5 and 6

Please complete the tasks on the top row each.

You may choose to do any of the activities in the bottom row.

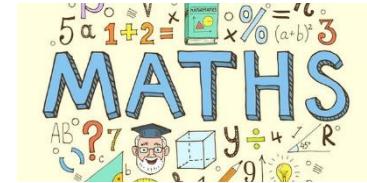


Please read your book for 5-10 minutes daily
(3 days decoding and 2 days comprehension skills)

Write in your yellow book about books that you liked or anything that you would change about the book you have read.



Complete any spelling practice games on Spelling Shed and learn to read and write the Year 3/4 words.



Practice your times tables facts on Maths Shed or any method of your choosing.

Some online links are suggested below:

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/category/7/multiplication-and-division>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/times-tables>



Look at different coins you have in your home. What do you notice about them? Is there writing or pictures? Draw the most interesting ones.



Find out what a child in Roman times would have worn, draw yourself as a Roman child.



Look around your home and list things that use need electricity. How many things can you find?