

## Year 4 Parent Planner - Summer 2025 - Ancient Rome



### AREAS OF LEARNING

As **Readers** we will explore a range of text types, developing a deeper understanding and learning skills needed to deduce information using clues within the text. We will also make justified predictions and develop our questioning skills. Our class text for Term 5 is 'Revolt against the Romans' by Tony Bradman

As **Writers** we will identify key features of text types and apply them within our own writing. The key text types that we will focus on include descriptive writing, information texts, and news reports.

As **Mathematicians** we will finish our topic on coordinates. We will dive deep into fractions, looking at the value of fractions and comparing, as well as adding and subtracting fractions up to 1.

As **Scientists** we will continue to develop out science skills through investigations. We will study the water cycle, making prior links to our knowledge of the states of matter, and investigate ways to keep our water sources clear of pollution.

As **Historians** we will be learning about the Ancient Romans in term 5. We will learn about their culture, daily life and impact on modern day. We will discuss significant people and events, leading into the invasion of Britain.

As **Geographers** we will develop our knowledge of where the Romans ruled. We will explore the physical landmarks of ancient Rome and the climate of the area. We will develop our Atlas and map reading skills.

As **Artists** we will be making thumb pots, considering Grayson Perry's style and how best we can decorate our pots.

As **Musicians** we will learn how to play the recorder. We will also learn how to follow a beat, read musical symbols and compose our own body percussion pieces.

As **Sportspeople** we will develop our knowledge and skills in Athletics ready for Sports Day! We will also develop our cricket skills.

As **Computer Scientists** we will be focussing on photo editing, it's uses and the consequences of fake images.

The key question we will investigate in RE is: What do Christians mean when they talk about the Kingdom of God? as we focus on Christianity.