

This term our class is completing work on ....
<p><b>LITERACY</b></p> <p>This term we will be looking at Julius Zebra, a fiction book set. We will be writing a character description, an information text and a diary entry. You could help by going to the library and helping your child find books that will allow them to find out more about Ancient Rome.</p>
<p><b>NUMERACY</b></p> <p>We will be learning about place value, reading, writing, ordering and comparing numbers. Also, we will be looking at arithmetic.</p> <p><b>You could help by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Practising times table facts, up to x12, in preparation for the Year 4 times table check that takes place towards the end of the year.</li> <li>• Revising number based work at home and helping your child to practice their written methods for +, -, x and ÷</li> </ul>
<p><b>SCIENCE:</b> We will be learning all about Animals including Humans. This will include looking at the digestive system, food chains and types of animals.</p>
<p><b>GEOGRAPHY:</b></p> <p>We will be developing our understanding of using maps and atlases to locate the different continents, countries, capital cities and both human and manmade features of different locations.</p>
<p><b>HISTORY:</b></p> <p>We will be looking at how the Ancient Romans lived, what they are famous for and how this still impacts life today.</p>
<p><b>PE:</b> Fitness, gymnastics and football</p>
<p><b>MUSIC:</b> Learning how to use keyboards and other instruments.</p>
<p><b>ICT:</b> Online safety- Coding</p>
<p><b>RE:</b> Hinduism</p>
<p><b>FRENCH:</b> Describing people in French and clothes.</p>

<p><b>PE days</b></p> <p><b><u>PE is on Wednesday and Friday. PE kit should be worn to school on PE days.</u></b></p>
<p><b>SCHOOL DATES / EVENTS</b></p> <p><b>School opens for the new term</b>  <b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2021.</b></p> <p><b>Years 6 and 4 times are 9am – 3pm</b>  <b>Years 5 and 3 times are 9:10 am – 3:10pm</b></p> <p><b>School closes for Half term Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021</b>  And reopens on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021</p> <p><b>School closes for Christmas on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021</b>  and reopens on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2022</p> <p><b>PLEASE REFER TO THE TERMLY NEWSLETTER AND OTHER REMINDERS FOR ALL OTHER DATES OR <u>CHANGES.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>Things you can do to support your child's learning in school.</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Listen to them read as often as possible, talking to them about what they have read.</li> <li>✓ Help them to practice their times tables/ spellings regularly.</li> <li>✓ Provide a quiet place for homework to be completed.</li> <li>✓ Send them to school with fresh water daily. <i>(In a see through plastic bottle).</i></li> </ul>

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*Please let us know as soon as possible if your child is unable to come to school for any reason.*

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**YEAR 4**

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