

Writing

What? Talk For Writing based on the story 'Escape from Pompeii' set in Ancient Rome and Non-Fiction writing about Boudicca.

Why? Your child will learn to write;

- In a range of layouts, depending on the purpose of their writing.
- Detailed descriptive sentences with a variety of sentence structures.
- Using ambitious topic related vocabulary.

WOW!

Make your own information poster all about Boudicca to share your new learning with others.

Help at home by:

Please continue to read with your child every day and remember to record on Boom Reader.

Chawson 1st School

Romans Topic Letter

Year 3

Our Topic this term is:

The Romans



Cross Curricular

What? The Roman Invasion of Britain and what life was like before and after the Romans arrived.

Why? For children to be able to understand how life in Britain has changed over time and the reasons for some of these changes.

WOW! We will be taking part in our own Roman Day, field trip to Malvern, the site of a Celtic hill fort and making catapults in DT.

Children will be given a weekly spelling list for them to practise during the week. A new project homework has been issued and is due back on
Monday 13th July.

PE Information

3K - Monday and Friday
3L - Tuesday and Thursday
3MJ - Monday and Thursday

On **Thursday 9th July 9-10:30** we will be using our DT skills to make Roman catapults that we have designed. We would love to welcome as many parent visitors into our classrooms as possible.

Maths

What? Measurement including weight, capacity and length, Shape and Statistics.

Why? Your child needs to be confident to apply the number skills they already have in new contexts. For example, understanding that a ruler or tape measure is a different example of a number line or using their calculation skills with mass or capacity problems. Knowing the units we measure different items in is an important life skill.

WOW! The weekly TTRS times tables sheets will challenge your child in school. Please remember to go on TTRS at home for practice.

Help at home by:

- Baking and measuring ingredients.
- Measuring different small items or larger areas at home with rulers and tape measures.
- Investigate the capacity of different containers - would we be best to measure in l or ml?

Important Dates

Sports Day: Wednesday 1st July 10:45-11:45
Roman Catapults: Thursday 9th July 9-10:30
Roman Dress Up Day: Friday 10th July
British Camp Trip: Tuesday 14th July
End of Term: Friday 17th July