

Year 3 Spring Term 1



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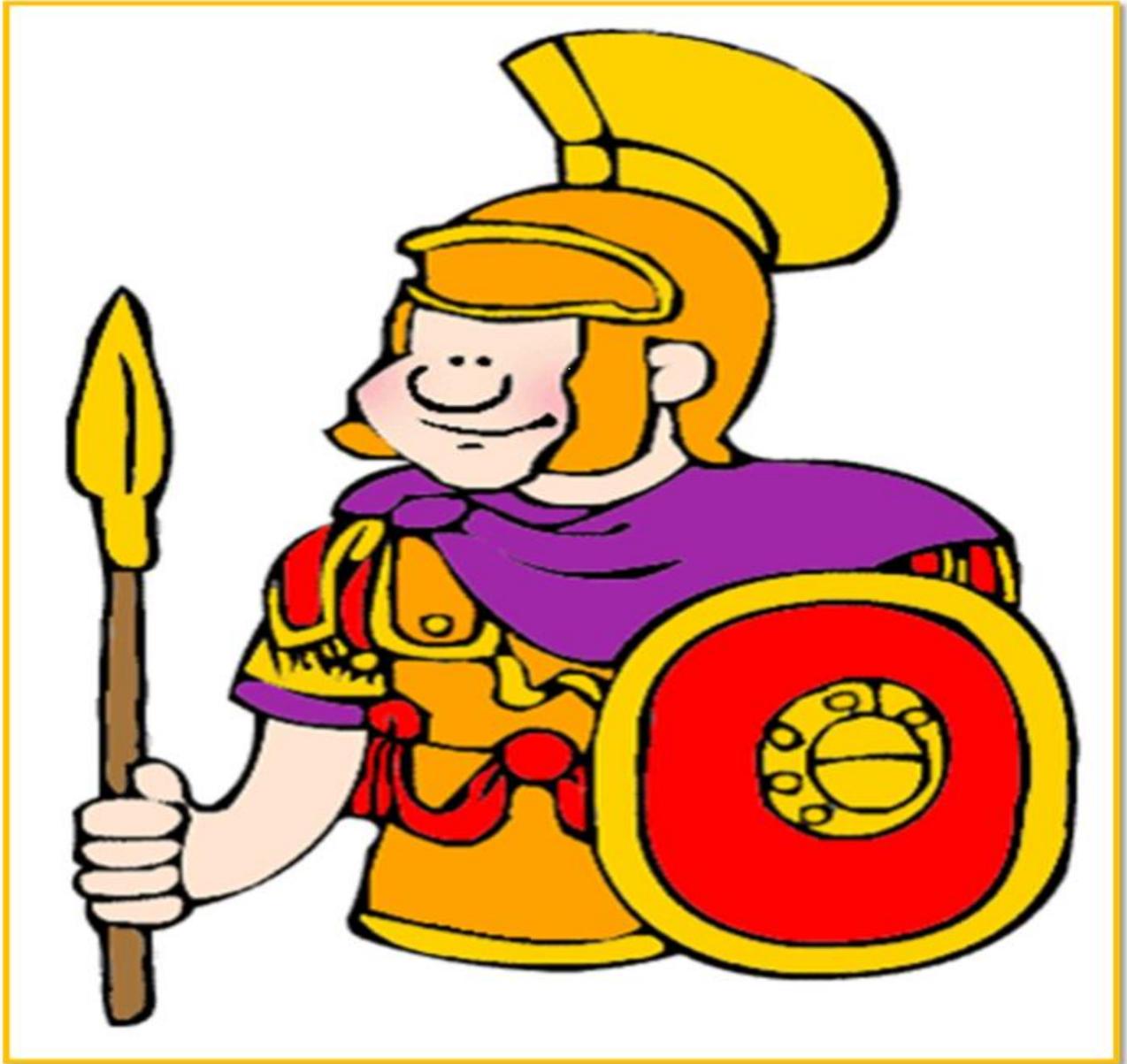
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Curiosity Curriculum



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Who invaded Britain?

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Year 3 Spring Information

Now your child has settled into life in Year Three, we have noticed an increased level of independence and self-confidence and we are very proud of the way the two classes conduct themselves every day. Autumn was a challenging term, but all of the children worked with great determination and resilience.

Homework

Homework is given out and handed out every Monday morning. Currently, the arrangements for homework will remain as they were for the Autumn Term. When we are in a position to change this, you will be informed.

To help practise your times tables, please encourage your children to use Times Table Rockstars. Your child has a login and password inside their homework folder.

Organisation

To help sustain concentration throughout the morning, please provide your child with a healthy snack for morning break.

It is also very important that your child brings a named water bottle to school every day to keep them hydrated.

Your child will have the opportunity to change their reading books throughout the day. Please make sure you child comes to school with their bookbag and books every day.

Please ensure all clothing is clearly named in permanent pen.

Sports

PE will continue to be on a Wednesday and Friday in the Spring term. Please ensure your child has appropriate kit for outdoor and indoor PE on this day. It can get very cold outside so jogging bottoms and a fleece/top would be advised. Trainers are preferable to pumps. Long hair should be tied back and earrings removed.



Extra-curricular activities

There will be a new Times Table Rock Stars club from January for Year 3. This will run on a fortnightly basis on a Thursday. More details about this will be sent out before the end of the Autumn term.

Dates for your Diary:

Please note that some of these dates could be subject to change due to COVID restrictions.

Tuesday 5th January – Back to school

Thursday 21st January – Be a Type 1 Superhero

Tuesday 2nd February – Wild hair day

WB 8th February – Safer Internet Week

Tuesday 9th February – Disco

Monday 15th-Friday 19th February – Half Term

Thursday 4th March – World Book Day & Book Fayre

Friday 12th March – Red Nose Day

Friday 12th March – Mothers Day Assembly

Monday 22nd March – Wear Jazzy socks for World Down Syndrome Day

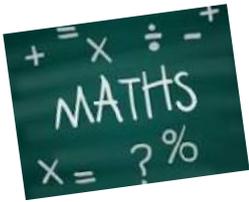
Tuesday 23rd March – Class and group photos

Wednesday 24th & Thursday 25th March – Parents' Evening

Friday 26th March – Wear a Rainbow for World Autism Awareness Day

Friday 26th March – School Closes for Easter





Curriculum Information



English

Many of our English lessons this term link to our current Creative Curriculum themes: 'Would you live in the Stone Age?' and 'Who invaded Britain?'. The children will be analysing, planning and writing a wide variety of texts including explanation texts, story-writing, descriptions, poetry and newspaper reports. English also involves regular spelling and grammar lessons as well as class stories and guided reading.

Maths

We will be continuing with the Power Maths scheme. This will include further work on multiplication and division, money, statistics, length and fractions. We will continue with the times table test on a Tuesday and Mad Maths tasks on a Thursday.

Topic

Our Curiosity Curriculum this term will involve two themes: '**Would you live in the Stone Age?**' and '**Who invaded Britain?**'.

In our **Would you live in the Stone Age?** project, we will learn when the Stone age was, how Stone Age people lived and make comparisons to modern life.

In our **Who invaded Britain?** project, we will look at The Roman Empire, its invasion of Britain and the Celts rebellion. Hopefully, we will also be having the Hinckley museum visiting to host a Roman morning where we will look at archaeological finds and make mosaics and sandals.

Every term, we spend time learning about e-safety as well as building our computer skills.

