

# Rowsley C of E Primary School

## English

Class texts: Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit, Boudicca by Paul Harrison, Romulus and Remus by Melissa Fitzgerald.

EGPS: Word classes - revision of those previously covered as well as prepositions and determiners; indicating possession by using the possessive apostrophe with plural nouns

Writing: Pompeii diaries and the myth of Romulus and Remus.

## Science

Rocks and soils: how rocks are formed; properties of different rocks; how fossils are formed; investigating different types of soil; and learning about compost.

## Religious Education:

What is the Trinity? The Holy Trinity represents God in his three forms and that The Holy Trinity is an important part of Jesus' baptism; that Christians are baptised as a sign of choosing a life with God.

## Art

Drawing: Experiment with ways in which surface detail can be added to drawings, begin to show an awareness of objects having a third dimension, apply tone in a drawing in a simple way and begin to apply pattern and texture to a drawing.

## History

The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain including Boudicca's revolt, Roman housing, why the Roman army was so effective and the lasting impact of the Roman Empire on Britain.

# The Romans



## Wider Curriculum

Green Zone

PE: Dance

PSHE: Bullying Matters

Music: Learning the ukulele



## Maths

Multiplication and division:

Fluency in the 3 and 4 times tables (Y3) and the 7 and 9 times tables (Y4). Using arrays and other visual representations to represent and answer multiplication and division questions. Looking at how different times tables relate to each other.

Area (Y4 only):

Finding the area of different shapes by counting squares; drawing shapes of a specific area; comparing and ordering shapes by their area; solving problems relating to a shape's area.

Consolidation:

In arithmetic sessions at the start of each lesson, we will continue to practise column addition and column subtraction, as well as arithmetic skills from the last academic year.

## Computing

Word processing skills on Google Docs

If you have any questions about the curriculum this half term, please do come and ask.