



# Summer 2: Learning in Year 3



## English

This half term we are looking at the characters and setting of Romulus and Remus (with Mr Tregent). We will also be looking at poetry focusing on Roman Rap where we will plan, write then perform our rap. As well as "Escape from Pompeii" as a non-chronological recount of events from the book. Lots to look forward to this half term!

## History

This half term our focus topic is the Romans. We will be linking this to our prior knowledge about settlements, looking at a range of people who were famous in this time period. Also, we will be looking at their livelihoods such as their entertainment, foods they ate and their achievements.

## D&T

Our focus this half term is Pizza!!! By the end of the unit, we will be making our own pizza with unique toppings which we will have designed independently. We will break down the steps and be following instructions.

## Music

We will be learning the song "Reflect, Rewind, Replay". The children will practise finding the beat and then will learn the song gradually. By the end of the half term, they will be able to sing the whole song.

## Supporting your child with their learning

- Please practise the times tables with your child- find links on the school website.
- Practise reading the time with your children.
- Practise spellings with your child.
- Reading 3x a week with your child and support them with their homework.

## What we are reading this half term:

- "Rotten Romans" by Terry Deary. We will be reading this book as our class novel at the end of each day.

## Maths

We are currently "Mastering Number" at the start of our maths lessons which builds the foundations for learning mathematics. This half term we will focus on fractions, money, time, shape and statistics.

## P.E

Invasion games will be our focus topic. We will use tactical skills within a variety of games to improve game play.

## Educational / Enrichment Visits

A visit to Lancaster Museum which links to our topic in History of the Romans.

## German

The topic for this half term is picnic. The children will be learning the German words for a variety of food that would be taken on a picnic.

## Science

This half term our focus topic will be health and nutrition. We will be identifying what we need to be healthy, how we can make sure we are eating nutrient rich foods and the importance of looking after our bodies. We will be doing lots of exciting investigations throughout the half term! Our Super Scientist is Dieticians.

## Computing

Our computing unit this half term is spreadsheets. We will be researching uses for spreadsheets and inputting our own data.

## PSHE

Our focus this half term is 'What helps me choose?' - we will look at what we think about when buying food; where in the Eatwell Guide different snacks would fit and sort snacks according to healthy or unhealthy. We will then be focusing on the text "Planet Omar: Accidental Trouble". We will discuss the choices made and use role play for a variety of scenarios.

## R.E

Our Gospel value this half term is **Community**, we will look at how we can help and respect our community and this will be also considered throughout our R.E lessons. The children will be learning about Hebrews in Egypt, the Jewish Celebration of Passover finding links between the Passover and the Last Supper. We will be finishing the year looking at Islam and the Prophet Muhammad.