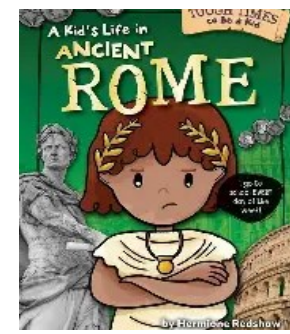
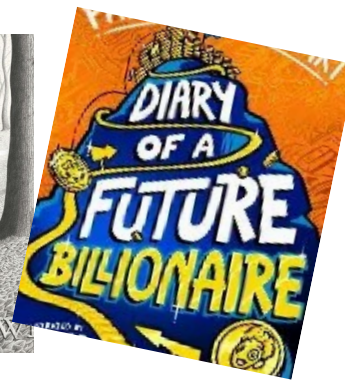
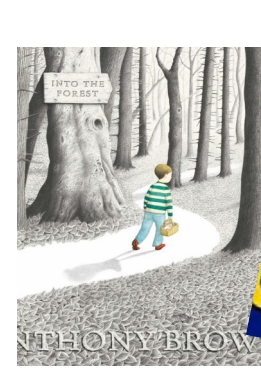


WEETON ST MICHAEL'S C OF E SCHOOL

Spring Term SAPLINGS CLASS



Rockin' Romans

HOW YOU CAN HELP US.....

Our PE kit days are on a Friday each week. No jewellery must be worn. Sturdy trainers must be worn.

Please read with your child every night. Share your reading time together. I will be checking books on Fridays. Encourage your children to be on TT Rockstars to develop their timetable skills.

ASK YOUR CHILD ABOUT THEIR DAY.

INSPIRING START

We will be immersing ourselves into the Roman Empire by looking at artifacts.

AS MATHEMATICIANS WE ARE....

Year 3 will be focusing on Multiplication and Division, Length and perimeter, fractions and mass and capacity.

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AS READERS AND WRITERS....

We will be reading **Into the Forest** and **The Whale**. We will be developing our narrative writing skills and our ability to write newspaper reports.

AS INVESTIGATORS WE ARE.....

SCIENCE: Plants – Children will be learning about the different parts of a plant and how plants reproduce. In Science we will be conducting experiments and growing our very own plants!

Energy and light: As a class we will be looking into what energy is and how light works. We will be conducting experiments with light and shadows.

AS ENQUIRERS WE ARE.....

GEOGRAPHY: Settlements – Children will be learning about what a settlement is and the difference between two settlements. We will be looking into two different settlements. We will also be conducting a study of the local area.

HISTORY: Romans - In this topic the children will be learning about the Roman Empire and legacy that the Roman Empire left. We will be looking into why the Romans decided to invade Britain and the military strategies that made the Roman Empire the most effective military in the world.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Jesus - In this topic we will be learning about Jesus as the son of God. We will discuss why Christians believe this and why Jewish people believe that the Sabbath is so important.

Easter - In this topic the children will be learning about the Easter story and we will be investigating whether at this time of year the cross is a symbol of sadness or one of joy.

AS COMMUNICATORS WE ARE.....

COMPUTING: Creating media - The Children will be learning how to use modern technology to create media and will make video trailers using the techniques they learn.

FRENCH: Children will learn about basic phonics in French and how they can spell words. Children will be learning about the vegetables in French and how they can form sentences with these in. Children will also be learning about Ice cream in French and how to order an Ice Cream in French.

AS YOUNG PEOPLE WE ARE...

We are learning about how our brain works and how our mental health is important for all aspects of life. We will then be learning about our different characteristics and why they should be celebrated.

AS CREATORS WE ARE.....

ART: Painting - Children will be developing their painting skills and how to use mixed media for effect. We will be focusing on the contrast between light and dark colours and the effect they can have.

MUSIC: Children will be exploring simple rhythmic patterns and learning how to compose music using their imagination.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Children will be focusing on dance this term. They will be learning to move their bodies specifically and with elegant purpose.