



Core Basic Skills

Writing: The children will learn to write:

- A retell of a myth
- A persuasive letter
- An explanation text

Reading:

Roman and Greek Myths and Legends

The children will learn these reading skills:

- I use past experiences, what I have previously read and what I know about to support my understanding
- I am developing my skills to skim read text and scan to find information and ideas.

Maths: the children will learn these mathematical skills:

Fractions and Decimals
Geometry
Times tables

Computing: the children will learn the following skills:

Animation
Computer Programmes

Topic Title: Ruthless Romans!
Raging Rivers!

Hook for Learning:

Launch: A Roman food tasting day with the chance to find out about life as a Roman.
Land: Children recap what Roman life was like.

Healthy Lifestyles

Internet safety (8th February Internet Safety Day)
Understanding friendships

Global Dimension:

The legacy of invading another country

Environmental Challenge:

Outdoor learning – understanding the water cycle

Technical Work:

DT – Creating a Roman chariot
Science – Rivers

Creative Learning:

Roman Mosaics
River Art

Main subject: the children will research...

- The history of life in Roman Britain and understand what made the Romans so successful.
- How Roman life was different to life today.
- The water cycle and factors affecting it

Cross Curricular Writing: Application of skills, 1 piece per fortnight

- A letter from Boudicca persuading people to join her army.
- The story of the water cycle

Cross Curricular Reading: Application of skills
Non-fiction texts related to the Romans and rivers.

Cross Curricular Maths –
Data handling of our science experiments.

Visits: Roman Fort, Bradgate Park

Home Learning:

Queensmead Quests
Reading
Spellings
Times tables
Purple Mash