

# What are we learning this half term?

## Spring 1 Angelou – Year 3

### Plants



### Why did the Romans settle in Britain?



## Art

### Topic: Drawing: Developing drawing skills

- Use their observation skills to describe specific shapes, textures or patterns in objects.
- Shade with a reasonable degree of accuracy and skill following the four shading rules.
- Use mark marking to show texture and details.
- Use simple shapes to sketch the basis of their drawing before using lines and marks to add detail and texture.
- Apply shading skills to show areas of light and dark (tone).

## Music

### Topic: Ballads

- Use musical vocabulary to describe the features of a ballard
- Explore how actions can impact performance
- Plan a musical structure inspired by a Roman story
- Create lyrics that match a melody
- Show awareness of style, structure and features when performing

## Home Learning

Please continue to support your child at home with the following:

- Weekly Maths
- Weekly English
- Daily Reading

## English

### Core Text - Fiction:

#### BFG by Roald Dahl

- To write a character description
- To write an alternative ending

### Non-fiction:

#### Avoid Being a Roman Soldier

- To write a discussion text

### Poetry: Cape of Curiosity Pie Corbett

## History

### Topic: Why did the Romans settle in Britain?

- Explain the meaning of empire and invasion
- Understand the chronology of the Roman invasion of Britain
- Identify the consequences of the Roman invasion
- Create an interpretation of Boudicca using sources
- Explain why the Romans needed a powerful army
- Identify a soldier's equipment
- Explain how the Roman army was organised and perform simple manoeuvres and drills
- Make observations about an artefact
- Explain the meaning of legacy, identifying how the Romans changed Britain and ordering legacies by their significance

## Computing

### Topic: Computing systems and networks - Emailing

- Understand how we communicate with technology
- Understand what emails are and how to send one
- Know how to create an email with an attachment
- Understand the importance of being kind when online
- Recognise when an email is not genuine

## PE

### Topic: Gymnastics (indoor)

Symmetry and asymmetry

### Topic: Basketball (Outdoor)

Invasion games

## Maths

### Topic:

#### Multiplication and division

- Multiples of 10
- Multiply a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with exchange
- Divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with exchange
- Divide a 2-digit number by a 1-digit number - with a remainder

#### Measurement

- Measuring in centimetres and metres
- Measuring in millimetres
- Adding and comparing lengths
- Equivalent lengths

## Science

### Topic: Plant Reproduction

- Identify what plants need to grow healthily.
- Describe the structure and function of the parts of flowering plants.
- Investigate how plants transport water.
- Describe the life cycle of a flowering plant.
- Explain seed dispersal methods.

## PSHE

### Topic: Safety and the changing body

- Understand the role I take when in an emergency situation
- Understand how to help someone if they have been stung or bitten
- Know the importance of being kind and what it looks like
- Know that cyberbullying is being unkind online
- Understand the choices people can make and those which are made by others
- Develop an understanding of safety on or near roads

## RE

### Where do our morals come from?

- Explain what morals, rules and guidance are.
- Identify some of the ways people decide what is right and wrong.
- Evaluate how Golden Rules might help people make moral decisions today.

## French

- Recall numbers in French up to 12
- Ask and answer questions about age in french

- Weekly Spellings
- TTRockstars