

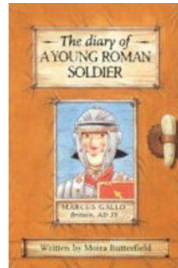
### English

Our Key Texts for this topic are: Aesop's Fables and Diary of a Roman Soldier.



**Journey Stories:** We will be learning about different Aesop's fables and using these to write our own Journey Stories. We will be learning about different ways to begin and end stories in order to make our writing more interesting.

**Recounts/Diaries:** We will be learning what a recount is and what a diary looks like. We will be learning about the use of time adverbials and other grammatical features involved when writing a diary. We will use this learning to write our own Roman diaries.

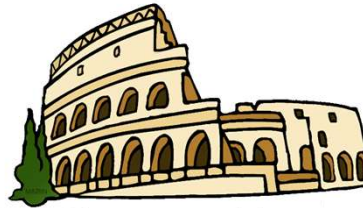


### RE

In this topic, 'To The Ends Of The Earth', we will be looking at several pieces of scripture – the most prominent being **The Road To Emmaus** (Luke 24:13-25).

We will focus on our understanding of the Holy Trinity for Catholics being one God who is three Persons. As part of this we will study the ways in which the Holy Trinity is represented in images and symbols. We shall look at ways in which we celebrate the **Holy Spirit** through prayer and song.

## Year 3 – Summer 1



## The Roman Empire

### Maths

#### Fractions

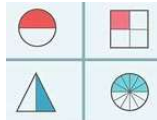
We will further our knowledge on this topic, looking at the addition and subtraction of fractions.

#### Money

We will start with the relationship between pounds and pence and then move onto the addition and subtraction of money.

#### Time

We will end with looking at hours, minutes and seconds, telling the time to the minute and calculating durations of time.



### Art

In Art, we will be learning about **moulding** materials. We will use clay to create our own Roman busts of a Roman God or Goddess.

**PE** This half term we will be going swimming and enjoying athletics.

**Computing** We will look at how to present information using a spreadsheet, linking this to our locality geography survey information.

### Geography

In Geography, we will be learning where the **Northern Hemisphere** is. We will be learning to locate the Mediterranean and finding out what life is like there.

### History

Our History for this half-term focusses on the **Roman Empire**. We will be learning when the Roman Empire began and collapsed, as well as facts about Julius Caesar and Emperor Hadrian. We will be comparing the lives of wealthy and poor Romans. We will be learning about **Roman battle formation**, including the use of cavalry, artillery, archers and soldiers on foot. Our enquiry question is '**How was Britain impacted by the Roman Empire?**'

### Music

In Music we will be furthering our experience of the recorder, paying particular attention to the **notation** of music, using the vocabulary crescendo, pianissimo and fortissimo. We will develop the complexity of **rhythms** and tackle more challenging note combinations.

### DT

In our DT lessons we will be **designing and creating our own catapults** inspired by the Romans.

**Science** This unit is entitled **Animals including Humans**. In it we will identify that all animals need the right types and amount of **nutrition**. We will also look at the skeletal and muscular systems for support, protection and movement.