



Year 3: Spring 2 – Ruthless Romans

Trip/ Visit

Roman Time Capsule themed day

Big Bang Day –Friday 27th February

For this Big Bang Day, year 3 will have a visit from Tim from Time Capsule Education. We would love children to dress up as Romans for the day to be enhanced in their learning.

English	Our children will be writing a narrative based on the book 'Escape from Pompeii', which has a historical focus. The children will focus on description of a setting and using senses to create suspense. The children will also write a persuasive text.
Maths	The children will start this unit by exploring denominators for unit fractions. From year 2, they know about halves, quarters and thirds and with this unit they will now look at fractions with different denominators. We will also look at measuring, measurements, mass and capacity.
History and Geography	Children will learn about the Romans and that they were an ancient civilisation from 753 BC to 476 AD. They will learn about their empire across Europe, North Africa and the Middle East. We will look at their architecture, art, engineering and organisation. They will see how they had an impact on today. Children will learn about the human and physical geography linking to this topic.
Art/DT	They will design and create their own Roman tunic inspired by their history topic. The children will progress through the DT process of designing, creating and evaluating to create a 2D design and a 3D product. For our DT activity, please could you bring in one teddy bear no taller than 30 centimetres, as well as a small plain piece of cloth for your child by Monday 2nd March 2026.
Music	All the learning in this unit is focussed around one song, 'The Dragon Song'. Using their imagination and working as a class, they will create their own performance of this song.
Computing	In this unit, the children will use the swift playground app and use different tools and buttons to create and modify characters and change backgrounds.
RE and PD	For this unit of work, the children will look at the different religious and spiritual ways of life including prayer. We will be looking at how to assess information online, safely and then look at different job types, focussing on stereotypes and then looking at personal goals.
PE	The children will be enjoying orienteering and dance.
Core Texts	

