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Vital vocabulary

Romans, Caesar, Boudicca, empire, conquest, legacy

Looping, remixing, percussion, layers, rhythm, melody, riff, structure

Climate, equator, natural disaster, flood, flood-plain, polar, temperate, arid, tropical, mountain, ordnance survey, grid references.

Quality questions

What is a natural disaster?

What was life in the Roman Army like?

What impact did The Romans have on Britain?

Why are loops in music useful?

How do the life cycle of animals differ?

Marvellous memories

Go on a day trip linked to Roman history.

Research an animal and see if you can find out about each stage of their life. Think about what is different during each stage of their life.

People and places

Key people:

Julius Caesar

Emperor Claudius

Boudicca

Places to visit:

Bewdley and The Roman Baths.

Reliable reading

As a class during our DEAR time will be reading a multitude of books from our year 5 Authors, we are continuing with **War Horse by Michael Morpurgo**.

A further text to read could be *Revolt against the Romans* by Tony Bradman.

Rewarding research

[Roman Britain - KS2 History - BBC Bitesize](#)

Children's British History Encyclopaedia – Roman Britain

[Exploring the UK's climate and weather | KS2 Geography | Year 5 and Year 6 - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Explore weather and climate - BBC Bitesize](#)

This term's theme:

My place, my time



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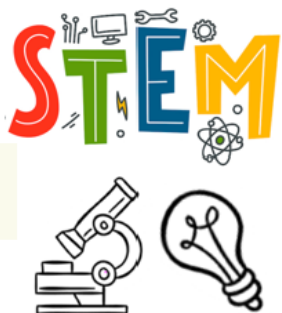
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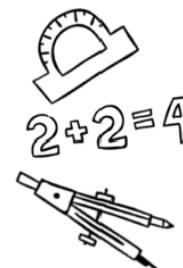
As scientists this term...

We will be looking at the life cycles of Mammals, Birds, Amphibians and Insects.

We will describe the process of reproduction in some plants and animals.

As mathematicians this term...

- Add and subtract numbers with more than 4 digits.
- Use multistep addition and subtraction to answer word problems.
- Use multiplication to multiply by one or more digits.
- Use formal methods for division.



In P.E. this term...

We will be looking at dance, choreographing routines using unison and cannon techniques.

We will be playing hockey developing our dribbling and passing skills.



This term, we will discover...

In our history lessons, we will be investigating the Roman invasion in Britain.

In our Geography lessons, we will be learning about the differences between weather and climate, investigating the effects of flooding on our communities.

We will understand hue families and how tones of colour changes based on how much water is added when painting.



As writers this term...

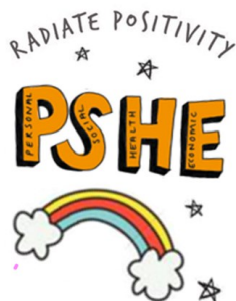
We will write a narrative based off of a clip from the Hobbit involving Bilbo and Smaug.

We will be learning how to use different clause types and introducing direct speech into our narrative



For our well being...

We will learn about families and friendships, safe relationships and respecting others.



As readers this term...

We will investigate different texts starting with our book 'Secrets', using our expert tips to decode texts/ structures and explore vocabulary.

