

Year 4 Spring Term 1 2024

Successful Learners Areas of Learning	Successful Learners Areas of Learning
<p>As historians we will be studying the Romans in more detail, learning about the army and Boudicca. We will make links with our communication and writing, focusing on historical research to present our learning.</p> <p>As scientists we will use scientific vocabulary as we explore solids, liquids and gases through investigations, looking at how solids and liquids can be separated. We will also investigate the water cycle.</p> <p>As mathematicians we will practise our times tables (including the inverse facts) and try and improve our speed of recall. We will be developing our understanding of written calculations to solve number problems including fractions.</p> <p>In PSHE we will be looking at friendship and that their actions affect themselves and others. We will look at stereotyping people and the impact this can have.</p>	<h3>How did the Romans control Britain? Why do we remember Boudicca?</h3> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div>
	<p>Christian Values Thankfulness, Honesty, Love, Hope, Forgiveness, Compassion, Friendship, Trust.</p>
	<p>We will be learning about responsibility. We will consider how we can be responsible people to our friends and the world we live in.</p> <p>Let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth <i>1 John 3:18</i></p>
	<p>Spiritual Development: We will think about our actions and the consequences they have on other people so we can learn to live in harmony with our peers.</p>
	<p>Building Learning Powers- Reciprocity, Resourcefulness, Reflectiveness and Resilience</p>
	<p>We will develop our reflective muscles as we revise our prior learning and think about the history question we will be answering. We will be resourceful as we make links with our learning and the new information given and learn in a variety of different ways from a visit, different media and looking at artefacts. We will show resilience as we are fully absorbed in this challenge and persevere with the challenge of presenting our learning creatively and learning in different ways.</p>
	<p>As readers and writers, we will study the novel 'Oliver and the Seawigs' and write imaginatively as we explore different vocabulary and settings.</p> <p>As information technologists we will learn to use the chrome books to create spreadsheets understanding and inputting data. We will also deepen our knowledge of vocabulary.</p> <p>In Religious Education we will be deepen our understanding of Jesus, who he was, his teaching and behaviour. We will do this by listening and reading his stories, especially the miracles he performed.</p> <p>In PE (Physical Education) we will learn how to play invasion games and develop skills of throwing and catching in basketball.</p> <p>In music we will be learning how to play the xylophone using music notation and playing some well-known songs.</p>

IMPORTANT NOTES

Happy New Year. We have made a great start to the year and have lots of exciting things to look forward to. Our class trip to Chester Roman Dewa Museum is on Tuesday 16th January. Children are expected to wear full school uniform and a warm coat as some of the learning will be outdoors regardless of the weather.

WEBSITE and CLASS DOJO - don't forget to look at our class page on the website and the Class Dojo App so you can see all the learning we do in school!

HOMEWORK

Homework will be handed out each Friday and should be returned the following Wednesday. Please support and check your child's homework as much as you can and please sign it each week.

Please also encourage your child to learn their times table facts as we are preparing for the government test where pupils will have 5 seconds to type an answer.

READING

Please make sure your child has their reading book in school every day and returns their library book regularly. Please also try and hear them read at home so they can practise their fluency and understanding.

PE

Please make sure your child has a full PE kit (named!) in school including pumps or trainers so that it is readily available for lessons. Tracksuits can be worn too.

FOREST SCHOOL

It is our turn in Forest School on a Monday afternoon this half term. Please make sure that your child has suitable footwear and a spare pair of socks.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Twinn and Miss Blair

St George's CE Primary School



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