

WHAT HAPPENED WHEN THE ROMANS CAME?



This half term we go further back in time, to when Britain was invaded by the Romans.

We will be:

Historians, uncovering what life was like in Roman Britain. We will be exploring great Roman inventions such as bath houses, roads and aqueducts. What was life like as a Roman soldier? What did Romans eat? Who was Hadrian? Why was Boudicca barmy? We will strive to answer these and lots of other questions.

Artists, learning how to draw Roman landmarks using perspective

Readers, discovering myths that the Romans told. We will also be using non-fiction books and websites to help us with our research. Our class story will be Romans on the Rampage by Jeremy Strong.

Mathematicians, learning to count in Roman numerals.

We will be having a real Roman soldier visit our school to explain what life is like in the Roman Army.

Here are a few websites connected with our learning:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/zwmpfg8> - lots of information and video clips about the Roman Empire

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/Romans.html> - information about Roman Britain.

<http://www.historyforkids.net/ancient-rome.html>

We'll be doing lots of other work too, including working on our own targets in class