<u>Maths</u>

We will complete units on whole number, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, and length, perimeter, and area. We will also be consolidating our mathematical reasoning and problem-solving skills.

<u>History</u>

History will be our main theme as we learn about Emperors and Empires. We will look at the Roman Empire, how it expanded, its role in the development of Britain and its impacts on modern living. We will look at historical events including invasions and battles, cultural impacts such as Romanisation and physical landmarks such as Hadrian's Wall.

Art and Design

We will cover two units this term. The first, compare and contrast, will use watercolours to explore complementary and contrasting colours. The second, warp and weft, will look at weaving skills.



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<u>Science</u>

We will look at lights and shadows which will extend into light theory, as well as grouping and classifying living things and their habitats.

<u>Music</u>

We will build on our music knowledge and learn to sing songs from various musical genres. Guitar lessons will take place for those continuing.

<u>PE</u>

The children will be working on a range of skills within a variety of team games.

<u>Geography</u>

We will cover map reading skills, North and South American countries and their features, UK physical features and transport and a local transport enquiry.

Design and Technology

We will cover a unit called 'Fresh Food, Good Food', where we will look at healthy food and the role of effective food packaging.

<u>RE</u>

We will be studying aspects of Christianity and Islam.



<u>English</u>

We will cover a range of writing skills including story writing, instructions, diaries, persuasive tasks, letters, and historical reports. Students will also be continuing with explicit comprehension skills, spelling, and grammar. Our key text is Empire's End – A Roman Story by Leila Rasheed.

Computing

We will cover a unit on programming. We will use Scratch and will learn about programming blocks of commands.

French

We will continue extending our French vocabulary of greetings, names, numbers and months.