

## ENGLISH

In English lessons, we will be exploring a range of non-fiction genres including reports, discussion texts and instructions. These will all centre around our topic of Rome and the Roman Empire.

**We will be learning to:**

Year 4	Year 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Writes non-fiction using appropriate organisational devices</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies the audience for, and purpose of, the writing</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore genres similar to that which they are planning to write, discussing its structure, vocabulary and grammar</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selects the appropriate form and uses other similar writings as a model</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Organises paragraphs around a theme and 'sticks' to that theme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs</li> </ul>

## SCIENCE Living Things and Their Habitats

This half term in Science, we are investigating how habitats around the world are different & how animals living these can be grouped based on their characteristics.

**We will be learning to:**

- Identify different habitats and explore how organisms are suited to these environments.
- Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways

## MUSIC Musical Notation and Roman Music

Our focus for this half term will be exploring how music is written and read as well as listening to music from the past.

**We will be learning to:**

- Read and understand simple musical notation.
- Listen to and appreciate high-quality, recorded music,

## Deer Class - Summer 1 All Roads Lead to Rome



## TOPIC The Roman Empire

### (History/Geography/DT and Art)

Within our Topic lessons, we will explore the world of ancient Rome and the Roman Empire. We will explore the geography, legends and social structure of Rome now and then. We will also consider how The Roman Empire has an effect on our lives today.

**We will be learning to:**

- Explore the legend of how Rome was founded and investigate how it grew into the Roman Empire.
- Compare the geography of Britain and Italy.
- Paint a scene from a Roman myth.
- Use clay to make a reproduction of an ancient Roman artefact.
- Research and make a Roman banquet.

## COMPUTING Digital Citizenship and Technology

Our focus for this half term is to understand the advantages and disadvantages of using modern technology.

**We will be learning to:**

- Use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private
- Understand the opportunities [networks] offer for communication and collaboration

## RE Belonging in Sikhism

With Mrs Fletcher, we will be building upon our earlier learning to consider what 'belonging' means in Sikhism. We are arranging a visit from a practising Sikh, providing the children with an excellent opportunity to hear of his personal experiences and to ask questions.

**We will be learning to:**

- Consider how Sikhism is similar and different to other religions.
- Ask and answer questions about aspects of the Sikh religion.

## MATHS

In Summer term, we will extend our knowledge further of place value, number operations and problem solving.

**We will be learning to:**

Year 4	Year 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>order and compare numbers beyond 1000, recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1 000 000 and determine the value of each digit.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>round any number up to 1 000 000 to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10 000 and 100 000</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>multiply numbers up to 4 digits by a one- or two-digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for two-digit numbers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout</li> </ul>

## PSHCE Getting On and Falling Out

For our last term, we will start with looking how to resolve conflict and find resolutions in our own friendships.

**We will be learning to:**

- Understand how other peoples' perspectives can differ from our own.

## MfL Las Planetes

During this half term we will be consolidating our work on 'Les Planetes', practising using comparative and descriptive vocabulary in increasingly complex sentences.

## PE Swimming, Football and Gymnastics

During Summer 1, we will be swimming and learning tactics and the importance of teamwork in football.

- Swimming kits will be required on Wednesday.**
- Outdoor and indoor PE kits (including joggers and outdoor trainers) will be required on Friday.**