

# Year 4 Spring Half Term 1 Parents' Leaflet

## Mathematics

Roman numerals, negative numbers, decimals and their fraction equivalents, shape, space and measures, greater and less than.

## DT/ Art

Creative carousel will cover cooking, clay making and drama.

## English Work

Reading: The children will continue reading a range of fiction, non-fiction and poem texts, linking to our topic of the Romans where possible. They will continue to develop their vocabulary and inference skills.

English: This half term we will look at and write our own story with a historical setting (linking to the Romans). We will also be looking at two types of poetry: image poems and Haikus.

## French

Alphabet  
Café  
Food and drink (menu)

## Religious Education

Places of worship  
Our value this half term is Law.

History: This half term our topic is:

## **The Romans**

We will be learning about where Rome is and how the Romans got here. We will be looking at why they invaded Britain and their Army.

## Visits /visitor

The half term we will be using our link of the Romans to watch the Royal Shakespeare company and their performance of the story of Julius Caesar.

## Science—Electricity

We will be learning how electricity works and looking at alternative sources of energy. We will also be making circuits and looking at insulators and conductors.

## How you can help?

Do you know anyone who has any information about the Romans?

We would love to hear if you have any ideas to help us!

## PE

We will be going swimming every Friday and this half term we will also be doing dance.

## Computing

We will be using the app 'Band Garage' to help us compose, record and edit our own music