

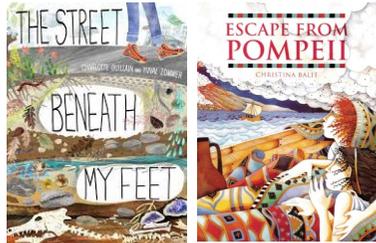
**Year group: 3**

**Time Allocation:** 1/2 term



**Let Your Light Shine**

**The Romans**



**Our Core Books**

**WHY?**

Our core books will take us on a journey through the Roman world and develop our expertise as scientists and archaeologists.

**Our Core Value is:**

**Compassion**

**S.M.S.C**

We will explore what  
It means to live out  
Jesus' teaching.

**Teachers: Mrs Townsend, Mrs Martin and Mrs Day**

**History:**

As historians we will develop our skills as archaeologists by digging into our Roman past. We will investigate the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain. The children will explore themes including: the Roman army, invasion and conquest including Hadrian's Wall and Boudicca's rebellion,

**Geography:**

Linking to our Roman history topic the children will use maps, atlases and globes to understand the geography of the Roman Empire, how it relates and compares to modern countries and cities and investigate how the Romans have shaped the features of our landscapes and types of settlements.

**Art/ Design & Technology:**

As artists the children will explore Roman art and design. We will create mosaics, explore designs for Roman weapons and Roman calendars.

**MFL:**

We will be learning conversational French and writing simple French words and phrases.

**PE:**

This half term we will continue having PE coaching from a Northumberland County cricket coach to develop our batting, bowling and fielding

**Music:**

We will continue our music lessons led Northumberland County Music Service.

**English/Communication:**

We will use The Write Stuff approach to write an explanation text inspired by the book 'The Street Beneath my Feet'. The children will learn about the key features of a non-fiction text, including captions, diagrams and dialogue. We will develop our understanding of similes, onomatopoeia, alliteration and adverbial phrases. We will also write a newspaper report inspired by the story 'Escape from Pompeii'. Our learning will be supported by experience days where we will use drama, role play and collaborative work.'

**Maths:**

This half term we will continue to learn addition and subtraction facts and solving problems of addition and subtraction. We will then go on to learn about multiplication and division. We will use arrays and make equal groups to explore multiplication and division facts and improve recall of our x3, x4, and x8 tables. We will also learn about multiplication and division by 10.

**Science: Rocks and Soils**

As scientists the children will be taught to compare and group different types of rocks according to their appearance and properties. They will explore how soil is made from rocks and organic matter. They will also investigate how fossils are formed

**RE:**

We will explore the concept of incarnation and the Trinity in Christianity.

**PSHE:**

We will be exploring themes of values and difference. We will