

This half term in Kingfishers we are studying ...

ROMANS IN BRITAIN.



OUR TOPIC IS A HISTORY FOCUS.

Maths	In Maths, we shall be extending our knowledge of our place value knowledge to 1000. We shall also be revisiting our quick and random recall of our 2, 5 and 10 times tables and will be beginning to learn our 3 times tables and associated division facts.
English	In English, we shall continue to and extend our understanding of sentence structures, revisiting our knowledge of adjectives, verbs and adverbs to engage readers. We shall be writing diary entries as if we are an invading Roman soldier in the conquest of Britain as well as writing persuasive posters to join Boudicca’s army and leaflets to visit Colchester Castle. In reading, we shall focus on comprehension skills to decode, retrieve, recall and infer information.
Science	This is not specifically taught this term, however, we shall be building our own aqueduct.
History	We shall begin by placing the Romans in history before learning about the three Roman invasions of Britain. We shall investigate how Britain changed under Roman rule and the legacy that the Romans have left behind. We shall also learn about some of the opposition to Roman rule.
Art	In Art, we shall investigate different shading techniques and practising our sketching, before creating our own self portrait for a commemorative Roman coin.
Computing	We shall follow our I-Compute scheme learning on using the internet to make reliable searches to support our topic learning as well as beginning to use Scratch for coding.
PSHE/No outsiders RSE	Our <i>No Outsiders</i> will continue to build understanding and acceptance of a multicultural and diverse Britain. In RE, we will follow separate Suffolk planning, learning about
PE	PW will focus on invasion games of Netball and Rugby.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Please remember to label all your child’s clothing with their name.
- Ensure your child’s PK kit is in school and is weather appropriate for lessons outside.
- Please do not send your child into school wearing jewellery. Small stud earrings can be worn but MUST be removed for PE.
- Don’t forget to send your child into school with a water bottle.
- Please ensure that shoulder length or longer hair is tied back for school.

USEFUL WEBSITES

[HTTPS://WWW.TOPMARKS.CO.UK/SEARCH.ASPX?SUBJECT=16](https://www.topmarks.co.uk/search.aspx?subject=16)

[HTTPS://TIMESTABLES.ME.UK/](https://timestables.me.uk/)

[HTTPS://WWW.OXFORDOWL.CO.UK/](https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/)

[HTTPS://WWW.BBC.CO.UK/BITESIZE/PRIMARY](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary)

[HTTPS://SPELLINGFRAME.CO.UK/](https://spellingframe.co.uk/)

[HTTPS://TTRUCKSTARS.COM/](https://trockstars.com/)

DATES TO REMEMBER

- PE will be on a Wednesday and Thursday.
- Library books will be changed every Wednesday.
- Reading scheme books will be changed every Monday.
- Spellings on spelling frame and times tables on Time Tables Rock Stars are set each week on a Friday.
- Key to Success meeting—Thursday 11th September 9.15am or 2.45pm.
- Coding workshop—Tuesday 16th September
- Flu vaccinations—Thursday 18th September
- Orienteering day—Tuesday 30th September
- Colchester castle trip—Tuesday 14th October
- School photos—Friday 17th October
- Look and Share will be on Wednesday 22nd October at 3.30pm-4pm and Thursday 24th October at 8.30-9am.
- Interim reports—Friday 25th October
- Last day of term— Friday 25th October
- PD day—Monday 3rd November

SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE DO CONTACT ME AT

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