

In Literacy we will be:

- Looking at the features of biographies and autobiographies
- Writing biographies of famous Roman figures.
- Using a variety of punctuation in our writing.
- Developing soliloquys in the form of Roman soldiers using variety of literary techniques such as simile and metaphor.
- Develop planning skills for our writing.
- Recap on writing full sentences with correct use of basic punctuation.
- Looking at a range of interesting sentence openers in our writing.
- Continuously developing our cursive handwriting.
- Developing our descriptive writing to write about different settings.
- Looking at adjectives and expanded noun phrases.

In Science we will be learning about **'Teeth and Eating'**

- The names and functions of different types of human teeth (incisors, canines, molars).
- How to care for teeth and what causes tooth decay.
- The basic parts and functions of the human digestive system.
- How food moves through the body after it is eaten.
- How an animal's teeth match the type of food it eats (carnivores, herbivores, omnivores).

In Computing, we will be learning about **The Internet:**

- Explore networks and connectivity: Understand that the internet is a "network of networks"
- Investigate the nature of the internet: Learn what components make up a network and how they connect to form the internet.
- Discover how information is shared online: Examine how websites are stored and accessed, recognise that a variety of media
- Understand what defines a website: Identify key parts of a website, learn what media it can include, and explore how users can create and contribute content online

Year 4 Autumn Half Term Topic: I am Warrior



In Music we will be learning about:

- Explore the pop genre by listening to ABBA's songs, identifying pulse and instruments, and discussing musical features.
- Develop singing technique and vocal health while performing together in ensembles

In P.E we will be learning about:

- Swimming
- Dance

In our R.E topic **'Creation and Covenant'** we will be learning about:

- The wonder of God's creation and our belief that the world and all people are created by God and in His image.
- The story of Abraham, exploring how he responded to God's call and what his story teaches us about faith and trust in God..

In our Mathematics learning the class will be looking at:

- Comparing and ordering numbers to 10,000
- Learning key Roman Numerals to 100.
- Learning our times tables to 12x12
- Recognising the place value of each digit in four-digit numbers.
- Counting forwards and backwards in 1,000s from any number.
- Rounding numbers.
- Reading through worded problems and answering using evidence to support our answers.
- Learning about negative numbers.

In History and Geography, we will be learning about:

- The lives of past Roman Emperors and rebels.
- Understanding the phrases of Ancient Roman from kingdoms to republic, to Empire.
- Organising key dates in chronological order from BCE to CE.
- Researching the growth of the Roman Empire to its demise.
- Using maps, atlases and globes to identify different countries, continents and oceans.

In our Art and Design, we will be:

- Shading still life objects.
- Studying work of famous past artists.