



Invaders & Raiders Summer Term 2026 Years 3&4				English In English this term to inspire writing we will study a range of texts, including Stone Age Boy, Roman Myths and Legends, Escape from Pompeii, and Queen of Darkness. Children will write a range of narratives inspired by the texts. Whole Class Texts: Stone Age Boy & Queen of Darkness		Mathematics Children will be taught key aspects of: Children will also continue to develop speed and accuracy with the rapid recall of timetables up to 12x12. The key areas of learning over the term will include: Year 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measures: Tell the time in digital and analogue, know the number of seconds in a minute and the number of days in a month, year and leap year and compare durations of events, recognise and write Roman numerals I to XII • Measures: Measure, compare, add and subtract volume/capacity • Measure: compare, add, and subtract mass kg/g • Number: Use the four written methods add, subtract, multiply and divide and apply to problem solving. 			
		Science Pupils develop their understanding of electricity and light through practical, hands-on investigations. They learn how to construct simple electrical circuits using components such as bulbs, wires, switches, and batteries, and explore how circuits need to be complete for devices to work. Children begin to recognise common electrical appliances and understand basic safety when using electricity. In learning about light , pupils explore different light sources and how we see objects. They investigate how shadows are formed and how they change when the position of a light source is altered. Pupils also explore reflective surfaces and begin to understand how light travels.		Geography/History As Historians , we will learn about the Stone Age to Iron Age timeline, the various sources of evidence used by archaeologists, the vocabulary used by archaeologists and how to carry out a dig. We will take part in fieldwork and go on to learn about Celtic Tribes and how life in Britain changed with the arrival of the Roman Armies. We'll learn about the Roman legacy – exploring those things that the Romans brought which affected our subsequent history. As Geographers, we will explore places in Britain where the Roman's settled and discover the reasons for this.		RE Year 3: Pupils will describe what prayer is and give simple reasons why it is important to Christians, including how Jesus Christ taught people to pray. Year 4: Pupils will explain different purposes of prayer (e.g. thanking, asking, praising) and how it helps Christians feel connected to God, using examples from the Bible.			
Art As Artists , we will recreate cave paintings from the Stone Age and make Bronze Age inspired jewellery. As we travel through time, we will be using clay to create traditional Roman pottery and mosaics.		D&T As Design Technologists , we will link our work on electricity in science to create our very own time travelling machine.		PSHE & RSE Our theme this term 'Healthy Me' focuses on the characteristics of mental and physical benefits of an active lifestyle, the importance of sufficient quality sleep for good health. We will also be focusing on 'Living Together' and the importance of British Value and laws.		PE In games we will be developing our tennis & badminton skills, including racket and ball control. We will also be developing our athletics skills. Woodpeckers will be swimming this term on a Monday afternoon.			
Computing Following the Teach Computing Scheme children will study the following units: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creating Media – Desktop Publishing • Programming B – Events and actions in programs 		Music Children will be continuing their ukulele learning journey.		French As Linguists , children will be taught to speak with increasing confidence, fluency and spontaneity. Topics for the term include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classroom Stationery • Classroom Instructions • Animals • Storytelling 		Curriculum Enrichment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Launch Day • Residential to Roman Villa and Cirencester 			