



HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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Romans



Year 4
Autumn Term 1 2011

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of ROMANS!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- Finding out who the Romans were and why they were so successful.
- Investigating how Roman technology has influenced our lives.
- Investigating the end of Roman rule in Britain.
- Investigating Boudicca's revolt and the effect it had on people living in Britain at that time.
- Designing and creating their own Roman shield.
- Taking part in a Roman Army drill.

**Your child needs your help and involvement!
Please get involved by:**

- ☐ Take your child to the library & get a book about the topic.
- ☐ Check they know how to measure in centimetres and metres.
- ☐ Check they know where England is in relation to Europe and the world.
- ☐ Check out the BBC website <http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/romans/> and the "Roman Mysteries" website

http://www.romanmysteries.com/pages/50-Home_Page

What does your child know about the ROMANS?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be learning about Religious Conflicts.

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of New Beginnings.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis, learn the spellings they have been given and practice their times tables.

MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	Homework in
FRIDAY	Homework will be given out

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Skill 7 Football	Mondays 3.15 – 5.00pm
Credit Union	Tuesdays 3.15pm
Games Library	Fridays 8.50am – 9.10am

Forthcoming Events

Parents' Coffee Morning (Community Room)	Every Friday 9.00am
Welcome to Year 4 Meeting	Wednesday 14 th September 3.00pm
School 60 th Celebrations	w/c 26 th September
Harvest Festival Assembly	Wednesday 5 th October
Parent Consultations	Mon 10 th October 5.30-8.00pm Tues 11 th October 3.30 – 6.00pm
School Photographer	Thursday 13 th October
Walk to School Week	w/c 17 th October
End of Half Term	Friday 21 st October