

Year 3 Spring 1 Plan 2026

FOCUS: The Romans

Literacy	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Boudica's Army – I was there	Character description – Boudica AYRR - Impression and evidence Ordering events		Diary of a Roman Soldier AYRR - Impression and evidence Ordering events		Explanation text – Animal Diets AYRR - # summaries	
SPAG	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
	Coordinating conjunctions	Subordinating Conjunctions	Adverbial openers		Prepositions	
Maths	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
	Multiplication and division: Strategies for solving multiplication questions (grouping and arrays) Strategies for solving division questions (grouping, arrays, known number facts) Problem solving and reasoning questions		Geometry: Properties of 2D and 3D shapes Turns Right angles Horizontal and vertical lines Parallel and perpendicular lines Reasoning and problem-solving questions		Statistics: Tables Reasoning and problem-solving questions	Measurement: Time Roman Numerals Reasoning and problem-solving questions
CLIC	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
	C – Partition 3D numbers L – 4 x tables I – find the missing piece to 100 C – 3D + 3D	C – Partition 3D numbers L – 4 x tables I - find the missing piece to 100 C – 3D - 3D	C – Count in 10s, 20s, 50s and 250s L – 4 x tables I – double 2D numbers C – take numbers from 100	C – Count in 100s, 200s, 500s and 2500s L – 4 x tables I – half 2D numbers C – 1D x 1D	C – Count in 3s L – 4 x tables I – multiply by 10 C – Division	C – Count in tenths and halves L - 4 x tables I – divide by 10 C – 1D x 1D

Science	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Animals inc. humans	Explore the basic needs of animals and humans (water, air, food)	Compare and contrast animals with and without a skeleton. Discuss the benefits of having a skeleton and what might happen if we didn't have one. Outdoor learning – twig skeleton.		Explain how muscles help animals including humans to move. Pattern seeking – Do taller children have stronger muscles?	Explain the importance of eating the correct food for both humans and animals. Compare and contrast the diets of different animals.	
History	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
How did the Roman invasions change the British landscape?	Discuss and label the countries that were part of the Roman Empire prior to the Roman invasion of Britain and use this to discuss why the Romans might have wanted to invade Britain.	Explore the different types of soldiers in the Roman Army – with a link to slavery Roman religion and introduction of Christianity – link to Celts.	Explore what life was like on Hadrian's Wall using primary sources. Evaluate and discuss the reliability of these sources.	Explain the impact of the Roman invasion had on Britain, with a focus on towns. Local History focus – Mancunium then and now.	Explain the impact of the Roman invasion had on Britain, with a focus on Roads.	Explain the impact of the Roman invasion had on Britain, with a focus on Baths, Aqueducts and Amphitheatres.
Art	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Collage	Introduction to Collage and what it is. Look at the History of Collage. Look at some examples by Georges Braque, Picasso, Max Ernst, and Pop Artists.	Collage technique – Blocking/ Parts of Images	Collage technique- new textures	Look at portrait collage by Dominique Fortin. Start own portrait collage using different techniques (Mixed media)	Portrait collage using different techniques. (Mixed media)	Portrait collage using different techniques. (Mixed media)
Computing	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Digital Citizenship	Understand how the internet can be used to share beliefs, opinions and facts.	Explain what should be done before sharing information online.	Identify the effects that the internet can have on people's feelings.	Understand the ways personal information can be shared on the internet.	Understand the rules for social media platforms.	Create a piece of work on word.

RE/PSHE	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
<u>RE</u> How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?	How do festivals and family life show what matters to a Muslim?	What does the opening chapter Qur'an teach Muslims about God?	Why does prayer matter to Muslims?	Why is the mosque a special place for Muslims?	Why do Muslims celebrate at the end of Ramadan?	Assessment
<u>PHSE</u>	My Happy Mind Celebrate					
Music	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
	Music with Mr Martin					
PE	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
	EdStart Intro to invasion games (competing)					