

Why did the Romans invade Britain?

The Emperor **His Army** **The Merchants** **The Potter** **The Bather** **The Farmers**

Literacy
[*http://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4](http://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-4)
[*https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/grammar-practice](https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/grammar-practice)
[*https://sites.google.com/site/easygrammar4kids/](https://sites.google.com/site/easygrammar4kids/)

Maths
[*https://uk.ixl.com/math/year-4](https://uk.ixl.com/math/year-4)
[*www.primarygames.co.uk](http://www.primarygames.co.uk)
[*https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years](https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years)
[*www.mathplayground.com](http://www.mathplayground.com)
[*http://flashmaths.co.uk/viewFlash.php?id=2](http://flashmaths.co.uk/viewFlash.php?id=2)

Science
[*http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/](http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/)
[*http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/science/](http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/science/)
[*http://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/online_science/games/](http://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/online_science/games/)

Topic
[*http://www.dbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/romans/](http://www.dbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/romans/)
[*http://resources.woodlands.kent.sch.uk/Homework/Romans.html](http://resources.woodlands.kent.sch.uk/Homework/Romans.html)
[*http://www.ngkids.co.uk/history/10-facts-about-the-ancient-Romans](http://www.ngkids.co.uk/history/10-facts-about-the-ancient-Romans)
[*http://www.historyforkids.net/ancient-rome.html](http://www.historyforkids.net/ancient-rome.html)
[*http://www.castorromans.co.uk/](http://www.castorromans.co.uk/)

Useful websites to support our work this term.
[*http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/levels/zb9wmn](http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/levels/zb9wmn)
[*http://resources.woodlands.kent.sch.uk/](http://resources.woodlands.kent.sch.uk/)
General/all subjects

St Margaret Clitherow's Catholic Primary School Curriculum Newsletter - Autumn 2017



CLASS: YEAR 4N
TEACHER: MRS R NESTOR

St Margaret Clitherow,
 Help us to be like you
 Help us to love
 and protect each other
 In everything we do.



Events this Term

- Thurs 14th Sept.—First **weekly** swimming lesson
- Friday, 29th Sept.— MacMillan Coffee Morning
- Thursday, 12th Oct, 2:45pm—Stay and Pray—all welcome
- Friday 13th Oct—School Photos
- Friday, 20th Oct—PD Day (Children not in school) → Half term holiday begins
- Monday, 30th Oct—Return to school
- Tues 14th Nov (TBC) - Roman Feast—all welcome
- 7th and 9th November—Parent's Evenings
- Fri, 22nd Dec.— School Closes for Christmas Holidays

Parents' Page

Home work

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Reading Tables Spelling H/w handed in	Reading Tables Spelling	Reading Tables Spelling	Reading Tables Spelling Homework given	Reading Tables Spelling Spelling Test

Welcome back!

We've got a really exciting term ahead of us and our topic, 'Why Did the Romans Invade Britain?', provides us with great opportunities to delve into our country's interesting past. We will be writing stories and plays around this topic, as well as creating artefacts in our D&T lessons.

In RE, we're exploring Jesus' family tree and have already been delving into our own family history to understand generations and lineage. We hope you've enjoyed chatting about your own history too!

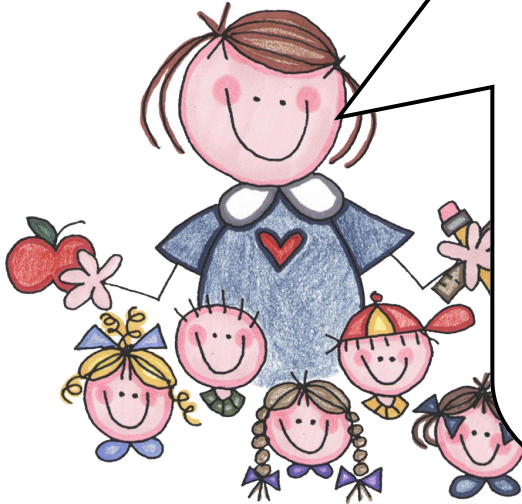
Year 4's PE, this term, is swimming, which will take place on Thursdays. Please ensure kit (towel, plus swimsuit or trunks) brought for this, every Thursday morning. It would also help if you could support your child in becoming more independent in dressing themselves completely.

We are very excited about our Roman day. This will end with a feast, which we hope you will join us for. Keep an eye on Facebook for more details.

If you have any queries or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact any of the Year 4 Team.

Many thanks for your support,

Mrs Nestor, Mr Watson, Mrs Collier, Mrs Green and Mrs Stebulitis.



Maths

- Mental skills and accuracy
- 4, 5, 6 and 8 times tables
- Place value to 4-digits
- Times and divide by 10
 - Mentally adding a series of numbers
 - Roman numerals
- Adding and subtracting numbers with up to 4-digits
- Word problems with one and two steps
- Money problems
- Telling analogue time



RE

Family: People Called Gift



Literacy

Punctuation revision
Developing metaphorical language
Stories in a historical setting: 'The Captive Celt'
Plays: Julius Caesar and Shakespeare
Chronological Reports: The Digestive System

Class Texts: 'Usbourne Visitor's Guide to Rome'
Roman Tales series by Terry Deary

Spelling: Prefixes: dis-, in-, im-
Suffixes: -ous, -ly, -ture



Year 4
'Why did the Romans invade Britain?'

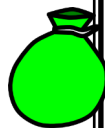
PE

Swimming



Art/Design Technology

Designing and making a Roman purse.
Mosaics.



Science

The digestive system
Teeth



History

- Looking at why the Romans invaded Britain
- Learning about Celtic and Roman ways of life
 - Learning about Boudicca and the revolt
- To understand what life was like as a soldier in the Roman Army
- Amphitheatres and entertainment
- Technologies and Buildings



PSHE

Respect
Rules and Laws
Democracy



ICT

Using the internet for research.
Collating info in spreadsheets.
Internet safety.

Geography

Europe and the countries in the Roman Empire

