

## Class 3 – Parent Newsletter

### Summer 1 – 2024

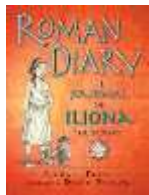
Here's some of our best moments and learning from our spring term topic – I am Warrior!

#### WOW!

To kick off our 'I am Warrior!' topic, we went on a guided historical walking tour of York. We learnt lots of interesting facts about the role that York played in Roman Britain.



#### Groovy Guided Reading



We have read the historical fiction book 'Roman Diary: The Journal of Iliona' for our whole class guided reading sessions. We have really enjoyed following Iliona's journey!

In class reader time, we have enjoyed the entertaining story of 'The Nothing to See Here Hotel'!



#### Marvellous Maths

We have been very busy with Maths this half term! We have covered the topics of mass & capacity, money and fractions! We have started to look at time, which will explore in more detail after half term.



#### Wonderful Writing

We have utilised our topic to create some amazing written pieces this half term! We began with writing a soliloquy of a Roman soldier preparing for battle. We then wrote a historical narrative detailing Boudicca's Celtic uprising against the Romans! We ended the term with some fantastic diary entries of a Roman gladiator preparing to fight! Well done Year 3!



## Other exciting things we've been up to this half term

### Super Science

We have been learning all about plants this half term! We labelled the parts of a plant before considering what a plant might need to be able to grow! We enjoyed looking at how water travels in a plant by dying flowers bright colours! We have also dissected flowers to learn more about pollination and fertilisation.



### Rotten Romans!

We have loved learning about the Romans in Class 3! We have covered many areas including the rise of the Roman Empire, the invasions of Britain & Boudicca's Celtic uprising.

### Genius Geography

We have located Italy on a world map. We have also located Roman cities in the UK. We completed a comparison study of Italy and the UK.



### Positive PE

We have really enjoyed our swimming lessons this half term. We are excited to continue after the break!

We have also been playing rounders with Ignite Sports!

### Delightful DT

We have been looking at joining and fixing materials together this half term! We designed our own Roman shields and thought carefully about how we could combine materials to create a symmetrical effect. We had a fantastic time creating our magnificent shields! Well done Year 3!



### Fantastic Finale!

We were lucky enough to receive a visit from Simon at Murton Park! We learnt lots about the life of a Roman soldier and enjoyed seeing examples of the different weapons they might have had. We also enjoyed creating our own oil lamps out of clay.



### 150 Year Celebrations!

We had a fantastic Victorian Day! We have thoroughly enjoyed all of the exciting events in school to mark St Paul's 150<sup>th</sup> Birthday.



### Worship

This half term our worship theme has been **Truthfulness.**

I hope you all have a lovely half term! I will see you after the break for our last half term in Class 3!

### Miss Bowler

