



# ST ANDREW'S C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL



## YEAR 4 – Spring Term 2025

### MATHS

**Number - Multiplication & Division B:** Times and divide by 10 and 100. The informal written method for 2 x 1 digit and 3 x 1 digit numbers.

**Measurement – Length and Perimeter:** km, m, equivalent lengths and perimeters of shapes.

**Number - Fractions :** To partition mixed numbers, compare and order mixed numbers, equivalent and improper fractions, fraction families, adding and subtracting fractions.

**Number – Decimals A:** Tenths and hundredths as fractions and decimals, on a place value chart and a number line. Dividing by 10 and 100.

### Theme: Roman Invaders!

Big Question: *What is Legacy? How do we view the Roman legacy today?*



**The Y4 Class Assembly is on  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March**

### English

Most of our English work will be based on our theme 'Roman Invaders!'

This will include:

- Descriptive writing, diaries and letters based on the book 'Escape From Pompeii' by Christina Balit.
  - Roman Mythology: Romulus & Remus.
  - Newspaper reports.
- Our class novel is 'The Thieves of Ostia' by Caroline Lawrence.

**HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?** Children should read for a minimum of 20 minutes at home every night - try library books, newspapers or comics as well as scheme books!

### HOMEWORK:

Children should be encouraged to use Mathletics, TTRockstars and Spelling Shed on a regular basis.

**Times tables / division facts / extended calculation facts** = On-going weekly practice and test every Thursday.

**HISTORY:** Travelling back in time to the great Roman Empire, we will learn about the invasion of Britain, the lives of the Romans & their beliefs.

**SCIENCE:** Light & Sound (links to Roman sundials)

**ART / DESIGN:** Roman mosaics & Roman sculptures

**PSHE (JIGSAW):** Dreams & Goals. Healthy Me.

### SPELLINGS

10 SPELLINGS, BASED ON THE **SPELLING SHED SCHEME**, WILL BE SET ON A MONDAY & TESTED ON THE FOLLOWING MONDAY.

**ARITHMETIC OR REASONING MATHS TESTS**  
Children will complete an arithmetic or reasoning test on Wednesdays in school & will bring this home so you can check through misconceptions with them.

### Computing

Desktop publishing /Audio editing.

Coding and Internet Safety.

### MUSIC

Clarinets: Miss Smith will be teaching the children for one hour every Friday.

### Religious Education

What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?

### SPANISH

Greetings, feelings and describing self.

### Physical Education

**Monday: Dance (volcanic eruption)**

**Thursday: Tag rugby – Plymouth Albion**

PE KITS ARE TO BE LEFT IN SCHOOL DURING THE WEEK & CHILDREN WILL BE CHANGING FOR PE IN SCHOOL. NAVY BLUE SHORTS, WHITE T-SHIRT & BLACK PLIMSOLLS or trainers. Tracksuit bottoms and sweatshirts may be worn outside when the weather is cold. TRACKSUITS MUST BE IN ST ANDREW'S COLOURS.