

Choice of Home Activities

Autumn Term Year 4 Topic: The Empire Strikes (Back) Complete at least two homework tasks from the grid below; one for each half term.

	What do I know and understand?	Can I apply and show what I know?	What can I question, compare and analyse?	Can I evaluate and make judgements?	What can I create?
I enjoy reading, writing and speaking.	List items found in Roman Villas	Present key information about the Roman Gods to your class.	Compare and contrast life as Roman Slave and Roman Soldier.	Describe which Roman God you believe would be the most useful to us today in modern society. Explain why.	Write a diary entry from the point of view of Boudicca.
I enjoy thinking logically, working with numbers and being scientific.	What are the symbols for the Roman Numerals? Create a poster to display them. Write in Roman Numerals the dates of birth for each member of your family.	Complete these calculations using Roman Numerals: 24+79= 20x50= Complete some of your own.	On Roman stringed instruments, low and high pitch sounds were made. Recreate this using elastic bands? How do you make the high/low pitch sounds?	What is the best website to teach children about Roman Numerals? Evaluate at least two.	Devise five mathematical word problems involving Roman numerals.
I enjoy drawing and painting.	Draw a Roman Soldier labelling his uniform. How was each part of his uniform used to help keep him safe?	Construct a Roman time capsule. What would you put in it and why?	Compare and contrast Roman and modern day jewellery through drawing examples and labelling them.	How has housing changed since Roman times? Illustrate your answer with labelled diagrams.	Create your own Roman God. What will his/her features be and why?
I enjoy being active and 'doing'.	Dress up as someone in Roman times and get someone to take a picture of you.	Design and make your own Roman Town.	Make a Roman recipe. How is your Roman food similar/different to what we eat today?	How have the designs of shields or weapons changed over the years starting at Roman times?	Create your own Shield to protect you from Roman invasions.
I enjoy making and listening to music	Find out about two different musical instruments in Roman times. What sounds did they make?	Find items in your house that make a sound that you would hear on the Roman battle field.	Compare musical instruments used now and in Roman Times.	Read two poems about Roman Britain. Which one is your favourite. Why?	Create a piece of music using your voice or instruments to celebrate the victory of a gladiator.
I enjoy working with others.	What Gods did Romans worship? List them with a friend.	With a friend, write a secret message in Roman numerals (with an alphabet key).	Research Roman and Greek Gods with a friend. Decide- Did the Romans steal their Gods from the Greeks?	Who was the most effective Roman Emperor? Why? Discuss this with adult.	With a partner, create a game for Roman soldiers.

Ongoing Homework Tasks include: Daily Reading, Mathletics and Times Table Rock Stars