

Below are some creative homework ideas for your child to complete over the half term. Not all of these have to be completed but we would like to see at least 3 pieces handed in in the weeks leading up to half term. Your child will still receive reading, spellings and Maths homework each week.



Subjects	Homework idea
Literature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Write a diary entry as if you are a Roman soldier or a Celt warrior. What is your typical day like? ◆ Create a holiday brochure about modern day Rome. ◆ Read a book or watch a film on a Roman theme and write a review.
Other activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Make own digestive system at home using a sealed food bag, an egg cup of fresh orange juice, two teaspoon of water and a cracker. ◆ Make a model of a Roman villa using junk materials. Look online to inspire you. ◆ Try to find a map of Roman Britain and find out some of the names of towns and cities. Did Rotherham, have a different name?



I Am Warrior!
The Romans
Y4 Curriculum Letter
Autumn Term 1

I am warrior! I am strong, brave and powerful. Meet me in battle. Draw your sword, wield your axe and challenge me if you dare! Invade and attack, Romans versus the Celts, the fight is on. We will travel back in time to discover warring Britain and meet Claudius, Boudicca and Julius Caesar., prepare for Gladiator School and learn alongside Spartacus and when all the battling makes us hungry we will relax, lie back and feast ourselves on a range of Roman food.



Subject	Focus for this half term
English	<p>We have discovered why the Romans invaded Britain and persuaded other Romans to join them</p> <p>In the next few weeks we will read about Boudicca's rebellion and persuade warriors to take up arms and fight for her.</p> <p>Using our reading book, we will advertise the perfect Roman day.</p>
Maths	<p>Alongside our Roman projects we will be creating a Roman timeline, and using Roman numerals in our investigations about place value.</p> <p>Next half term will also include, addition and subtraction, fractions and geometry.</p> <p>Please continue to help your child practise their times tables!</p>
Science	<p>Our scientific focus this half term will be investigating the human body where we will be looking at the functions of the digestive system.</p>

Foundation subjects	Focus for this half term
P.E	This half term in P.E. our focus will be on invasion games where we will be developing their skills in netball, football and hockey .
Music	In music we will be learning a song all about the Battle of Troy.
Humanities	As this is our main focus of this term we will be covering many aspects of history. This will include the invasion of Britain by the Romans, focusing on the impact this had on the Celt tribes, the Roman way of life and what they brought to our country.
PSHE	So far, we have already looked at British values and the remainder of the half term will be focussing on Christianity and developing friendships.
Art and DT	<p>Art will focus upon designing and creating our own shields and producing pictures of Boudicca,</p> <p>We will also create our Roman banquet making and tasting food from the Roman era.</p>