

Our teachers

Mr Hempleman 4H



Mr Cumpson 4C

Special visits and visitors this term

Forest School (every **Tuesday** for Year 4 – classes alternate)
Starting with 4H on Tuesday 26th February

Requests for help

If you are able to support with reading and timetables/maths practise, please contact us for further details of timings; your support would be gratefully received.

We will need cardboard to make shields and costumes to be Roman soldiers for the week beginning Monday 4th March.

Newbridge
Primary School

Learning in Year 4 Term 4 – 2018/19

The start of the school day

All pupils need to be in the classroom by 8:55am and can come in from 8:45am.

If for any reason you are late bringing your child to school, please proceed to the office and sign them in.

If your child is ill, please contact the office on each day of absence.

Remember that if your pick up arrangements change in exceptional circumstances during the day, please call the school to notify the teacher.

Equipment your child needs every day

A filled water bottle
Back pack, reading book, homework folder, PE Kit
Reading Record, a coat,
A school uniform in line with the school code of dress and named
A packed lunch, if your child usually has one.

Our Teaching Assistants

Mrs Dennis



Ms Shaw



Mrs Seek



Mr Day

Upcoming dates

March 7th: Book at Bedtime
Parents' Evenings

Requests for resources

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Old adult shirts for painting

Old newspapers for art

Warm and waterproof clothing for Forest School

Please find a link to the [National Curriculum](#)

English

- Writing to entertain: Diary of a Roman soldier
Writing a letter home
- Writing to inform: Who was Julius Caesar?
The life of Boudicca
- Punctuation and grammar: Apostrophes for omission and possession, adverbial phrases, commas in a list and noun phrases

History

- The Roman Empire
- Life in the Roman army
- Roman roads
- Julius Caesar
- Boudicca and the Iceni tribe.

Art

- Roman shields

Physical Education

- Dance: Dance notes – The Rainforest
- Invasion games

Modern Foreign Language

- French - numbers

Curriculum support

- Handwriting
- Sound Discovery
- 1:1 reading support
- Flexible group maths support

Learning in Year 4

Term 4 – 2018/19

Science

- States of matter: Group items into solid, liquid and gas
- Observe and record changes in states of matter

Computing

- Stop motion animation
- Staying safe online

Religious Education

- Easter Story

PSHE

- Healthy Me
- Balanced diet, physically active, friendships, mindfulness and well being

Our Newbridge Journey

Our enquiry is: *How does the past affect us?*

This means we will be learning about: When the Roman invasion of Britain occurred and how it shaped the roads and towns.

The life of Roman soldiers.

The life of Boudicca and the native tribes.

The key skills we will be developing are:

I can build positive relationships.

I can take risks and keep myself healthy and safe including online.

Mathematics

- Equivalent fractions
- Decimal fractions - tenths and hundredths
- Fractions of amounts
- Adding fractions with the same denominator
- Subtracting Fractions with the same denominator
- Times tables
- Formal method of the four rules: addition, subtraction, division and multiplication.

Geography

- Rome on map
- Ancient Roman Empire maps
- UK Roman map
- Roman settlements in the UK

Music

- Performance through song and instruments

Home Learning

- Termly homework tasks
- Ongoing spellings and multiplication tables
- Daily reading
- Maths with parents – parental choice

British Values

- Mutual respect for and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith