



When in Rome...



HISTORY

- Timeline and chronology of Roman Empire
- Invasion of Claudius and end of Stone Age – cartoon strip
- Roman inventions and developments to civilization
- Roman food tasting
- Roman army – re-enacting through drama

HISTORY SKILLS

- AS1** The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.
- KU1** Use evidence to describe what was important to people from the past.
- KU2** Use evidence to show how the lives of rich and poor people from the past differed.
- KU3** Describe similarities and differences between people, events and artefacts studied.
- KU4** Describe how some of the things I have studied from the past affect/influence life today.
- CU2** Order significant events and dates on a timeline
- OC1** Communicate ideas about from the past using different genres of writing
- HE2** Ask questions and find answers about the past

ART

- Roman shields using papier-mache and collage
- Large scale Roman mosaics – layering and tiling
- Roman coins using soft metal alloys
- Roman pottery using clay
- Profile sketches in manner of Julius Caesar

ART SKILLS

- E2** ask and answer questions about starting points for their work
- E3** develop and share their ideas, try things out and make changes
- E5** think critically about their art and design work
- 3D1** manipulate malleable materials in a variety of ways i.e. rolling, joining and kneading
- P1** use a variety of tools and techniques
- T2** cut and shape materials using scissors/snips
- C2** collect, sort and group materials or different purposes in different ways/shapes, i.e. texture, colour
- D4** investigate tone by drawing light/dark lines, patterns and shapes

SCIENCE

- Animals including humans -Teeth.
- State of Matter – solids, liquids, gas, heating and cooling, condensation and evaporation.

CROSS-CURRICULAR MATHEMATICS

- Shape, symmetry & pattern in Roman architecture and archaeology
- Orientation relevant and map work including position, clockwise/anti-clockwise, compass points, grid referencing
- Roman numerals

CROSS-CURRICULAR ENGLISH

- Texts linked to Romans – fiction and non-fiction
- Diary writing based on story texts set in Roman times
- Newspaper reports based on Roman events including Coliseum battles
- Rome visitor guide

ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Chester visit and Roman Amphitheatre/city walls walk – www.english-heritage.co.uk
- Tour of Chester with a Roman Soldier – <http://schools.westcheshiremuseums.co.uk/roman-school-trip-chester>

MUSIC

- **Stop** – Grime, writing lyrics
- **Lean on Me** – Gospel/links to religious music