

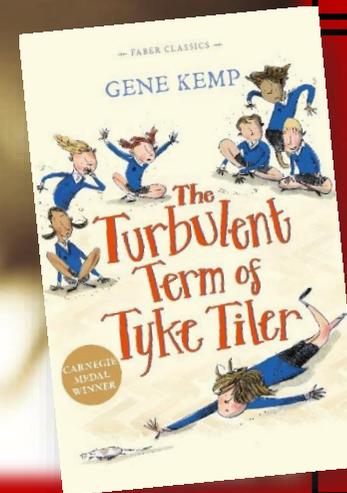


Southill Primary School

Year Four: Autumn Term 2020

I Am Warrior

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As **mathematicians**, We will be comparing, ordering, estimating and rounding numbers. We'll also be adding and subtracting mentally as well as using formal written methods. To keep us on our toes, there will be a strong problem solving element to much of what we do too.

As **writers**, the children will be focussing on creating well-crafted settings in the context of a 'Rags to Riches' type story based on our model text, Cinderella. Then we'll be honing our journalistic skills learning how to write concise attention-grabbing news reports to a deadline!

As **readers**, we'll enjoy The Turbulent Term of Tyke Tiler by Gene Kemp. Mischief and surprises abound in this hilarious classic story which contains one of the most unexpected 'twists' in children's literature. Tyke Tiler and Danny Price are always up to no good. Stolen money, a sheep's skeleton, fights in class... Somehow it's always down to Tyke to sort it out. But when Danny gets into serious trouble he needs his best friend Tyke more than ever...

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 Celts, the fight is on. Discover warring Britain: meet Claudius, Boudicca and Julius Caesar and find out what the Romans did for us. Get ready for Gladiator School and learn alongside Spartacus and Spiculus, brave fighters of the Roman Colosseum. When all that battling makes you hungry, relax, lie back and feast yourself on dormice and grapes, or perhaps a roasted swan sprinkled with nuts?

As **geographers** we will be using maps and atlases to compare Italy and Britain – their climate, landscape and size. We'll use maps to locate British hillforts and other settlements to make preparations for surprise attacks. We'll also use street maps to plan a triumphant route through ancient Rome.