



Year Three: Summer 2 Term

Southill Primary School

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Emperors & Empires

Step back into the past when the Roman Empire was the most powerful and influential civilisation in the world. Why were the Romans so successful in invading and 'romanising' the countries they invaded?

As **historians** the children will explore the history and structure of ancient Rome and the Roman Empire, including a detailed exploration of the Romanisation of Britain. We hope to visit the reopened Dorset County museum to take part in a Roman workshop.

As **mathematicians**, the children will be learning about: **Fractions** – counting in tenths, adding and subtracting fractions, equivalent fractions, simplifying fractions, comparing fractions with different denominators, finding fractions of whole numbers as part of a set and applying content knowledge to word problems.

As **writers**, the children will be focusing on the tools writer's use to create a non chronological report. Our model text will be linked to our topic 'The Roman Empire'

As **readers** we'll be reading ***The Day The Screens Went Blank***. When ten-year-old Stella wakes up to discover a world full of BLANK screens, her family, town, and in fact the whole world seems to have been thrown into chaos. And what about poor Grandma who is stranded at the other end of the country?

