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Can

Reading

Read 15 minutes minimum every day with your adult.

Listen to stories read by others including audio books.

**Maths fluency**

This half term we will focus on:
Number bonds

Each week your child will take home a short fluency sheet to be completed at home.

Spelling – Challenges

Work on your spelling: bronze, silver and gold.
Remember to bring them in to be tested as soon as you're done.

Aim to complete a level over this half term.

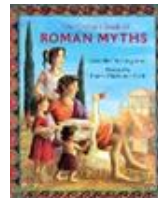
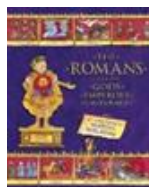
**English**

*Write a simple, compound and complex sentence on a topic of your choosing e.g. The Romans, football, gymnastics etc. You could even produce a poster for our working wall to show the differences between each type of sentence.

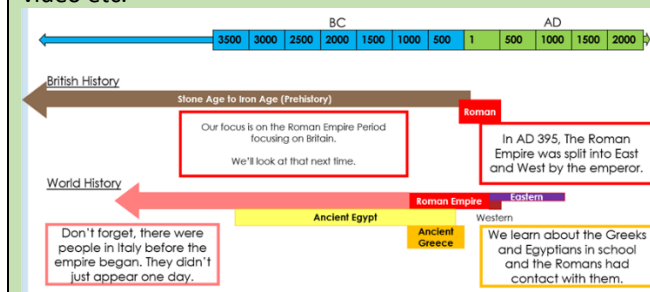
*Write a non-chronological report on any topic- remember to include all of the features we discussed in class e.g. title, introduction, sub-headings, topic language, bullet points, third person etc.

Year 4

Autumn 1 – What have the Romans ever done for us?

**History- The Romans**

*Research and present the chronology of the Roman Empire.
-It could be presented on a timeline, as a poster, a report, a video etc.

**RE – The story of Abraham**

*Create a character profile thinking of words to describe his actions and attributes.

*Retell the story in your own way.

You could:

- Act it out with toys
- Draw it as a story map or comic strip
- Verbally retell it and record yourself
- Write the story or a prayer inspired by the story.

**DT-Mechanical systems: Pneumatic toys**

*Find any toys/books you have at home with moving parts.

-How do they move?

-Can you recreate it?

You can use:

- Junk modelling
- Natural materials collected from outside
- Lego or other construction materials
- Playdoh/plasticine/clay.

Science – changing state

*What is a solid? Liquid? Gas?

-Create a poster to display in the classroom with clear definitions and examples.

*Set up an experiment that demonstrates melting/ freezing (with adult support). Record your findings using photos or labelled diagrams or results tables.