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### **Class 3-4 Curriculum Letter Spring Term 2019**

Dear Parents

Happy New Year! I hope that you have all had enjoyable and restful holidays. The children have come back full of exciting stories to share.

#### **Thank you!**

I'd like to start by saying a big thank you for all your Christmas gifts. I am incredibly grateful and touched by your generosity, so thank you very much.

#### **Spring Term Topics:**

I have enclosed this term's curriculum overview plans to show the learning journey that Class 3-4 will be following this term. We will be delving into the lives of the Romans, their religion, their armies, their invasions and how they shaped Britain. To add to the excitement of this topic, we will also be taking part in a Roman day after half term, when we will dress up and get real hands on experiences. I will send more information out about this in a separate letter.

#### **Homework:**

Homework will continue as per the autumn term, being set on a Thursday and handed in the following Tuesday. I have noticed that a significant number of the children still have timetables which they are not able to recall accurately and quickly. This is slowing them down or making them inaccurate in many aspects of maths including written multiplication and division as well as fractions. Please encourage your child to continue practicing their tables at home – there are many free apps available as well as [www.timestables.co.uk](http://www.timestables.co.uk), which is free to register and has a wide range of ways for the children to consolidate and improve their tables recall.

#### **PE and Games:**

PE kit needs to be in school throughout the week please. Our regular PE sessions will be Monday morning and Friday afternoon. In the colder weather, please ensure that your child has warm clothing to wear for PE lessons and trainers with good grip. It is a good idea to keep a spare pair of socks in PE bags in case these get wet!

I hope that this letter will provide you with all the information you need at this stage in the term. If there is anything else you would like to know or you have an issue you would like to discuss with me individually please do not hesitate to come in before or after school for a chat or to make an appointment.

Yours sincerely

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