

Leeming Class - Year 5

Summer 1

April 2021

Welcome back! I hope you had a lovely Easter break.

**Oxenhope C of E
Primary School**



Our topic for this half term is **I Claudius!** We will be learning about the history of the Roman Empire. This will include creating Roman shields and mosaics, making comparisons between the lifestyle of our ancient ancestors and what we experience now and rulers such as Julius Caesar. We will also read Roman Numerals.

If you have any questions or queries, please don't hesitate to send me an email at misscooper@oxenhope.bradford.sch.uk or send a message on Class Dojo. I am also available most days after school if you would like a brief chat.



English

In English we will be following the story of a young boy captured by the Romans, using his adventures to write in a variety of genres. We will also have time dedicated to key GPS skills every day.

Maths

This half term we will continue learning about fractions and will then move on to decimal and percentage equivalents. We will have daily arithmetic lessons to reinforce our skills and improve calculation techniques.

R.E

Our theme in school this half term is endurance. In RE lessons our big question is 'What will make Oxenhope a more respectful place?' This will include looking at some of the key beliefs held by our community.

Outdoor learning/PE

We will be doing outdoor learning/PE every Tuesday/Wednesday (whatever the weather) so please ensure your child comes in warm clothes, a waterproof coat and suitable shoes. Please send your child to school in their outdoor PE kit on a Wednesday. It would also be really helpful to bring a bag containing spare pair of shoes for when we return inside after our outdoor learning sessions.

Water/Snacks

Bring fresh water bottles to school daily (please ensure this is water, not juice). Also, children are encouraged to bring a healthy snack for morning break (such as fruit or a cereal bar). Our mornings are quite long so this should help boost concentration until lunch.

Homework

A list of homework choices for our topic will be sent on both Dojo and on paper. Pupils can choose which they would like to complete and send in through Dojo or return to class by Wednesday. There will also be 1 or 2 Athletics tasks to try each week, along with a set of spelling which will be sent home on a Thursday and tested the following Wednesday.

Covid Symptoms

If your child is experiencing any of the Covid symptoms (a temperature or a new cough) please refer to the school flow chart.

Don't forget to check the school website each Friday for our Celebration Assembly!

Year 5 at a glance - Summer 1!

In addition to the core subjects in a morning, here is an insight into the lessons we will be doing each afternoon and information about anything extra you may need.

Monday	Topic - This could be a range of subjects including science, oracy, history, geography, Spanish art or DT.
Tuesday	Outdoor learning - Please bring a bag containing a change of footwear (wellies/walking boots) and extra clothing to suit the weather.
Wednesday	PE - Please wear your PE kit to school. Remember, we will usually be outside so wear suitable shoes and something warm.
Thursday	PSHE and Topic - This could be a range of subjects including science, oracy, history, geography, Spanish art or DT.
Friday	RE