

# INVENTIONS

**SPRING 2020**

**MIDDLE PHASE**

6 Weeks

**Stunning Start:**  
**Time Team**  
**Archeological dig**

**Introduction: What was Britain like before the Romans? (3 weeks)**

Introduction to Romans—Rome, why did they invade Britain, Myth,  
The spread of the Roman Empire and why?  
How were they met—was there resistance?  
Visitor from Maidstone Museum

**What have the Romans done for us? Legacy**

How did they influence the development  
Roads—building a path around the field, digging foundations?  
Sanitation  
Year 4 English—Boudicca

**Half Term:**

**17th-21st February**

**Marvellous Middle**

**Roman Day carousel**

**In Year Groups**

**Making an**

**Aqueduct, layering a road, mosaics, making shields and helmets**

**Key Texts**

The Wild Robot, Peter Brown  
George's Marvellous Medicine Roald Dahl  
Jabberwocky, Alice in Wonderland, Lewis Carroll  
The Story Machine

5.5 Weeks

**What have the Romans done for us? Legacy**

Calendar, numbers, vocabulary, money  
Communication—wax tablets, wooden tablets  
World Book Day

**Our favourite Inventions**

Fast food— design and make pizza  
Trip to Pizza Express to make pizza  
Making chariots and sandals  
Watch Big Hero 6  
Easter RE Day

**Fantastic Finish:**  
**Inventions Fair/**  
**Science Week**