



# Year 3 and 4 Newsletter Spring Term Two 2023/24



We hope that you had a restful half term holiday!  
This newsletter will provide you with information on the half term ahead.  
If you have any further queries, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes,

The year 3 and 4 team

Please see the webpage for examples of learning from last half term.

<https://www.thegemfederation.co.uk/bessemer-primary/learning-hub/classes/year-3-and-4/>

**P.E** - All children must **wear** their PE kit to school on the specified days. They should wear appropriate clothing such as tracksuit bottoms or shorts in navy and either a white school t-shirt or their gem top. They should have a red jumper still. Please take the weather into account. It is **essential** that they have trainers on these days.

3KL	Monday	Thursday
3NI	Monday	Wednesday
3/4CB	Tuesday	Thursday
4BC	Wednesday	Friday
4YH	Tuesday	Thursday

**History**- Our topic this half term will continue to be The Romans. The topic will last for 2 half terms, ending at Easter. For this half term we will be focussing on what The Romans did for Britain and the legacy they left.

Knowledge organisers were sent home in January, which give more detail about the topic as well as some homework ideas. Please read these with your children and refer back to them throughout the topic. Children will be given gems for sharing homework in school.

**English** – We will be learning about poems and diary entries through a book set in the Roman times.

**Maths** - This half term, our first focus will be on Length and Perimeter before moving on to Fractions. Homework will be set on Google Classroom on Fridays and will support the mental maths facts needed. Children will be rewarded gems as appropriate as an added incentive to complete their homework. Please continue to practise times tables using Times Tables Rockstars.

**Science** - This half term, we will be learning about Sound.

**R.E.** – We will be focussing on 'Why Easter is important to Christians'.

**Homework** – This year we will be putting the homework on Google Classroom. Each week there will be maths homework which will be linked to times tables or the rocket card steps which may be an interactive activity or questions to answer. There will also be weekly spellings and the half termly topic homework.

**If you can't access Google Classroom, please let your class teacher know.**

Remember to find your class page on the website and look there and on Google Classroom for examples of learning and updates!