



**SWINEMOOR  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**AUTUMN TERM 2017 CURRICULUM STATEMENT  
YEAR 3 & 4**

SUBJECT / TOPIC	CONTENT
ENGLISH	<p>We shall be studying the National Curriculum in speaking and listening, reading and writing. The children will have individual targets in order to progress. You will receive a written copy and review of these in your child's termly report. The children will continue to work on the development of a fluent, cursive writing style.</p> <p>Within the reading strand, our focus will be on how to infer information from different text types. This is when we look at different clues to help us answer questions. We will be using Boudica's Army as our text.</p> <p>In writing we will be focussing on sentence structure. This will also link to speaking and listening.</p>
MATHEMATICS	<p>We shall be studying the National Curriculum. Arithmetic and its application will be given high priority. The children will have individual targets in order to progress. You will receive a written copy and review of these in your child's termly report.</p> <p>This term our number work will focus on place value and adding and subtracting. We will also focus upon measurement. We will also consolidate the understanding of concepts of time and money.</p> <p>The children will also continue to work on their Passports, which check knowledge and understanding of multiplication tables.</p>
SCIENCE	<p>We shall be studying the National Curriculum. The children will have individual targets in order to progress. You will receive a written copy and review of these in your child's termly report.</p> <p>The main topic will be Electricity. We will be looking at symbols and circuits and ways we produce and use electricity.</p>
THE ARTS	<p>In Art we will focus upon observational drawing related to our DT project which is designing and making Christmas decorations.</p> <p>In Music we will be continuing to learn how to play the trumpet whilst learning to read notated music. We will also be working towards our annual 'X-Factor' competition.</p>
HUMANITIES	<p>We will be studying the achievements of the Roman Empire in Britain. We will look at Roman settlements, their way of life and how things changed in Britain during the Roman occupation.</p>





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PHYSICAL EDUCATION	We shall be working on improving our attacking and defending using a variety of sports and games to develop wider skills.
RE/PSHCE	We shall be looking at the different religions people believe in and what it means to believe in a faith.
TERMLY COMPETITIONS	X-Factor Christmas Decoration competition Weekly mathematics competition Termly times tables competition

