

Important Information

Homework:

Will be given on a Friday and is to be handed in by the following Tuesday. If it is not completed, children will complete it in the homework club during break.

Reading:

Children should be reading regularly at home and have their reading card updated. Comments books will be checked on a Monday and Thursday. Children are encouraged to read between the days when books are being checked. Children need to bring their reading books in everyday.

PE:

Children will need their PE kit every Tuesday and Thursday.

Children are not permitted to wear jewellery when participating in PE as stated in school policy. If they have recently had their ears pierced then they will need to bring in some plasters from home.

Children should learn and practise their times tables regularly and will be tested once per week.

Times Table Tests: Tuesday

**Thank you from
Teachers and Support Staff:**

Class Teacher: *Mr Pease*

Support Staff: *Mrs Davis and Mrs Butcher*

Ivy Road Primary School

Pompeii



**Curriculum information
for parents/carers of
Class 4/5
children
Autumn Term 2018**

Literacy

A range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry

Narrative writing

Talk for writing— 'The Canal' (Pie Corbett.) and newspaper articles.

Various texts depicting the events of Pompeii

- Usborne Young Readers 'Pompeii'
 - 'Pompeii...Buried Alive' Usborne Young Readers.
 - 'Escape from Pompeii' by Christina Balit
- Talk for Writing—Writing a newspaper article

ICT

Creating an advert using 'Windows Live Movie Maker'
Researching using search engines e.g. google

Design & Technology

Building a volcano using paper mache

Using different mediums to create an image of an erupting volcano

Artist study

Religious Education & PHSCE

SEALs unit—New Beginnings

E-Safety

North Tyneside Agreed RE Syllabus

The importance of Worship

Geography

Locate Italy in Europe & wider world

Describing features using globes and maps

What is a volcano?

How is a volcano made?

Why do volcanoes erupt?

Numeracy

Number and place value

Addition and subtraction

Geometry

Multiplication and division

Times tables

Investigations & Problem Solving

Science

Earth and Space

- Learning about the planets of the solar system.
- Why is there night and day?
- What other masses are in the solar system?
- Seasons
- Movement of the moon

Forces

- Balanced and unbalanced
- Gravity
- Air resistance/water resistance
- Friction

Physical Education

Basketball, gymnastics and dance.

History

Pompeii

What was life like in Ancient Rome?

The eruption of Mount Vesuvius

Visible effects in the modern world

A history of eruptions

Science link—Exploding volcano!

Art

Making volcano pictures

Artist study—Georgia O'Keefe

Music

Samba drumming and Don't Stop Believing

French

'Mon anniversaire' and 'Le Monde'



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