#### <u>Literacy</u>

In Literacy we will be developing our letter writing skills and our recount skills through a creative recount. We will be using the programme 'Care home for 4-year olds' as a stimulus for our writing.

## History/Geography

In History, we will be learning all about the Romans and how they influenced Britain when they invaded.

In Geography, we are going to be focusing on the physical and human features that can be found around the world. We will also continue our learning on the continents and oceans.

## Reading

Please read at home as much as you can to develop the children's love of reading. Books can be returned to school when your child has completed the book and had their reading record signed. They will then be able to change their book.

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### <u>Science</u>

This half term, the children will be looking at life cycles of both animals and humans. We will then move onto human features such as body parts, senses and the effects of exercise on the human body. We will then finish off our learning with an investigation into the spread of germs.

# **Everyday Heroes**

<u>PE -</u> This half term we will be learning the skill 'Gymnastics'.

### PE Days - Friday Afternoon

Please send children with their kit on a Monday and it can remain in school until Friday in case we have opportunity for additional PE in the week.

#### ICT -

Over this half term the children will be developing their basic skills knowledge when using a computer including how to copy and paste images.

#### <u>Maths</u>

This half term we will be learning:

- Addition of two 2-digit numbers
- Subtraction of a 2-digit and 2-digit number
- Money values
- Adding and subtracting money
- Multiplication through arrays
- Multiplication of 2-, 5- and 10-times tables

<u>Spellings/Home learning</u> – We will send out a set of High Frequency words and common exception words which the children will need to learn how to read and spell.

Please could you practise reading and writing these with your child as often as possible- Thank you.

Art/DT - In Art, we will be using different techniques to paint and mix colours in the style of 'Chuck Close'. The children will also complete an artist study on Chuck Close.